MEDIA PRODUCTION, MINOR

Requirements for a minor may be completed at any campus location offering the specified courses for the minor. Students may not change from a campus that offers their major to a campus that does not offer their major for the purpose of completing a minor.

Program Description

The Media Production Minor is designed to introduce students to the field of media studies through one of several General Education courses, hone their media writing skills, and provide basic training and experience in the media production areas of graphic and multimedia design, photography, audio and sound, and video. The minor is intended to complement and add value to students major field of study.

Program Requirements

Requirements for the Minor

A grade of C or better is required for all courses in the minor, as specified by Senate Policy 59-10 (http://senate.psu.edu/policies-and-rules-for-undergraduate-students/59-00-minors-and-certificates/#59-10).

Some courses may require prerequisites.

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Select 6 credits from the following 400 level courses:

- COMM 406  Electronic News Gathering and Editing
- COMM 415  Advanced Photography for Communications
- COMM 436  Advanced Audio Production
- COMM 437  Advanced Documentary Production
- COMM 441  Advanced Graphic Design for Communications
- COMM 468  Graphic Applications in Print Communications
- COMM 470A Convergent Media News Service: Newspaper Production
- COMM 470B Convergent Media News Service: TV
- COMM 470C Convergent Media News Service: Radio and Online Publications
- COMM 481  Advanced Multimedia Production
- ENGL 420  Writing for the Web

Select 6 credits from the following 100-300 level courses:

- COMM 215  Basic Photography for Communications
- COMM 241  Graphic Design for Communications
- COMM 242  Basic Video/Filmmaking
- COMM 270  Introduction to Multimedia Production
- COMM 282  Television Field Production
- COMM 283  Television Studio Production
- COMM 337  Intermediate Documentary Production
- COMM 347  Audio Production
- COMM 383  Advanced Video Production
- GD 100  Introduction to Graphic Design
- PHOTO 100 Introduction to Photography

Advanced Production Skills: