

### 3 Year Program for Bachelor of Science in Journalism Degree in Broadcasting Tentative Three-Year Plan of Study

The program outline below shows how a student can earn the Bachelor of Science in Journalism degree in three years at BGSU. Before you enroll at BGSU, **consult with a College of Arts and Sciences advisor (419-372-2015)** so that you earn the right credits that will count toward the degree.

<b>Credits to earn before enrolling at BGSU through AP, CLEP, PSEO, or Dual Enrollment transfer credit</b>			
BGSU Course Subject and Title	Credits	BGSU Course Subject and Title	Credits
<b>JOUR 1000 Intro to Journalism</b>	<b>3</b>	GSW 1120 Academic Writing	3
GSW 1110 Intro to Academic Writing	3	Foreign Language IV*	3
Foreign Language III*	3	Social Sciences #2 (US HIST)	3
Social Sciences #1 (POLS)	3	Quantitative Literacy	3
CS or MIS Course	3	COMM 1020 or 2050 or THFM 1410 or 2020	3
<b>Total Hours Completed 30</b>			
<b>Fall Semester Year 1</b>		<b>Spring Semester Year 1</b>	
<b>JOUR 2000 Introduction to Journalistic Writing</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>JOUR 2500 Reporting</b>	<b>3</b>
Natural Science (Lab)	4	<b>JOUR 2550 Multimedia Reporting Skills</b>	<b>1</b>
Social Sciences #3 (ECON)	3	Social Sciences #4	3
Arts & Humanities #1 (PHIL)	3	Natural Sciences (Non-Lab)	3
Literature Course (ENG)	3	Arts & Humanities #3	3
		Minor/Elective	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>16</b>
<b>Fall Semester Year 2</b>		<b>Spring Semester Year 2</b>	
<b>JOUR 3150 Visual Editing</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>JOUR 3550 Online Journalism</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>JOUR 4000 (credit from summer internship)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>JOUR 4500 or JOUR Elective #1 (from 3850, 4550, 4650, 4750, 4850, 4950) If elective #1 is taken in fall, then elective 4500 is to be taken in spring.</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>JOUR 4500 or JOUR Elective #1 ( from 3850, 4550, 4650, 4750, 4850, 4950). If 4500 is taken in fall, then elective #1 is to be taken in spring.</b>	<b>3</b>	Social Sciences #6	3
Social Sciences #5	3	Minor/Electives	6
Minor/Electives	6		
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Fall Semester Year 3</b>		<b>Spring Semester Year 3</b>	
<b>JOUR 3300 Broadcast News</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>JOUR 4300 Advanced Broadcast News</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>JOUR 4000 (credit from summer internship)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>JOUR Elective #2 (Requires departmental approval)</b>	<b>3</b>
Minor/Electives/Undergraduate Research	12	Minor/Electives/Undergraduate Research	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

- *\*Assumes the student has had at least 2 years of the same foreign language in high school. This degree requires 4 years of the same language in high school or four semesters (through the 2020 level or equivalent) of the same language at the university level.*
- *For approved Arts & Humanities, Fine Arts, Literature, Natural Sciences, Social Sciences course options, please consult the College of Arts & Sciences Student Handbook at: <http://www.bgsu.edu/arts-and-sciences/student-resources.html>*

**Any questions? Contact an advisor in the College of Arts & Sciences at 419-372-2015**