

SPORTS MEDIA, BS

Example Plan of Study

Finish in Four Plan of Study

The plan below is an **example** of how students can successfully complete degree requirements in four years. This suggested class schedule plan may be used as a guide and can be adjusted based on individual needs. Students are required to meet with an academic advisor prior to enrollment each semester to plan their class schedule, and students are ultimately responsible for completing all degree requirements.

Course	Title	Hours
Freshman		
Fall		
ENGL 1113	Composition I	3
General Education courses		8
STAT 2013 is required for this degree. Students who do not place directly into statistics should discuss alternate math-prefixed courses with their advisor in order to qualify to take STAT 2013 next.		
Hours		11
Spring		
ENGL 1213	Composition II	3
STAT 2013	Elementary Statistics (A)	3
or STAT 2053	or Elementary Statistics for the Social Sciences (A)	
or STAT 2023	or Elementary Statistics for Business and Economics (A)	
General Education courses		10
Hours		16
Sophomore		
Fall		
SPM 2843	Sports and the Media	3
MC 2003	Mass Media Style and Structure	3
MC 2023	Electronic Communication	3
General Education courses		6
Start foreign language if requirement not met in high school. (MC 2003 and MC 2023 could be taken as late as junior fall.)		
Hours		15
Spring		
MMJ 3153	Fundamentals of Video and Studio Production	3
MMJ 3263	Multimedia Reporting	3
SPM 3813	Sports Reporting Across the Media	3
College and Elective courses		6
MMJ 3153, MMJ 3263 and SPM 3813 can be delayed until junior year.		
Hours		15
Junior		
Fall		
SPM 3863	Electronic Sports Reporting (Fall only JR/SR year)	3
Choice(s) from "Pick Two" List or MMJ 3913 specifically if pursuing Production option (JR/SR year). Fall choices include:		3
SPM 4053	Sports Announcing	
SPM 4833	Sports Information Systems	
MMJ 3873	Podcast and Audio Production	
MMJ 3913	Multimedia Content Creation	
MMJ 4960	Live Field Production	
Major, College, and Elective courses		9
Hours		15
Spring		
MMJ 4393	Data Journalism (Must pass STAT first)	3
Choice(s) from "Pick Two" List or SPM 4813 if pursuing Production option. Spring choices include:		3
SPM 4813	Sports Media Production	

SPM 4853	Advanced Sports Writing	
MMJ 3313	Multimedia Editing	
MMJ 4433	Multimedia Feature Writing and Storytelling	
MC 4143	Ethics and Issues in Mass Communications	3
Major, College, and Elective courses		6
Hours		15
Senior		
Fall		
MC 4163	Mass Communication Law	3
Major, College, "Pick Two" and/or Elective courses		9
Hours		12
Spring		
SPM 4883	Sports Media Capstone	3
Major, College, and Elective courses		12
Hours		15
Total Hours		114

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Speak with academic advisor about saving General Education electives and Humanities (H) for Upper-division courses with International (I) and Diversity (D) dimensions.