

# Our new BJ curriculum

## Transition Plans for Class of 2021

School of Journalism  
Carleton University

## YEAR 1

Journalism in Context (Jour 1001 - 0.5 credit)

Journalism in Practice (Jour 1002 - 0.5 credit)

## YEAR 2

Reporting Fundamentals (Jour 2201 - 1.0 credit)

Digital Journalism Toolkit (Jour 2202 - 0.5 credit)

Media Law (Jour 2501 - 0.5 credit)

## YEAR 3 (new in 2017/ 2018)

Audio Journalism (Jour 3207 - 0.5 credit)

Video Journalism (Jour 3208 - 0.5 credit)

InDepth Reporting (Jour 3225 - 0.5 credit)

Digital Reporting (Jour 3235 - 0.5 credit)

Digital Media Ethics (Jour 3300 - 0.5 credit)

## **YEAR 4** (new for 2018-2019)

### **Journalism Now and Next** (0.5 credits)

A lecture course about major trends in journalism

### **One Workshop** (0.5)

Advanced Digital, Audio or Video

### **One Specialized**

### **Journalism Option** (0.5)

Covering Business, Health,  
Environment, International Affairs,  
Politics, Arts, Sports etc.



**1.0 credit from menu of journalism elective options**  
(new for 2018/2019)

# New Menu of Journalism Electives

## PROFESSIONAL SKILLS OPTIONS

- ▣ Data Storytelling (0.5 credit)
- ▣ Longform Writing (0.5 credit)
- ▣ Strategic Communication (0.5 credit)
- ▣ Freelancing for Media Professionals (0.5 credit)

# New Menu of Journalism Electives

## INVESTIGATING JOURNALISM OPTIONS

- ▣ Gender, Identity and Inequality (0.5 credit)
- ▣ Journalism and Conflict (0.5 credit)
- ▣ Journalism, Indigenous Peoples and Canada (0.5)
- ▣ The Media and International Development (0.5)
- ▣ The Power and Politics of Government (1.0 credit)

# How do changes affect BJ1 students?

- All changes to first, second and third year are already reflected on your academic audit
- **The new changes** to fourth year coming in 2018/2019 are not
- To correct that, we will be changing the catalogue year on your audit from 2017-2018 to 2018-2019
- The change will happen just before registration in June

# How will changing the catalogue year affect BJ1 students?

- ▣ It will make your audit more clear and accurate
- ▣ It will make it easier for you to figure out your degree requirements in fourth year
- ▣ It will help you understand our new, more flexible fourth year program

# Your Questions

If you have any questions contact

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