

Guidelines for Majors at Nearby 4 Year Institutions

**Major: JOURNALISM/COMMUNICATIONS**

Riverside Community College  
Counseling Department  
2009-2010

Date: 2/10

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College or University	Transfer Requirements	Units	RCC Equivalent	Units	Remarks
<b>CSU FULLERTON</b> 2009-2011	<u>Advertising option:</u>				
	COMM 233	3	JOU 7	3	
	Print option:		add JOU 1,2,45	9	
	Broadcast option:		add JOU 1,2,45	9	
	Visual option:		add JOU 1	3	
<b>CSU LONG BEACH</b> 2009-2010	JOUR 120	3	JOU 2	3	
	JOUR 110	3	JOU 7	3	
<b>CAL POLY POMONA</b> 2009-2010	<u>Journalism Option:</u>				
	COM 101	4	JOU 7	3	Listed under JOU major
	STA 120	4	MAT 12 or 12H	3	
	COM 206	4	ADM 1	4	
	COM 131	3	PHO 8	3	
	COM 232	4	JOU/PHO 12	3	
COM 204,327	4,4	SPE 3A,12	3,3		
<b>SAN DIEGO STATE UNIV.</b> 2009-2010	COMM 200	3	JOU 7	3	<i>Impacted program:</i> -min. cum. 3.00 gpa
	JOUR 220	3	JOU 2	3	
	ECON 101	3	ECO 7 or 7H	3	
	POLS 101,102	3,3	POL 1 or 1H + 3	3,3	
	FOR LANG 3	4	FOR LANG 3	5	

**THE MAJOR:**

Journalism is the profession concerned with gathering, preparing, and communicating information to be presented through newspapers, magazines, trade publications, radio, television, news services, and other types of media. The work performed by journalists includes reporting, writing, editing, photographing or broadcasting news items. Journalism/Communications deals with the effective transmittal of ideas, feelings, and media news. Combining an understanding of the effects of mass media, the behavioral sciences, and

communications skills allows the graduate to enter advertising, broadcasting, film making, journalism, government, public relations, speech education and any career dealing with personal and public communications. Although competition is high for many openings, there is constantly a need for creative, accurate, and effective means of communication.

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**CAREER FIELDS:**

Book Editor	News Analyst
Columnist	News Editor
Copy Editor	Newspaper Editor
Correspondent	Radio Newscaster
Journalist	Reporter
Magazine Writer	TV News Broadcaster
Managing Editor	

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