

Associate of Arts in Mass Communication-Multimedia to Bachelor of Arts in Media Studies

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between Triton College and Governors State University (GSU) for the Media Studies degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate in Arts (AA) degree from Triton College and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in Media Studies from GSU.

I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (37-38 Hours)

Communication (9 hours)

- RHT 101 - Rhetoric and Composition (3)
- RHT 102 - Rhetoric and Composition (3)
- SPE 101 - Effective Speaking (3)

Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)

- MCM 151 - Cinema Appreciation (3)
- MCM 152 - Cinema History (3)
- Humanities Course (3)*

Mathematics (3 hours)

- IAI Mathematics Course (3)*

Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 hours)

- Select one life science course and one physical science course. One course must have a lab.
- Life Science Course (3-4)*
 - Physical Science Course (3-4)*

Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

- Select three courses in at least two different disciplines.
- Social and Behavioral Science Courses (9)*

II. ELECTIVES (22-23 Hours)

Students should select electives or consider lower division courses towards a minor.

- MCM 120 - Mass Communication (3) (Meets COMM 2112)
- MCM 160 - Reporting and Writing for Multimedia (3)
- VIC 172 - Web Page Design (3)
- VIC 288 - Video Editing (3)

Select one of the following: ART 119 or VIC 100 (3)

Select one of the following: MCM 130, VIC 161, VIC 162, VIC 285, VIC 286 (3)

Select one of the following: MC 130, MC 296, VIC 161, VIC 162, VIC 285 (3)

Free Electives (1-2)*

REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 60 Hours

* Refer to the Triton AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices in Sections I-II.

Note: Students can complete **up to** 80 hours at TC by taking additional electives reducing the GSU Electives.

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III. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (60-70 Hours)

Foundation Courses (9 Hours)

- MST 2100 - Introduction to Media Production (3)
- MST 2101 - Introduction to Media Studies (3)
- MST 3099 - Global Media Literacy (3)

Core Courses (17-21 Hours)

- COMM 3201 - Advanced Public Speaking (3)
- COMM 3202 - Communication Research (3)
- COMM 4201 - Communication Ethics (3)
- MST 2102 - Digital Video Writing (3)
- MST 4800 - Internship (2-6)
- MST 4991 - Senior Seminar (3)

Select one of the following: (3 hours) (Discipline Focused Comparative Studies)

- MST 2110 - Media Forms (3)
- MST 2120 - Media Theory (3)
- MST 2130 - Media Culture and Innovation (3)
- MST 3750 - Media Storytelling (3)

Select one of the following: (3 hours) (Interdisciplinary Method/Approach)

- ANTH 3800 - Visual Anthropology (3)
- ART 4565 - 3D Modeling (3)
- MST 3104 - Playing Games (3)
- MST 3214 - Chicagoland Media (3)
- MST 3740 - Media Prod Tech: Field & Studio (3)

AND Advanced Writing: (3 hours)

- MDST 4130 - Writing for Multimedia (3)

Concentrations (15-25 hours)

Select one of the following three concentrations:

- Media Industry and Production (5 courses)*
- Social Networking and Participatory Culture (5 courses)*
- Global Media and Information Flow (8 courses)*

Media Studies Elective (6 hours)

Select six hours of media studies courses with advisor approval.

Electives (0-4 hours)

Minimum Required for BA in Media Studies: 120 Hours

For Additional Information:
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