

Sport Media and Culture, Minor

Requirements

The undergraduate minor in sport media and culture requires a minimum of 15 s.h. of coursework, including 6 s.h. in courses numbered 3000 or above. Students must maintain a grade-point average of at least 2.00 in all courses for the minor and in all UI courses for the minor. Coursework in the minor may not be taken pass/nonpass.

Students may apply a maximum of 6 s.h. toward both the minor in sport media and culture and any major, minor, or certificate administered by the School of Journalism and Mass Communication or the Department of American Studies.

The minor in sport media and culture requires the following coursework.

Required Course

Course #	Title	Hours
One of these:		
JMC:1050	Sport and the Media	3
SPST:1074	Inequality in American Sport	3

Sport and Media Courses

Course #	Title	Hours
Two of these, including at least one course numbered 3000 or above:		
JMC:2084	Sport and Film	3
JMC:3135	Digital Media and the Future of Sport	3
JMC:3182	Sport, Scandal, and Strategic Communication in Media Culture	3
JMC:3184	Narrative Sports Journalism	3
JMC:3413	Sports Writing	3
JMC:3540	The Business of Sport Communication	3
SPST:2500	Sport and Technology	3

Sport and Culture Courses

Course #	Title	Hours
Two of these, including at least one course numbered 3000 or above:		
SPST:2078	Women, Sport, and Culture	3
SPST:2079	Race and Ethnicity in Sport	3
SPST:2170	Sport and Globalization	3
SPST:3171	Baseball in America	3
SPST:3172	Football in America	3
SPST:3173	Cultures of Basketball	3
SPST:3178	History of Sport in the United States	3
SPST:3500	The Olympics	3

Academic Plans

Sample Plan of Study

Sample plans represent one way to complete a program of study. Actual course selection and sequence will vary and should be discussed with an academic advisor. For additional sample plans, see MyUI.

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Course	Title	Hours
Academic Career		
Any Semester		
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		Hours
		0
First Year		
Any Semester		
Students typically begin taking courses for the sport media and culture minor during spring semester of their second year, but may begin it at any time.		
		Hours
		0
Second Year		
Spring		
SPST:1074 or JMC:1050	Inequality in American Sport or Sport and the Media	3
		Hours
		3
Third Year		
Fall		
Minor: sport and media course (any level) ^a		3
		Hours
		3
Spring		
Minor: sport and culture course (any level) ^a		3
		Hours
		3
Fourth Year		
Fall		
Minor: sport and media course (3000-level) ^a		3
		Hours
		3
Spring		
Minor: sport and culture course (3000-level) ^a		3
		Hours
		3
		Total Hours
		15

^a See the General Catalog for a list of approved courses.