

# Communication, AA

## Journalism Track

Casper College



### FRESHMAN YEAR

Fall Semester		Hrs	Spring Semester		Hrs
	Laboratory Science Requirement	4		General Education Requirement	3
CO/M	1000 Introduction to Mass Media	3		Human Behavior Requirement	3
CO/M	1010 Public Speaking	3		Physical Education Requirement	1
ENGL	1010 English I: Composition	3		US & Wyoming Constitution Requirement	3
MATH	1000 Problem Solving	3	ENGL	1020 English II: Composition	3
				Major Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>16</u></b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>16</u></b>

### SOPHOMORE YEAR

Fall Semester		Hrs	Spring Semester		Hrs
ART	2122 Digital Design I	3		Cultural Environment Requirement	3
CO/M	1040 Introduction to Human Communication	3		General Education Requirements	6
CO/M	2100 Reporting & Newswriting I	3	CO/M	2340 Editing & Production	3
CO/M	2355 Introduction to Media Photography	3	CO/M	2390 Independent Publications	3
STAT	2070 Statistics for Social Sciences	5			
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>17</u></b>	<b>TOTAL</b>		<b><u>15</u></b>
<b>TOTAL CASPER AA DEGREE HOURS</b>					<b><u>64</u></b>

Successful completion of the 2+2 plan requires that a student remain continuously enrolled and graduate with the associate's degree from his or her respective community college. • This is a guide for course work in the major; actual course sequence may vary by student. Please refer to the online student degree evaluation. • Not all courses are offered every semester and some electives may have prerequisites. Students should review the course descriptions in the catalogs of their respective institutions and consult with their academic advisor to plan accordingly. • Academic plans and course schedules may need to be altered if ACT or Math Placement scores require a student to take pre-college courses (e.g., MATH 0900, 0921, or 0925) before taking required math or English courses.

#### Casper College requirements:

In order to graduate, students must successfully complete a minimum of 60 approved credit hours, with 15 of the last 30 semester hours completed as a degree-seeking student at Casper College, and with a grade point average of 2.0 or higher in those courses counted toward graduation. • Students must earn at least 24 of the semester credits applied toward graduation through the completion of Casper College coursework, including at least six (6) hours with the desired major. • Only courses numbered 1000 or above can be used toward the degree.

#### University of Wyoming requirements:

Students must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 to graduate. • Students must complete 42 hours of upper division (3000-level or above) coursework, 30 of which must be from the University of Wyoming. • Courses must be taken for a letter grade unless offered only for S/U.

#### UW College of Arts and Sciences requirements:

Students must take two "core" courses in addition to UW's University Studies Program requirements: Diversity in the United States (ASD) and Global Awareness (ASG). • No more than 60 hours in the major subject may be used toward the 120 credit hours required for graduation. • At least 30 hours in the major subject must be completed with a grade of C or better (the major may require more).

### JUNIOR YEAR

Fall Semester			Hrs	Spring Semester			Hrs
		Foreign Language I Requirement *	4			Foreign Language II Requirement *	4
COJO	3070	Introduction to Communication Research	3			Human Culture Requirement	3
COJO	3530	Online Journalism	3			Upper Division Journalism Elective **	3
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						Elective	3
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b><u>13</u></b>	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b><u>16</u></b>

### SENIOR YEAR

Fall Semester			Hrs	Spring Semester			Hrs
		USP Communication 3	C3 3			A&S Global Awareness (upper division)	ASG 3
		A&S Diversity in the US (upper division)	ASD 3	COJO	3480	Internship	3
		Human Culture Requirement	3			Upper Division Major Elective	3
COJO	4500	Mass Communication Law	3			Upper Division Electives	6
		Upper Division Elective	3				
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b><u>15</u></b>	<b>TOTAL</b>			<b><u>15</u></b>
						<b>TOTAL UW HOURS</b>	<b><u>59</u></b>
						<b>TOTAL UW BA DEGREE HOURS</b>	<b><u>123</u></b>

#### UW Journalism Program Notes:

- Courses within the major must be completed with a grade of C or better.
  - A total of six (6) credits of COJO 3480 (Internship) are permitted to count toward major.
- \* A single language must be taken for two (2) semester or eight (8) hours to fulfill the foreign language requirement for the program.

\*\* Upper Division Journalism Electives can be selected from the following:

#### Reporting & Editing

#### Advertising & Public Relations

COJO 3100	Public Affairs Reporting
COJO 4100	Investigative Reporting
COJO 4110	Feature Writing Seminar
COJO 4120	News Editing

COJO 3300	Advertising in the Media
COJO 3310	Public Relations
COJO 4300	Advertising Campaigns
COJO 4310	Public Relations Techniques

#### Media & Society

#### Visual & Multimedia

COJO 3000	History of American Journalism
COJO 3470	History of Documentary Film
COJO 3520	Communication Technology & Society
COJO 3550	Political Communication
COJO 4000	News Making Processes
COJO 4020	Mass Media & Society
COJO 4230	Special Topics in Mass Media
COJO 4233	Race, Gender, Ethnicity in the Media
COJO 4600	Mass Media Ethics
COJO 4800	Media Management

COJO 2400	Introduction to Photography
COJO 3170	Broadcast Journalism
COJO 3200	Graphics of Communication
COJO 4200	Visual Communication
COJO 4270	Advanced Television Production
COJO 4280	Advanced Radio Production
COJO 4400	Photojournalism
COJO 4530	Advanced News Media