Curriculum
Writing Minor Journalism Focus
(6 classes)

3 REQUIRED COURSES:

- 2 Journalism Focus core courses:
  - COMM 2304 Principles of Journalism
  - COMM 3314 Journalism Writing

- 1 Writing Minor Capstone course:
  - GIS 4619 Writing Senior Seminar

3 ELECTIVE COURSES:*

- 1 Journalism Focus Elective
  Choose from:
  - COMM 2103 Writing for the Media
  - COMM 3604 Restorative Journalism
  - GAH 1627 Writing from Experience
  - GAH 2180 Intro to Digital Writing
  - GAH 4303 Multimedia Writing
  - GAH 3123 Journalism: Feature Writing
  - GIS 4625 Grassroots Journalism
  - GSS 2173 Reporting as Civic Ethnography

- 2 Additional elective courses:
  Choose from:
  - Courses from any of the Writing Minor Foci:
    - Journalism
    - Professional Writing
    - Creative Writing
    - Academic Writing
    - First-Year Writing
    - NOTE: No more than 1 course from the First-Year Writing category will count toward the Journalism Focus Writing Minor.
  - Other Possible elective courses:
    Where appropriate and approved by the student’s Writing Minor Preceptor, one of the following non-W1 courses may be substituted as electives:
    - COMM 2210 Digital Storytelling
    - COMM Professional Journalism Internship
    - LIIT 3918 Editing Internship

*Communication Studies Majors pursuing a Journalism Focus within the Writing Minor may count no more than three courses toward both the Communication Studies Major and the Writing Minor. Put another way, at least three courses completed for the Journalism Focus must be in addition to the courses required within the Communication Studies Major. These three may come from the Cognate area, for example.