

# 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
<b>Freshman</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
ENGL 1113	Composition I	3
General Education courses		11
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.		
<b>Hours</b>		<b>14</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
ENGL 1213	Composition II	3
STAT 2013	Elementary Statistics (Q)	3
or STAT 2053	or Elementary Statistics for the Social Sciences (Q)	
or STAT 2023	or Elementary Statistics for Business and Economics (Q)	
General Education courses		10
<b>Hours</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Sophomore</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
SPM 2843	Sports and the Media (Fall only)	3
MC 2003	Mass Media Style and Structure	3
MC 2023	Digital Media Essentials	3
General Education courses		6
Start foreign language if requirement not met in high school.		
Note: MC 2003 and MC 2023 could be taken as late as junior fall if necessary.		
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
MMJ 3153	Fundamentals of Video and Studio Production	3
SPM 3813	Sports Reporting for Multimedia	3
College or Elective courses or MMJ 3263 Multimedia Reporting from "Pick Three" List		9
Note: MMJ 3153 and SPM 3813 could be delayed until junior year if necessary.		
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Junior</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
SPM 3863	Advanced Sports Reporting for Multimedia (Fall only JR or SR year)	3
Choices from "Pick Three" List to be taken in JR and SR years. Fall options typically include:		3
SPM 4053	Sports Announcing	
SPM 4833	Sports Information	
MMJ 3873	Podcast and Audio Production	
MMJ 3913	Multimedia Content Creation	
MMJ 4960	Live Production	
Major, College, or Elective courses		9
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
MMJ 4393	Data Journalism (must pass STAT first)	3

Choices from "Pick Three" List to be taken in JR and SR years. Spring options typically include:

SPM 4813	Sports Media Production	
SPM 4853	Advanced Sports Writing (often Senior Year - requires MMJ 3263 first)	
MMJ 3263	Multimedia Reporting (good choice for sophomore or junior year spring)	
MMJ 3313	Multimedia Editing	
MMJ 4433	Multimedia Feature Writing and Storytelling	
MC 4143	Ethics and Issues in Mass Communications	3
Major, College, or Elective courses		6
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Senior</b>		
<b>Fall</b>		
MC 4163	Mass Communication Law	3
Major, College, "Pick Three" or Elective courses		12
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Spring</b>		
SPM 4883	Sports Media Capstone (Spring only)	3
Major, College, or Elective courses		12
<b>Hours</b>		<b>15</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>120</b>

<sup>1</sup> Speak with academic advisor about saving General Education, Humanities (H) or elective choices to meet upper-division general education requirements or the Global Cultural Competency (G) requirement.