

MASS COMMUNICATION & JOURNALISM Public Relations Option, B.A. (120 Units) Valid for Catalog Years: 2019/2020 to Present *Official planning guide approved by the College of Arts & Humanities

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	Freshman		Sophomore		Junior		Senior	
	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring	Fall	Spring
Units	15-17	15-17	15-20	15-16	15	15-17	15-18	15-19
General Education	A1 (3 Units) Oral Communication *Must pass with a C or better	B2 (3-4 Units) Life Sciences	A3 (3 Units) Critical Thinking *Must pass with a C or better	C1/C2 (3-4 Units) Arts and Humanities	IB (3 Units) Physical Universe & Its Life Forms	IC (3-4 Units) Arts & Humanities		
	A2 (3 Units) Written Communication *Must pass with a C or better	C2 (3-4 Units) Humanities	B1 (3-4 Units) Physical Sciences	D3 (3 Units) Social Science	ID (3-4 Units) Social, Political, & Economic Institutions (Consider MCJ 175 or 179)			
	B4 (3-4 Units) Quantitative Reasoning *Must pass with a C or better	D1 (3 Units) American History	B3 (0-3 Units) Lab	E (3 Units) Lifelong Understanding & Self Development				
	C1 (3-4 Units) Arts (Consider MCJ 9)	D2 (3 Units) American Government						

Major	MCJ 1 (3 Units)	MCJ 2 (3 Units)	Liberal Arts & Sciences Block (3 units) *See Footnotes	Liberal Arts & Sciences Block (3 units) *See Footnotes	MCJ 102W (3 units) Pre-req: MCJ 2 *UDWE requirement	MCJ 40 (3 units)	MCJ 158S (3 units) Pre-reqs: MCJ 2 and MCJ 40	MCJ 149 (3 units) Pre- reqs: MCJ 2, MCJ 40, MCJ 158S or 144
			Liberal Arts & Sciences Block (3 units) *See Footnotes		MCJ 172 or MCJ 173 (3 units)	MCJ 164 (3 units)	MCJ 191 (3 units) Pre-req: Permission of Instructor	MCJ 163-179 (3 units)
					Liberal Arts & Sciences Block (3 units) *See Footnotes		Liberal Arts & Sciences Block (3 units) *See Footnotes	MCJ Elective (3 units) Pick one from the following: MCJ 3, 104, 105, 106, 115, 124, 131S, 144, 146, 157 *See course cataglog for pre-req. info
Additional Graduation Requirements			Elective	Elective		MI (3 Units) Multicultural/ International	Elective	Elective
						Elective	Elective	Elective
Units	15-17	15-17	15-20	15-16	15	15-16	15	15

FOOTNOTES:

Prerequisites/Corequisites: Other restrictions may apply. Please see your course catalog for detailed prerequisite/corequisite requirements.

Grade Requirements: MCJ majors are not permitted to enroll for CR/NC grading in MCJ courses applied to the major, except for courses that require such grading. A grade of C or better in each MCJ course is required.

Electives: Students must earn a minimum of 120 units total to graduate. The number of required elective units may vary, depending on the amount of units earned from major and GE courses.

<u>Liberal Arts & Sciences/MCJ Additional Required Courses: The Liberal Arts & Sciences/MCJ Additional Required Courses List is available from the student's advisor and on the MCJ website at http://www.fresnostate.edu/artshum/mcj/documents/MCJ%20Additional%20Required%20Courses%20Mmedia.pdf.</u>

Upper Division Writing Skills requirement (UDWS): All undergraduate students must demonstrate competency in writing skills by passing the Upper Division Writing Exam (UDWE) or by obtaining a C or better in an approved upper division writing course, identified by the letter "W."