# Mount Royal University
Bachelor of Communication - Journalism & Digital Media
Sequence of Courses 2021/22

## Year 1

### Fall Semester
- JOUR 1707 — Journalism Elements
- JOUR 1727 — Intro to Visual Journalism
- COMM 2501 — Media History & Contemporary Issues
- GNED Foundation
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### Winter Semester
- JOUR 1709 — Journalism Practice & Theory
- JOUR 1720 — Intro to Digital Media
- JOUR 1728 — Journalism Projects
- GNED Foundation
- GNED Foundation

## Year 2

### Fall Semester
- JOUR 3707 — News Reporting
- JOUR 3720 — Graphics Reporting & Digital Design
- COMM 2500 — Intro to Communication Studies
- GNED Tier 2
- GNED Tier 2

### Winter Semester
- JOUR 3709 — News Editing & Reporting
- JOUR 3727 — Visual Journalism II
- COMM 2410 — Media Ethics & Law
- GNED Tier 2
- GNED Tier 3

## Year 3

### Fall Semester
- JOUR 3737 — Research Design & Methodology
- JOUR 3740 — Audio/Visual Storytelling
- JOUR 4790 — Work Exp. Prep Seminar (Credit-Free)
- GNED Tier 3
- GNED Tier 3

Choose one:
- JOUR 3717 — Specialized Writing
- JOUR 3729 — Online Journalism

### Winter Semester
- JOUR 3747 — A/V Storytelling for Online Media
- JOUR 3777 — Project and Content Development
- COMM 3500 — Media, Culture and Comm Theory
- Elective

Choose one:
- JOUR 3717 — Specialized Writing
- JOUR 3729 — Online Journalism

### Spring/Summer
- JOUR 4791 — Journalism Work Experience I (Credit-Free)

## Year 4

### Fall Semester
- COMM 4501 — Roles & Practices in Contemp Comm
- Elective
- Elective

Choose 2 of the following:
- *JOUR 4705 — Online Editorial Board
- *JOUR 4707 — Magazine Editorial Board
- JOUR 4709 — Advanced Reporting
- JOUR 4729 — Multimedia Projects
- JOUR 4747 — Advanced Audio/Visual Projects

### Winter Semester
- Elective
- Elective
- Elective

Choose 2 of the following:
- *JOUR 4705 — Online Editorial Board
- *JOUR 4707 — Magazine Editorial Board
- JOUR 4711 — Advanced Reporting II
- JOUR 4729 — Multimedia Projects
- JOUR 4727 — Photojournalism Projects

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**NOTE:** All core courses must be taken in the sequence listed above unless prior approval is received from the Chair. All core courses must be completed for a C grade minimum for graduation. The program reserves the right to adjust schedule of course offerings at any time. Advising resources are available for all students.
Summary of GNEDs and Elective Requirements

For a complete listing of GNED courses, go to www.mtroyal.ca/gened

Cluster 1 — Numeracy and Scientific Literacy
Cluster 2 — Values, Beliefs and Identity
Cluster 3 — Community and Society
Cluster 4 — Communication

Note 1:
If you have COMM 3759 do not take JOUR 3777.

Note 2:
Four journalism option courses (COMM 47XX) are required for graduation purposes, and all students must take at least 1 editorial board course (COMM 4705 or COMM 4707) among those 4. Students may also choose to take the 2nd editorial board course as one of their additional option classes. Students can not receive credit for the same course more than once and one course can not satisfy multiple requirements.

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