

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

Sports Journalism Concentration

2023-2024 Degree Completion Plan

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This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2023 through summer 2024. 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	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours) <sup>1</sup>			Major Foundational Courses (0-3 hours)				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	SCOM 110	Media & Culture⁵	3		
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1					
	Communications Elective	3	<b>MAJOR</b>	Core (45 hours)			
	Information Literacy Elective <sup>2</sup>	3	ARTS 222	Introduction to Graphic Design	3		
	Information Literacy Elective	3	DIGI 175	Fundamentals of Editing	3		
			DIGI 190	Media Industry Ethics	3		
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours) <sup>1</sup>			<b>DIGI 220</b>	Writing for Media	3		
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1	DIGI 224	Fundamentals of Audio Production	3		
MATH	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	DIGI 225	Fundamentals of Video Production	3		
	Technology Competency <sup>3</sup>	0-3	DIGI 310	The Digital Producer	3		
			DIGI 333	Intermediate Video Production	3		
Critical Thi	inking (8 hours) <sup>1</sup>		DIGI 353	Producing Audio Content	3		
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues <sup>4</sup>	2	DIGI 370	Television Studio Production	3		
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	DIGI 487	Field Projects & Practica	3		
	Critical Thinking Elective	3	DIGI 498	Senior Portfolio	3		
			DMCA 499	Internship	3		
Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours) <sup>1</sup>			<b>JOUR 220</b>	News Writing & Reporting I	3		
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life <sup>4</sup>	2	JOUR 356	Social Media Writing	3		
	Cultural Studies Elective	3					
				Concentration (18 hours)			
Social & Sci	ientific Inquiry (6 hours) <sup>1</sup>		CINE 260	Introduction to Documentary Filmmaking			
	Natural Science Elective	3	<u>or</u> DIGI 451	Live Sports Production	3		
	Social Science Elective	3	DIGI 340	Sports Broadcasting	3		
			DIGI 343	TV & Digital Reporting/Production	3		
Christianity	& Contexts (8 hours) <sup>1</sup>		JOUR 345	Producing Digital News	3		
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	JOUR 354	News Writing & Reporting II	3		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	JOUR 374	Digital Magazine Writing & Editing	3		
THEO 201	Theology Survey I <sup>4</sup>	2					
THEO 202	Theology Survey II <sup>4</sup>	2	FREE ELE	CTIVES (7-13 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	<del></del>	2	BIBL 110										
ENGL 101		3	Communications Elective [SCOM 110] <sup>2</sup>		2								
INQR 101		1	DIGI 190		3								
RLGN 105		2	DIGI 220		3								
Technology Competency <sup>1</sup>		0-3	DIGI 340		3								
UNIV 101		1	CSER		0								
ARTS 222		3	ן		14								
DIGI 175		3											
CSER		<u>0</u>											
	Total	_											
SOPHOMORE YEAR													
EVAN 101		2	Math Elective <sup>2</sup>		3								
RSCH 201		3	Information Literacy Elective <sup>2, 3</sup>		3								
Critical Thinking Elective <sup>2</sup>		3	THEO 201		2								
DIGI 224		3	DIGI 310		3								
DIGI 225		3	DIGI 333		3								
JOUR 220		3	CSER		0								
CSER		<u>0</u>		Total	14								
	Total	17											
JUNIOR YEAR													
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>O</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	Free Elective		3								
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	Total	15		Total	13								

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