

Deactivation Proposal

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JP: Journalism, BS & MJ**

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Journalism, BS-MJ

Catalog Pages
Using this
Program

Proposal Type:

In Workflow

1. U Program Review
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4. KT Committee Chair
5. KT Dean
6. University Librarian
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Approval Path

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2. 11/10/22 11:58 am
Christopher Ball (drball): Approved for 1642 Committee Chair
3. 11/10/22 12:53 pm
Mira Sotirovic (sotirovi):
Approved for 1642 Head
4. 11/15/22 12:41 pm
Josh Heuman

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Committee Chair
5. 11/15/22 1:35 pm
Katie Clark
(keclark):
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Dean
6. 11/15/22 2:53 pm
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Librarian
7. 12/05/22 2:45 pm
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3. Sep 7, 2022 by
Mary Lowry
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Joint Program (ex. Master of Public Health & PhD. in Community Health)

This proposal is
for a:

Revision

[Phase Down/Elimination](#)

Administration Details

Official Program Name JP: Journalism, BS & MJ

Diploma Title

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Sponsor Journalism

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List the role for rollbacks (which role will edit the proposal on questions from EPC, e.g., Dept Head or Initiator) and/or any additional stakeholders. Purpose: List here who will do the editing work if proposal needs rolled back. And any other stakeholders.

[Dept Head](#)

Does this program have inter-departmental administration?

No

Proposal Title

Effective Catalog Spring 2023
Term

Proposal Title (either Establish/Revise/Eliminate the Degree Name in Program Name in the College of XXXX, i.e., Establish the Bachelor of Science in Entomology in the College of Liberals Art and Sciences, include the Graduate College for Grad Programs)

Eliminate the Joint Program in the Bachelor of Science in Journalism and Master of Journalism in Journalism in the College of Media and the Graduate College

Does this proposal have any related proposals that will also be revised during the next 6 weeks? Consider Majors, Minors, Concentrations & Joint Programs in your department. Please know that this information is used administratively to move related proposals through workflow efficiently. Example: If you are revising the BS proposal and one related concentration within the next 6 weeks, "This BS proposal (key 567) is related to the Concentration A proposal (key 145)."

Program Justification

Provide a brief
description of

We are proposing to eliminate the joint degree of Journalism BS & MJ program.

what changes are being made to the program.

Why are these changes necessary?

Due to staffing it is necessary to focus on the new "Science Journalism" track in the MS program. The MS program still provides a graduate option for students to enroll in.

Instructional Resources

Will there be any reduction in other course offerings, programs or concentrations by your department as a result of this new program/proposed change?

No

Does this new program/proposed change result in the replacement of another program?

No

Does the program include other courses/subjects outside of the sponsoring department impacted by the creation/revision of this program?

No

Program Regulation and Assessment

Plan to Assess and Improve Student Learning

Illinois Administrative Code: 1050.30(b)(1)(D) Provision is made for guidance and counseling of students, evaluations of student performance, continuous monitoring of progress of students toward their degree objectives and appropriate academic record keeping.

List the program's student learning outcomes. Each outcome should identify what students are expected to know and/or be able to do upon completing this program.

This is an elimination proposal, so there are no expected learning outcomes.

Describe how, when, and where these learning outcomes will be assessed.

Describe here:

Identify faculty expectations for students' achievement of each of the stated student learning outcomes. What score, rating, or level of expertise will signify that students have met each outcome? Provide rating rubrics as necessary.

Explain the process that will be implemented to ensure that assessment results are used to improve student learning.

Program

Description and

Requirements

Attach Documents

Is the career/profession for graduates of this program regulated by the State of Illinois?

No

Program of Study

Baccalaureate degree requires at least 120 semester credit hours or 180 quarter credit hours and at least 40 semester credit hours (60 quarter credit hours) in upper division courses" (source: <https://www.ibhe.org/assets/files/PublicAdminRules2017.pdf>). For proposals for new bachelor's degrees, if this minimum is not explicitly met by specifically-required 300- and/or 400-level courses, please provide information on how the upper-division hours requirement will be satisfied.

Catalog Page Text - Overview Tab

Description of program for the catalog page. This is not official content, it is used to help build the new catalog page for the program. Can be edited in the catalog by the college or department.

Statement for
Programs of
Study Catalog

Journalism, B.S. component

Course List

Code	Title	Hours
In College of Media		
JOUR 200	Introduction to Journalism	3
JOUR 205	History of American Journalism	3
JOUR 210	Newsgathering Across Platforms	4
JOUR 215	Multimedia Reporting	4
JOUR 220	News Editing	4
JOUR 250	Journalism Ethics & Diversity	3
JOUR 311	Media Law	3
JOUR 315	Adv Public Affairs Reporting	4
JOUR 335	Audio Journalism	4
JOUR 340	Video Reporting & Storytelling	4
Choose one of the following:		4
JOUR 425	Multimedia Editing and Design	
JOUR 445	Video Storytelling 2-Producing	
Unrestricted electives within College of Media		8
Total in College of Media		48

Course List

Code	Title	Hours
Outside College of Media		
CS 105	Intro Computing: Non-Tech	3
ECON 102	Microeconomic Principles	3
ECON 103	Macroeconomic Principles	3
PSYC 100	Intro Psych	4
RHET 105	Writing and Research (or Comp. I equivalent)	4
STAT 100	Statistics	3

Campus general education requirements not met by classes listed above

Recognized minor or one 18-hour specialization or two 9-hour specializations, approved by advisor, 18
from outside College of Media and Department of Communication. May include hours listed above.
Students may choose to complete a Public Relations minor in addition to the non-Media minor or
specialization.

