

NEWS, MINOR

Minor in News (C60007M)

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The following courses constitute a "Minor in Communication - News" and must be completed with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 overall for the minor to be noted on the student's record. A minor in Communication - News may only be awarded at the time a student receives a Baccalaureate degree. Please refer to the University Requirements for Minor Areas of Study (<https://bulletin.uakron.edu/undergraduate/important-policies/graduation-requirements/#minor-req>) for specific graduation information regarding minors.

Summary

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		12
Electives		6
Total Hours		18

Required Courses

Code	Title	Hours
COMM 274	Introduction to the Media Industries	3
COMM 364	Legal Issues in Media	3
COMM 300	Newswriting Across the Media	3
COMM 304	Information Gathering & Editing	3
Total Hours		12

Electives

Code	Title	Hours
Select 6 credits of the following:		6
COMM 317	Topics in Media Production ¹	
COMM 487	Advanced Topics in Media Writing ¹	
Total Hours		6

¹ COMM 317 Topics in Media Production and COMM 487 Advanced Topics in Media Writing may be repeated with a change of topic.