

**LEHMAN COLLEGE  
OF THE  
CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK**

**DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM, COMMUNICATION AND THEATRE**

**CURRICULUM CHANGE**

Name of Program and Degree Award:

Hegis Number: 0601.00

Program Code: 28180

Effective Term: Spring 2017

1. **Type of Change:** *Numeric Code, Change in Degree Requirements*

2. **From:**

**42-43 Credit Major in Film & TV Studies, B.A.**

The Film & TV Studies major consists of 42-43 credits in one of two concentrations: Film or TV. Students must complete all core requirements before taking area of concentration courses. The total number of credits (42 or 43) depends on whether students participate in the Film & TV Studies Honors Program.

Note: Students must complete FTS 4910 and its COREQ FTS 4920 in order to be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

Note: All 300 and 400-level Film and TV Studies courses have either a specific course prerequisite, or require completion of 60 credits and department permission.

**REQUIRED CORE (21 credits)**

Students must complete the following courses before proceeding to the concentration:

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	JRN 211	Introduction to Multilingual Media
3	FTS 212	Introduction to Film and Television
3	MCS 214	Introduction to Media and Digital Culture
<del>3</del>	<del>FTS 213</del>	<del>History of Cinema</del>
3	FTS 215	Camera and Lighting
3	FTS 224	Editing
3	FTS 226	Audio Production

**REQUIRED CONCENTRATION (21-22 credits)**

Each student must complete a concentration either in Film or in TV.

**Concentration in Film (21-22 credits).**

## Required courses (15 credits):

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	FTS 2580	Film Analysis
3	FTS 218	Animation and Anime Narratives
3	FTS 309	Screenwriting
3	FTS 316	Film and Video Production
3	FTS 420	Cinema Aesthetics and Criticism

3 credits *Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

3-4 credits *Capstone*

**Either:**

3 FTS 4810 Independent Project in Film & TV Studies

**Or:**

3 FTS 4910 Honors Tutorial in Film & TV Studies

1 FTS 4920 Honors Colloquium in Film & TV Studies

To enroll in the honors capstone courses, FTS 4910 and FTS 4920, students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. FTS 4910 and FTS 4920 must be taken together.

Note: Only students who complete FTS 4910 and its COREQ FTS 4920 will be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

**Concentration in TV (21-22 credits).**

## Required courses (15 credits):

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	FTS 2580	Film Analysis
3	FTS 316	Film and Video Production
3	FTS 317	Writing for Broadcast TV and Radio
3	FTS 3710	TV and Cultivation Theory
3	FTS 352	Television Production

3 credits: *Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

3-4 Credits. *Capstone*

**Either:**

3 FTS 4810 Independent Project in Film & TV Studies

**Or:**

3 FTS 4910 Honors Tutorial in Film & TV Studies

1 FTS 4920 Honors Colloquium in Film & TV Studies

Note: To enroll in the honors capstone courses, FTS 4910 and FTS 4920, students must have earned at least 90, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. FTS 4910 and FTS 4920 must be taken together.

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Note: Students must complete FTS 491 and its COREQ FTS 492 in order to be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

Note: All 300 and 400-level Film and TV Studies courses have either a specific course prerequisite, or require completion of 60 credits and department permission.

**REQUIRED CORE (21 credits)**

Students must complete the following courses before proceeding to the concentration:

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	JRN 211	Introduction to Multilingual Media
3	FTS 212	Introduction to Film and Television
3	MCS 214	Introduction to Media and Digital Culture

Either:

3	FTS 209	<u>History of Cinema I</u>
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OR:

3	FTS 210	<u>History of Cinema II</u>
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3	FTS 215	Camera and Lighting
3	FTS 224	Editing
3	FTS 226	Audio Production

**REQUIRED CONCENTRATION (21-22 credits)**

Each student must complete a concentration either in Film or in TV.

**Concentration in Film (21-22 credits).**

Required courses (15 credits):

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	<u>FTS 258</u>	<u>Film &amp; TV Analysis</u>
3	FTS 218	Animation and Anime Narratives
3	FTS 309	Screenwriting
3	FTS 316	Film and Video Production
3	FTS 420	Cinema Aesthetics and Criticism

3 credits     *Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.



History of Cinema II. The combining of two courses, History of Cinema I and History of Cinema II, created confusion among students and faculty with the compressing of materials into one course. The department decided exploration of materials in film history is better served by two courses, hence FTS209 and FTS210. Also, FTS209 or FTS210 remain as a requirement in the FTS major.

