

# **Bachelor of Science in Digital Media and Journalism**

Sports Journalism Concentration

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

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This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations or cognates.

## **GENERAL EDUCATION/**

Course		Hrs Sem Grade	Course		Hrs	Sem	Grad
Communica	tion & Information Literacy (12 hou	$(rs)^1$	Major Foun	dational Courses (0-3 hours)			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	SCOM 110	Media & Culture <sup>5</sup>	3		
	Communications Elective	3					
	Information Literacy Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	<b>MAJOR</b>	Core (45 hours)			
	Information Literacy Elective	3	ARTS 222	Introduction to Graphic Design	3		
			DIGI 175	Fundamentals of Editing	3		
Technologic	al Solutions & Quantitative Reasoni	ng (4-7 hours) <sup>1</sup>	DIGI 190	Media Industry Ethics	3		
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	DIGI 220	Writing for Media	3		
MATH	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	DIGI 224	Fundamentals of Audio Production	3		
	Technology Competency <sup>3</sup>	0-3	DIGI 225	Fundamentals of Video Production	3		
			DIGI 310	The Digital Producer	3		
Critical Thi	nking (5 hours) <sup>1</sup>		DIGI 333	Intermediate Video Production	3		
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>4</sup>	2	DIGI 353	Producing Audio Content	3		
	Critical Thinking Elective	3	DIGI 370	Television Studio Production	3		
	<u> </u>		DIGI 487	Field Projects & Practica	3		
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours) <sup>1</sup>			DIGI 498	Senior Portfolio	3		
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>4</sup>	2	DMCA 499	Internship	3		
	Cultural Studies Elective	3	JOUR 220	News Writing & Reporting I	3		
			JOUR 356	Social Media Writing	3		
Social & Sci	entific Inquiry (6 hours) <sup>1</sup>			C			
	Natural Science Elective	3		Concentration (18 hours)			
	Social Science Elective	3	CINE 260	Introduction to Documentary Filmmaking			
			or DIGI 451	Live Sports Production	3		
Christianity	& Contexts (8 hours) <sup>1</sup>		DIGI 340	Sports Broadcasting	3		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	DIGI 343	TV & Digital Reporting/Production	3		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	JOUR 345	Producing Digital News	3		
THEO 201	Theology Survey I <sup>4</sup>	2	JOUR 354	News Writing & Reporting II	3		
THEO 202	Theology Survey II <sup>4</sup>	2	JOUR 374	Digital Magazine Writing & Editing	3		-
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			FREE ELECTIVES (11-17 hours)				
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### **Graduation Requirements**

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major taken through Liberty University

**30** Hours must be completed through Liberty University

**Grad App** Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

#### Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

<sup>1</sup>Refer to the list of approved general education electives at <a href="www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a> before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

<sup>2</sup>HIUS 221, 222, or 223 is strongly recommended

<sup>3</sup>All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to <a href="www.liberty.edu/computerassessment">www.liberty.edu/computerassessment</a> for more information

<sup>4</sup>Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

<sup>5</sup>Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at <a href="https://www.liberty.edu/gened">www.liberty.edu/gened</a>

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# SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

## FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester			Second Semester									
BIBL 105		2	BIBL 110									
ENGL 101		3	Communications Elective [SCOM 110] <sup>2</sup>		3							
RLGN 105		2	DIGI 190									
Technology Competency <sup>1</sup>		0-3	DIGI 220									
UNIV 101		1	DIGI 340		3							
ARTS 222		3	CSER		0							
DIGI 175		3			14							
CSER		<u>0</u>										
	Total	14-17										
SOPHOMORE YEAR												
EVAN 101		2	Math Elective <sup>2</sup>		3							
Critical Thinking Elective <sup>2</sup>		3	Information Literacy Elective <sup>2, 3</sup>		3							
DIGI 224		3	THEO 201		2							
DIGI 225		3	DIGI 310		3							
JOUR 220		3	DIGI 333		3							
CSER		<u>0</u>	CSER		0							
	Total	14		Total	14							
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Cultural Studies Elective <sup>2</sup>		3	Information Literacy Elective <sup>2</sup>		3							
THEO 202		2	Natural Science Elective <sup>2</sup>		3							
DIGI 370		3	JOUR 356		3							
DIGI 343		3	DIGI 353		3							
JOUR 345		3	DIGI 487		3							
JOUR 354		3	CSER		0							
CSER		<u>0</u>		Total	15							
	Total	17										
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Social Science Elective <sup>2</sup>		3	CINE 260 or DIGI 451		3							
DMCA 499		3	DIGI 498		3							
JOUR 374		3	Elective		3							
Elective		3	Elective		3							
Elective		3	Elective		1							
CSER		<u>0</u>	CSER		0							
	Total	15		Total	13							

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