University of Missouri
Bachelor of Journalism
Transfer Guide for Metropolitan Community College

This plan is intended only as a general guide based on requirements in the 2013-2014 University of Missouri undergraduate catalog. Check the following web sites for current course descriptions, prerequisites, course equivalencies and other specific details about the journalism degree:

1) College Catalog [http://registrar.missouri.edu]
2) Transfer Equivalencies [http://transfercourses.missouri.edu or http://transfer.org]
3) General Education [http://generaleducation.missouri.edu]
4) Missouri School of Journalism [http://journalism.missouri.edu/undergraduate]

Admission to the Upper-Class Status and Emphasis/Interest Area - Transfer students are admitted to upper-class status in Journalism on a space-available basis when they complete 60 credit hours, fulfill all prerequisites on page 1 of this transfer guide and establish a cumulative GPA of at least 3.0 in courses taken at MU. Completion of at least one semester at MU is required for transfer students to establish an MU GPA and qualify for admission. Because of that, students who plan to major in journalism are encouraged to transfer to Missouri after taking no more than 45 credit hours elsewhere. Students who transfer to Mizzou without any lower-division journalism courses (JOURN 1100, 2000, 2100, or 2150) will need at least three semesters to complete the lower-division journalism courses.

For more information about the journalism program, contact the Missouri School of Journalism Undergraduate Advising at (573) 882-1045 or JournalismStudentServices@missouri.edu.

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<td><strong>Course</strong></td>
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<td><strong>English Composition (3 credits)</strong></td>
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<td>ENGLISH 1000 Exposition and Argumentation</td>
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<td><strong>College Algebra (3 credits)</strong></td>
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<td>MATH 1100 College Algebra</td>
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<td><strong>Foreign Language (12-13 credits in a single foreign language)</strong></td>
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<td>Requirement is waived if level 4 of a single foreign language was completed in High School</td>
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<td><strong>Biological, Mathematical, or Physical Science (9 credits)</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>STAT 1200 Intro Statistical Reasoning or STAT 1300 Elementary Statistics (Fulfills MU’s Math Reasoning Proficiency (MRP) requirement)</td>
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<td>This course satisfies the statistics requirement but it is not MRP at Metropolitan Community College. If you take this course, you will also need to choose an MRP course to fulfill MU's MRP requirement.</td>
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<td>Additional courses in biological anthropology, astronomy, biology, chemistry, geology, math, and physics. One course must be a laboratory course.</td>
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<td><strong>Social and Behavioral Science (15 credits)</strong></td>
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<td>HIST 1100 Survey of American History to 1865 or HIST 1200 Survey of American History since 1865 or HIST 1410 African-American History or HIST 2210 Twentieth Century American or HIST 2440 History of Missouri</td>
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<td>POL SC 1100 American Government or POL SC 1700 Intro to Political Science or POL SC 2100 State Government</td>
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<td>ECONOM 1014 Principles of Microeconomics and ECONOMICS 1015 Principles of Macroeconomics</td>
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<td>ANTHRO (any course except 2050, 2052 or 2151) or HDFS 2400 Principles of Human Development or PSYCH (any course) or SOCIOL (any course)</td>
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<td><strong>Humanistic Studies (6 credits)</strong></td>
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<td>Literature (Any literature course)</td>
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<td>Other Humanity</td>
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<td><strong>Lower-Division Journalism (13 credits) (Up to six lower-division journalism credits may be transferred)</strong></td>
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<td>JOURN 1010 Career Explorations</td>
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<td>JOURN 1100 Principles of American Journalism</td>
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<td>JOURN 2000 Cross-Cultural Journalism</td>
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<td>JOURN 2100 News</td>
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<td>JOURN 2150 Fundamentals of Multimedia Journalism</td>
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<td>Upper-Division Science - courses must be 3000 or 4000 level. Courses in anthropology, astronomy, biology, chemistry, geology, physics, psychology, sociology, or statistics.</td>
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<td>Upper-Division Social Science - courses must be 3000 or 4000 level. Courses in economics, geography, history, or political science.</td>
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<td>Upper-Division Humanistic Studies - course must be 3000 or 4000 level. Courses in music or art history/appreciation, classical humanities, literature, classics, philosophy, religious studies.</td>
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### Other Upper-Division Non-Journalism (13 credits)

Fifteen hours of non-Journalism courses beyond the 65 credits listed above. Courses must be 3000 or 4000 level.