5. **Date of departmental approval: December 16, 2015**

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**CURRICULUM CHANGE**

Name of Program and Degree Award:

Hegis Number: 0699.00

Program Code: 20471

Effective Term: Spring 2017

1. **Type of Change:** *Numeric Code*

2. **From:**

**42-43 Credit Major in Journalism, B.A.**

The Journalism major consists of 42-43 credits in one of two concentrations: Journalism or Multilingual Media. Students must complete all core requirements before taking area of concentration courses. Students in Multilingual Media must select a language other than English (LOTE) and must achieve the level of proficiency required by the LOTE courses chosen. Students choose two courses of three in translation, advanced writing, phonetics and diction in the chosen LOTE. The total number of credits (42 or 43) depends on whether students participate in the Journalism Honors Program.

Note: Students must complete JRN 4910 and its COREQ JRN 4920 to be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

Note: All 300 and 400-level Journalism courses have either a specific course prerequisite, or require completion of 60 credits and department permission.

**REQUIRED CORE (24 credits)**

Students must complete the following courses before proceeding to the concentration:

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	JRN 211	Introduction to Multilingual Media
3	FTS 212	Introduction to Film and Television
3	MCS 214	Introduction to Media and Digital Culture
3	JRN 221	Reporting I
3	JRN 222	New Media
3	JRN 2230	Journalism Ethics
3	JRN 307	Multimedia Editing and Proofreading
3	JRN 321	Reporting II

**REQUIRED CONCENTRATION (18-19 credits)**

Each student is must complete a concentration either in Journalism or in Multilingual Media.

**Concentration in Journalism (18-19 credits).**

*Required courses (15 credits):*

3	JRN 3200	Interviewing
3	JRN 323	Feature Writing

*Choose two of the following three courses:*

3	JRN 300	Advanced Writing Workshop
3	JRN 302	Covering Race, Gender, and Ethnicity
3	JRN 322	Online News Page Design and Editing

*3 credits Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

*3-4 Credits. Capstone*

**Either:**

3	JRN 4810	Independent Project in Journalism
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**Or:**

3	JRN 4910	Honors Tutorial in Journalism
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1	JRN 4920	Honors Colloquium in Journalism
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To enroll in the honors capstone courses, JRN 4910 and JRN 4920, students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. JRN 4910 and JRN 4920 must be taken together. Note: Only students who complete JRN 4910 and its COREQ JRN 4920 will be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

**Concentration in Multilingual Media (18-19 credits).**

*Required courses (15 credits):*

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	JRN 3200	Interviewing
3	JRN 323	Feature Writing

6 Credits. Foreign language (LOTE). Students must select a target language other than English and complete two of the following types of courses on translation, advanced writing, and phonetics in that language. For example, the student completes two courses from one target language group:

French:

FRE 307: Advanced Translation.

FRE 306: Advanced Composition.

FRE 308: Theory and Practice of French Phonetics.

Italian:

ITA 307: Advanced Translation.  
 ITA 303: Advanced Grammar and Composition.  
 ITA 308: Theory and Practice of Italian Phonetics.

Spanish:  
 SPA 307: Translation.  
 SPA 306: Advanced Spanish Composition.  
 SPA 308: Spanish Phonetics and Diction.

Students may complete courses in another target language as approved by the Department.

*3 credits*      *Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

*3-4 Credits. Capstone*

**Either:**

3	JRN 4810	Independent Project in Journalism
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**Or:**

3	JRN 4910	Honors Tutorial in Journalism and
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1	JRN 4920	Honors Colloquium in Journalism.
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**3. To:**

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**Concentration in Journalism (18-19 credits).**

*Required courses (15 credits):*

3	<u>JRN 320</u>	Interviewing
3	JRN 323	Feature Writing

*Choose two of the following three courses:*

3	JRN 300	Advanced Writing Workshop
3	JRN 302	Covering Race, Gender, and Ethnicity
3	JRN 322	Online News Page Design and Editing

*3 credits Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

*3-4 Credits. Capstone*

**Either:**

3	<u>JRN 481</u>	Independent Project in Journalism
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**Or:**

3	<u>JRN 491</u>	Honors Tutorial in Journalism
1	<u>JRN 492</u>	Honors Colloquium in Journalism

To enroll in the honors capstone courses, JRN 491 and JRN 492, students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. JRN 491 and JRN 492 must be taken together. Note: Only students who complete JRN 491 and its COREQ JRN 492 will be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

**Concentration in Multilingual Media (18-19 credits).**

*Required courses (15 credits):*

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	<u>JRN 320</u>	Interviewing
3	JRN 323	Feature Writing

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3 credits      *Elective.* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

3-4 Credits. *Capstone*

**Either:**

3                    JRN 481                    Independent Project in Journalism

**Or:**

3                    JRN 491                    Honors Tutorial in Journalism and

1                    JRN 492                    Honors Colloquium in Journalism.

Note: To enroll in the honors capstone courses, JRN 491 and JRN 492, students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. JRN 491 and JRN 492 must be taken together. Note: Only students who complete JRN 491 and its COREQ JRN 492 will be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

**4. Rationale (Explain how this change will impact learning outcomes of the department and Major/Program):**

- (a) Number changes reflect change in course numbering from 4-digit to 3-digit numbers.

