



**Department of Communication
 Journalism Major Checklist
 For Students Entering Fall 2009 and later**

Name:
Student ID:
Catalog Year:

CORE COURSES (27-30 Hours)			
Course	Pre-req	Term	Grade/Xfer Credit
JOU/EMB 110 (3)	Introduction to Mass Media		
JOU 220 (3)	Newswriting I	ACT Eng 20+ and ENG 101	
JOU 230 (3)	Newswriting II	JOU 220	
JOU 296 (3)*	Practicum	JOU 220	
JOU 297 (2)* or JOU 396 (3)* or CEP 300 (3)*	Advanced Practicum Internship Co-op	JOU 296 and instructor permission	
JOU 321 (3)	Publication Skills	JOU/EMB 110	
JOU 346 (3)	Copy Editing & Layout	JOU 220	
JOU 385 (3)	Law of Mass Communication	JOU/EMB 110 or junior standing	
JOU 440 (3)	Ethics and Media	JOU/EMB 110 or junior standing	
JOU 492 (3)	Mass Comm Research Methods	JOU 230	

ELECTIVE COURSES (9 Hours, 300-400 level)			
Course	Pre-req	Term	Grade/Xfer Credit
JOU			
JOU			
Any COMM**			

ADDITIONAL B.A. DEGREE REQUIREMENTS	
NKU General Education requirements (46-52 hours)	Consult the appropriate University Catalog and your advisor while completing other degree requirements. This checklist does not replace official graduation/degree candidacy documents that must be filed with the Registrar.
Minor or area of concentration (12-24 hours)	
Complete 120 total credit hours	
Complete 45 hours at the 300-400 level	

*The total number of hours from JOU 296, JOU 297, JOU 396, and CEP 300 **combined** must be at least three (3) but not more than six (6).

**May be JOU, PRE, EMB, POP, MIN, or CMST course.

Students must have a grade of "C" or higher -OR- a GPA of 2.5+ in all courses required for the JOU major.