Minor in Journalism and Mass Communications

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The William Allen White School of Journalism and Mass Communications prides itself on providing quality education and job-building skills in a student-focused environment. This 18-credit hour program helps students learn to be effective communicators.

Admission to the Minor

Students should complete the admission application online (http://journalism.ku.edu/undergraduate/) at journalism.ku.edu.

Admission Requirements

Admission is limited and competitive. Completion of 24 credit hours with a 2.5 cumulative grade-point average and at least a C in JMC 101 is required. Students may apply during the semester they are completing JMC 101. Students who have completed journalism courses beyond JMC 101 with less than a 2.5 Journalism GPA will be considered on a case-by-case basis. Transfer students must earn a minimum KU cumulative GPA of 2.5 during their first semester.

Regulations

Students must earn a grade of C (2.0) or better in JMC 101, 104 and other select JMC courses to fulfill minor requirements.

Requirements for the Minor

Curriculum Requirements

A total of 18 hours is required for the minor. Students are allowed a choice of additional elective hours, not to exceed a total of 24 JMC credit hours. The journalism minor requires a 2.5 GPA in journalism and a 2.5 cumulative GPA at KU.

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Students complete 12 additional JMC credit hours, of which, at least 6 must be at the 300-level or higher. Students must meet all stated prerequisites for each course to enroll.

If you would like to know more about the Journalism and Mass Communications minor, please contact journalism advising at jadvising@ku.edu or 785-864-4080.