**5. Date of departmental approval: December 16, 2015**

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**CURRICULUM CHANGE**

Name of Program and Degree Award:

Hegis Number: 0601.00

Program Code: 36998

Effective Term: Spring 2017

1. **Type of Change:** *Numeric Code*

2. **From:**

**42-43 Credit Major in Media Communications Studies, B.A.**

**3. Description:** The Media Communications Studies major consists of 42-43 credits. Students must complete all core requirements before taking required courses. The total number of credits (42 or 43) depends on whether students participate in the Media Communications Studies Honors Program.

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**REQUIRED CORE (21 credits)**

Students must first complete the following courses:

<i>Credits</i>	<i>Course</i>	<i>Title</i>
3	JRN 211	Introduction to Multilingual Media
3	FTS 212	Introduction to Film and Television
3	MCS 214	Introduction to Media and Digital Culture
3	MCS 2100	Global Cinema
3	MCS 220	Intro to Public Relations and Marketing
3	MCS 244	Communication in Society
3	MCS 307	Media Industries I

**SPECIALIZED REQUIREMENTS (21-22 credits)**

3	MCS 300	Corporate Communications
3	MCS 308	Media Industries II
3	MCS 334	Documentary
3	MCS 347	Advertising
3	FTS 420	Cinema Aesthetics and Criticism

3 *Elective:* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

3-4 Credits. *Capstone*

**Either:**

3 MCS 4810 Independent Project in Media Studies

**Or:**

3 MCS 4910 Honors Tutorial in Media Studies

1 MCS 4920 Honors Colloquium in Media Studies

Note: To enroll in the honors capstone courses, MCS 4910 and 4920, students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. MCS 4910 and MCS 4920 must be taken together.

Note: Only students who complete MCS 4910 and its COREQ MCS 4920 will be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

3. **To:**

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3	MCS 300	Corporate Communications
3	MCS 308	Media Industries II
3	MCS 334	Documentary
3	MCS 347	Advertising
3	FTS 420	Cinema Aesthetics and Criticism

3 *Elective:* To be chosen after consultation with advisor.

3-4 Credits. *Capstone*

**Either:**

3 MCS 481 Independent Project in Media Studies

**Or:**

3 MCS 491 Honors Tutorial in Media Studies

1 MCS 492 Honors Colloquium in Media Studies

Note: To enroll in the honors capstone courses, MCS 491 and 492, students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major, and have department permission. MCS 491 and MCS 492 must be taken together.

Note: Only students who complete MCS 491 and its COREQ MCS 492 will be eligible for Departmental Honors upon graduation.

**MINOR:**

The minor in Media Communication Studies consists of 12 credits selected from the list of the required courses for the Media Communication Studies (MCS) major. Media Communication Studies Minor is distributed as follows:

3-4 Credits

3 MCS 214,  
3 one MCS 200-level course  
3 one MCS 300-level course  
3 one MCS 400 level course

**4. Rationale (Explain how this change will impact learning outcomes of the department and Major/Program):**

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1. **Type of Change:** *New Minor*

2. **To:**

**MINOR:**

The minor in Film & TV Studies Minor consists of 12 credits selected from the list of the required courses for Film & TV Studies (FTS) major. Film & TV Studies Minor is distributed as follows:

12 Credits

3 FTS209 or FTS210,

3 one FTS 200-level course

3 one FTS 300-level course

3 one FTS 400 level course

3. **Rationale (Explain how this change will impact learning outcomes of the department and Major/Program):**

- (a) The addition of a Film & TV Studies minor addresses a need and demand from students from other majors who have expressed an interest in expanding their academic studies to become more marketable in pursuing their professional careers or academic studies.

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1. **Type of Change:** *New Minor*

2. **To:**

**MINOR:**

The minor in Journalism consists of 12 credits selected from the list of the required courses for the Journalism (JRN) major. Journalism Minor is distributed as follows:

12 Credits

3 JRN 211,

3 one JRN 200-level course

3 one JRN 300-level course

3 one JRN 400 level course

3. **Rationale (Explain how this change will impact learning outcomes of the department and Major/Program):**

- (a) The addition of a Journalism minor addresses a need and demand from students from other majors who have express an interest in expanding their academic studies to become more marketable in pursuing their professional careers or academic studies.

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12 Credits

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<u>3</u>	<u>one MCS 200-level course</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>one MCS 300-level course</u>
<u>3</u>	<u>one MCS 400 level course</u>

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