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<td>JOURN 3000 History of American Journalism or JOURN 4568 History of Photojournalism</td>
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<td>JOURN 4000 Communication Law</td>
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### Interest Area (25 credits)

Courses in chosen interest area (see list of interest areas below)

### Minimum Credits for a Bachelor of Journalism

123

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**Courses That Do Not Count:** The School of Journalism accepts most courses from other MU divisions (or the equivalent transfer courses). Some courses, however, are considered duplicative of offerings in the School of Journalism or viewed as journalism-related courses taught by other divisions. Because accrediting standards limit the number of journalism credits a student may take, these journalism-related courses will not be accepted for credit toward the Bachelor of Journalism degree:

- Science and Agricultural Journalism. All courses unless cross-listed as Journalism courses or as approved electives.
- Communication. All courses related to television, radio, production, public relations and media.
- Internship courses taken in other divisions if the internship is journalism-related.
- JOURNALISM 1000, The News Media: Journalism and Advertising in a Democratic Society, is for non-journalism majors.
- Non-college level courses. Courses in this category at MU are usually numbered below 1000 and are considered remedial in nature.
- Political Science. POLITICAL SCIENCE 4120 Politics and the Media.
- Sociology. SOCIOLOGY 3400 Politics of the Media.
- Student Success Center. STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER 2100 Career Explorations. (Considered duplicative of Career Explorations in Journalism.)
- Miscellaneous. Generally, any course in another division with “advertising,” “public relations,” “media,” “communication,” “news” or similar words in its title will not be accepted for credit toward the Bachelor of Journalism degree. If in doubt, check with your academic advisor to make sure a course will count.

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**Journalism Interest Areas**

- Arts and Culture Journalism
- Business and Economics Journalism
- Convergence Photojournalism
- Convergence Radio Reporting and Producing
- Convergence Television Reporting
- Emerging Media
- Entrepreneurial Journalism
- International Journalism
- International Strategic Communication
- Magazine Design
- Magazine Editing
- Magazine Publishing and Management
- Magazine Writing
- Multimedia Producing
- Multiplatform Design
- News Design
- News Editing
- News Reporting
- Photojournalism
- Radio-Television Producing
- Radio-Television Reporting and Anchoring
- Radio-Television Sports Journalism
- Radio-Television Watchdog Journalism
- Science and Health Journalism
- Sports Journalism
- Strategic Communication: Account Management
- Strategic Communication: Art Direction
- Strategic Communication: Copywriting
- Strategic Communication: Interactive
- Strategic Communication: Media Planning
- Strategic Communication: Public Relations
- Strategic Communication: Research
- Visual Editing and Management
- Watchdog Journalism
- Special Offering: Individually Designed Interest Area
### Metropolitan Community College Course | MU Equivalent | Metropolitan Community College Course | MU Equivalent
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Behavioral Sciences | Humanities (continued)
ANTH 100 | ART 20100 | PHI 101 | PHIL HUM
ANTH 110 | ANTHRO 2030 | PHI 102 | PHI HUM
CRUJ 165 | SOCIO 3600 | PHI 200 | PHI 1200
PSY 140 | PSYCH 1000 | PHI 201 | PHI 3000
PSY 143 | PSYCH BEH | PHI 203 | PHI 1000
PSY 144 | PSYCH BEH | PHI 204 | PHI HUM
PSY 148 | PSYCH BEH | PHI 205 | PHI 2400
PSY 162 | PSYCH BEH | SPAN 209 | SPAN HUM
PSY 210 | PSYCH BEH | SPDR 100 | COMMUN 1200
PSY 220 | PSYCH BEH | SPDR 106 | THEATR HUM
PSY 230 | PSYCH BEH | SPDR 110 | COMMUN 3572
PSY 240 | PSYCH 2410 | SPDR 114 | THEATR HUM
PSY 243 | PSYCH BEH | SPDR 120 | THEATR 1400
PSY 245 | PSYCH 2310 | SPDR 128 | FILM S HUM
PSY 260 | PSYCH BEH | | |
PSY 270 | PSYCH BEH | | |
SOCI 101 | SOCIO 1360 | CHIN 101 | CHINESE 1100
SOCI 160 | SOCIO 1000 | FREN 101 | FRENCH 1100
SOCI 164 | SOCIO BEH | FREN 102 | FRENCH 1200
SOCI 165 | SOCIO 3600 | FREN 203 | FRENCH 2100
SOCI 168 | SOCIO BEH | GER 101 | GERMAN 1100
SOCI 169 | SOCIO BEH | GER 102 | GERMAN 1200
SOCI 170 | ANTHRO 1000 | GER 203 | GERMAN 2100
SOCI 210 | NATIVE AMER ART | SPAN 101 | SPAN 1100
SOCI 217 | SOCIO BEH | SPAN 102 | SPAN 1200
ENGL 165 | MISC BEH | SPAN 111 | SPAN 1200
SOCI 271 | SOCIO 2230 | SPAN 112 | SPAN 2100
SPDR 103 | COMMUN 3561 | SPAN 113 | SPAN 3100
SPDR 133 | COMMUN 3470 | | |