Code	Title	Hours
	Total outside College of Media	72
	Total B.S. component	120

Upon completion of the B.S. component, students must apply and be officially admitted into the Graduate College. They will be issued letters of admission from the Graduate College and the Journalism Department, at which time they will be considered graduate students and assessed graduate tuition beginning with the following semester. Students must satisfy the graduate student minimum residence requirement of 24 graduate credit hours and continue to maintain a graduate GPA of at least 3.0 to remain in the combined program.

Master of Journalism component

May begin after completing 60 hours

Course List

Code	Title	Hours
Both of these, completing whichever was not taken for B.S. component:		
JOUR 425	Multimedia Editing and Design	4
JOUR 445	Video Storytelling 2-Producing	4
These three 500-level courses:		
JOUR 500	Current Issues in Journalism	4
JOUR 515	Master's Project (Part 1)	4
JOUR 515	Master's Project (Part 2)	4
Choose 16 hours from the following electives:		16
JOUR 450	Media and Public Opinion	
JOUR 451	Research Methods in Journalism	
JOUR 452	Great Books of Journalism	
JOUR 453	Crisis Communications	
JOUR 454	Propaganda & the News Media	
JOUR 460	Special Topics	
JOUR 470	International Reporting	
JOUR 471	Science Journalism	
JOUR 472	Business Reporting	
JOUR 475	In-Depth Writing Styles	
JOUR 480	Advanced Reporting Topics	
JOUR 481	Literary Feature Writing	
JOUR 482	Immersion Journalism	
JOUR 483	Investigative Journalism	
JOUR 490	Professional Project	
JOUR 495	Internship Seminar	
Total M.J. component		32
TOTAL HOURS FOR BOTH DEGREES		152

Other Requirements

Grad Other Degree Requirements

Requirement	Description
Other requirements may overlap	
Minimum 500-level Hours Required Overall:	12
Minimum GPA:	3.5

Program Relationships

Identify the existing programs to be joined:

Corresponding Program(s)
Journalism, BS
Journalism, MJ

Program Features

Academic Level Undergraduate
 Graduate

What is the typical time to completion of this program?

What are the minimum Total Credit Hours required for this program?
152

What is the grad GPA is 3.0
required GPA?

Is This a Teacher Certification Program?
No

Will specialized accreditation be sought for this program?

No

Delivery Method

This program is available:

On Campus - Students are required to be on campus, they may take some online courses.

Admission Requirements

Desired Effective Admissions Term

Is this revision a change to the admission status of the program?

No

Provide a brief narrative description of the admission requirements for this program. Where relevant, include information about licensure requirements, student background checks, GRE and TOEFL scores, and admission requirements for transfer students.

Enrollment

List the prerequisites including course titles and number of credit hours for each prerequisite course, and whether or not these prerequisites count in the total hours required for the minor.

Phase Down/Elimination Enrollment

Does this program currently have enrollment? Yes

If so, what is the anticipated term of completion? Spring 2023

Describe how this revision or phase down/elimination will impact enrollment and degrees awarded. If this is an elimination/phase down proposal include the plans for the students left in the program.

There is only one student in the program. The student will graduate in the Spring of 2023, and there will be no students left in the program.

Number of Students in Program (estimate)

Year One Estimate

5th Year Estimate (or when fully implemented)

Estimated Annual Number of Degrees Awarded

Year One Estimate

5th Year Estimate (or when fully implemented)

Budget

Will the program or revision require staffing (faculty, advisors, etc.) beyond what is currently available?

No

Additional Budget Information

Attach File(s)

Financial Resources

How does the unit intend to financially support this proposal?

Will the unit need to seek campus or other external resources?

No

Attach letters of support

What tuition rate do you expect to charge for this program? e.g, Undergraduate Base Tuition, or Engineering Differential, or Social Work Online (no dollar amounts

necessary)

Are you seeking a change in the tuition rate or differential for this program?

No

Faculty Resources

Please address the impact on faculty resources including any changes in numbers of faculty, class size, teaching loads, student-faculty ratios, etc.

There is no impact.

Library Resources

Describe your proposal's impact on the University Library's resources, collections, and services. If necessary please consult with the appropriate disciplinary specialist within the University Library.

There is no impact

EP Documentation

EP Control Number EP.23.028

Attach Rollback/Approval Notices

This proposal requires HLC inquiry No

DMI Documentation

Attach Final Approval Notices

Banner/Codebook Name BS: BS/MJ Journalism - UIUC & MJ: BS/MJ Journalism - UIUC

Program Code: 10KT5683BS & 1PKS5683MJ

Minor Code	Conc Code	5683	Degree Code	Major Code
0278				

Senate Approval Date

Senate Conference

Approval Date

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Document
Justification for
this request

Program Reviewer
Comments