MINOR IN **JOURNALISM** REVISED 09/13 Note: if you are a communications major (of any concentration), you may NOT complete this minor. Course Title **Prerequisites** Completed **Notes** [3 units] Core Requirement: Take the following course GE D.1 **COMM 233** Mass Communication in Modern Society [GE D.5] [3 units] Core Elective: Select one of the following courses COMM 310 Mass Media Ethics **COMM 407** COMM 233, jr. **Communications Law** COMM 425 History and Philosophy of American Mass Communication [GE D.5] Comm 233, jr. Journalism Concentration Requirements: Take all three of these courses [9 units] **COMM 101** Writing for the Mass Media **ENGL 101** "C" required for both tracks **COMM 201** Reporting for Mass Media I **COMM 101** "C" required for print track П **COMM 202** Reporting for Mass Media II COMM 101 "C" required for broadcast track сомм Course 372: required for broadcast track 372 Prerequisite COMM COMM COMM OR 101 201 202 Sequence сомм 471: required for print track (consult with an advisor) 471 **SELECT ONE TRACK: PRINT OR BROADCAST** [3 units] **PRINT Journalism Track Requirement: Take the following course COMM 471** News Media Production [UDW] **COMM 201** fall/spring only **PRINT Journalism Track Elective: Select one of the following courses** [3 units] COMM 331 **News Literacy** COMM 233 **COMM 332 Editing and Design** COMM 201 **COMM 334** Feature Article Writing [UDW] COMM 101 **COMM 335** Public Affairs Reporting [UDW] COMM 201 COMM 380 Interactive Media Design COMM 317 **COMM 434** Magazine Industry and Production (info: http://tuskmagazine.fullerton.edu) COMM 201 or 334 spring only COMM 435 Opinion Writing [UDW] ENGL 101, jr. COMM 436 Reporting on the Entertainment Industry [UDW] COMM 201 or 202 COMM 437 **Advanced Magazine Writing** COMM 334 fall only **COMM 438T** Specialized Reporting [UDW] COMM 201 or 202 OR [3 units] BROADCAST Journalism Track Requirement: Take the following course **COMM 372** TV News Production **COMM 202** fall/spring only [3 units] **BROADCAST Journalism Track Elective: Select one of the following courses** COMM 331 **News Literacy** COMM 233

[21 units] 7 TOTAL COMMUNICATIONS COURSES Advising Notes

COMM 334

COMM 335

COMM 371

COMM 380

COMM 435

COMM 436

COMM 438T

COMM 472

• General Education: communications GE courses (GE D.5: COMM 233 and COMM 425) are permitted to double count for both GE and the minor; GE advising is available at the university Academic Advisement Center (AAC): http://www.fullerton.edu/aac

COMM 101

COMM 201

COMM 202

COMM 317

COMM 372

ENGL 101, jr.

COMM 201 or 202

COMM 201 or 202

- "C" Requirement: Students must earn a "C" or better in 1) minor courses that are prerequisites for other minor courses taken, and 2) courses noted as "'C' required" on the checklist; a "C minus [C-]" will not fulfill a " 'C' required" designated course
- **Transfer courses:** The registration system recognizes prerequisite completion if the final grades ("C" or better) are correctly entered on the TDA. If transfer prerequisites are not yet entered, you may need to submit documentation (e.g., copy of transcript) to the communications office (CP-400) PRIOR to enrollment. For a list of CA community college equivalencies, check http://www.assist.org; non-articulated courses may be approved: see a faculty concentration advisor
- Minor advising: Faculty Advisors: office hour flyers available in the communications office (CP-405); professional and peer advisors are available in the College of Communications Advisement Center (CP-425)
- · Course Substitutions: under special circumstances, you may substitute other comm classes with approval from a concentration faculty advisor

Feature Article Writing [UDW]

Public Affairs Reporting [UDW]

Radio News Production [UDW]

Specialized Reporting [UDW]

Advanced Electronic News Production

Reporting on the Entertainment Industry [UDW]

Interactive Media Design

Opinion Writing [UDW]

- "jr.": junior standing (60+ units)
- Student may need to be a declared journalism minor to enroll in select COMM courses: check the "Enrollment Requirements" description in the course details on Titan Online