### Humanities

| Metropolitan Community College Course | MU Equivalent | Metropolitan Community College Course | MU Equivalent |
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ART 100 | ART 1010 | ART 1100 | ART 1110 |
ART 108 | ART 1120 | ART 1230 | ART 1230 |
ART 150 | ART 1280 | ART 1300 | ART 1300 |
ART 151 | | ART 1310 | |
ART 159 | AR 1120 | AR 1130 | |
BIO 120 | BIO 120 | BIO 120 | |
ENGL 129 | ENGL 120 | ENGL 120 | |
ENGL 214 | ENGL 123 | ENGL 124 | |
ENGL 216 | ENGL 125 | ENGL 126 | |
ENGL 218 | ENGL 127 | ENGL 128 | |
ENGL 220 | ENGL 129 | ENGL 130 | |
ENGL 221 | ENGL 131 | ENGL 132 | |
ENGL 222 | ENGL 133 | ENGL 134 | |
ENGL 223 | ENGL 135 | ENGL 136 | |
ENGL 230 | ENGL 137 | ENGL 138 | |
ENGL 232 | ENGL 139 | ENGL 140 | |
ENGL 234 | ENGL 141 | ENGL 142 | |
ENGL 240 | ENGL 143 | ENGL 144 | |
ENGL 242 | ENGL 145 | ENGL 146 | |
ENGL 250 | ENGL 147 | ENGL 148 | |
ENGL 254 | ENGL 149 | ENGL 150 | |
ENGL 255 | ENGL 151 | ENGL 152 | |
ENGL 256 | ENGL 153 | ENGL 154 | |
ENGL 260 | ENGL 155 | ENGL 156 | |
ENGL 262 | ENGL 157 | ENGL 158 | |
ENGL 264 | ENGL 159 | ENGL 160 | |
ENGL 265 | ENGL 161 | ENGL 162 | |
ENGL 267 | ENGL 163 | ENGL 164 | |
ENGL 268 | ENGL 165 | ENGL 166 | |
ENGL 299 | ENGL 167 | ENGL 168 | |
HUMN 140 | MISC HUM | MISC HUM | MISC HUM |
HUMN 141 | HUMN 142 | HUMN 143 | HUMN 144 |
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HUMN 208 | HUMN 176 | HUMN 177 | HUMN 178 |
MISC HUM | MISC HUM | MISC HUM | MISC HUM |
MSCM 112 | COMMUN 2100 | MUSI 107 | MUSIC N121 |
MUSI 108 | MUSIC N130 | MUSI 110 | MUSIC THR1220 & 1230 |
MUSI 111 | MUSIC THR1221 & 1231 | MUSI 116 | MUSIC N1413 |
MUSI 160 | MUSIC N1513 | PHIL 100 | PHIL 1000 |