

Mass Communication, MA

Requirements

The School of Journalism and Mass Communication offers a Master of Arts in mass communication. The MA program requires 34 s.h. with a thesis. Students who plan to continue on to doctoral studies in the school can complete the required coursework for the master's degree, plus one additional course, and successfully pass a qualifying examination; a thesis is not required.

Students in the MA program in mass communication must complete the following coursework. They are required to take at least two courses in the School of Journalism and Mass Communication selected from the methods, theory, or electives areas.

Course #	Title	Hours
All of these:		
JMC:6100	Communication and Media Colloquium (taken at least four times for 1 s.h. each; should enroll every semester for entire program of study)	4
JMC:6200	Humanistic Approaches to Media Communication	3
JMC:6300	Social Scientific Approaches to Media Communication	3
JMC:6999	Dissertation (must register for at least 3 s.h.)	3
CLAS:5100	Practicum: College Teaching and Professional Development for Teaching Assistants	1
Additional professionalization courses		2
Methods area courses		3
Theory area courses		3
Electives		12

For a more detailed description of the MA program in mass communication, contact the School of Journalism and Mass Communication.