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# JOURNALISM

## CAREER INFORMATION

Journalism education emphasizes the training of writers, reporters, and editors for the mass media. It also seeks to prepare and guide students interested in pursuing careers in a wide range of informational and interpretive multi-media environments. Career opportunities for journalism graduates are diverse, including book editing and publishing, freelance writing, industrial journalism, magazines, communication research, news agencies, newspapers, radio, television, teaching, and on-line electronic publishing.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Not all universities with this major are listed below. The lower division core preparation is listed for universities with which LBCC has established articulation agreements. **The first course listed is the LBCC course; the course in parentheses immediately after is the university equivalent.** It is generally recommended to take as many lower-division major courses as possible prior to transfer. Please check [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) for the most current articulation information and information regarding minimum grade for each course, impacted major recommendations, application procedures, etc. Moreover, **you must see a counselor to develop an accurate educational plan** to ensure your competitiveness for admissions for your school(s) of choice. To thoroughly understand admissions and general education requirements please check the catalog of the transfer university. CSU/UC admissions and general education requirements are outlined on a separate curriculum guide.

\*\*\* Schools are listed in alphabetical order \*\*\*

### CAL POLY SAN LUIS OBISPO

- **B.S. Degree – Journalism**  
Journ 10 (Jour 218), 20 (203)  
(No LBCC equivalents to the following Cal Poly SLO courses: Jour 201, 205, 233, 290)

### CSU CHICO

- **B.A. Degree – Communication: Options in Public Relations/News-Editorial**  
Journ 10 (Com 1)  
(No LBCC equivalents to the following CSUC courses: Cdes 23, 92; Jour 44, 60)

### CSU FULLERTON

- **B.A. Degree – Communication**  
**Concentrations:** Advertising; Entertainment Studies; Journalism (Print, Broadcast, or Visual Emphases); Photocommunications; Public Relations

**Concentration Requirements:**

Advertising: Journ 10 (Comm 233)

Entertainment Studies: Journ 10 (Comm 233), 20 (101)

**SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

## CSU Fullerton (continued)

Journalism (Print, Broadcast, or Visual emphases): Journ 10 (Comm 233), 20 (101)  
 (No LBCC equivalents to the following CSUF courses: Comm 201, 203)  
Photocommunications: Journ 10 (Comm 233), 20 (101); Phot 31AB (Comm 217)  
Public Relations: Journ 10 (Comm 233), 20 (101)

## HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY

- **B.A. Degree - Journalism and Mass Communication with emphases in Broadcast News, News-Editorial, Public Relations, and Media Studies**  
 Journ 10 (Jmc 116), 20 (120)  
 (No LBCC equivalents to the following Humboldt State courses: Art 108; Jmc 134, 150, 154, 155, 234)

## CSU LONG BEACH

- **B.A. Degree – Journalism**  
**Options:** Broadcast Journalism; Journalism Education; Print Journalism

### **Option Requirements:**

Broadcast Journalism: Journ 10 (Jour 110), 20 (120); Speech 70 (Comm 171).

Journalism Education: Journ 10 (Jour 110)

Print Journalism: Journ 10 (Jour 110), 20 (120)

[Note: All students entering journalism production classes must know and be familiar with at least one established word processing program, and be able to word-process at a rate of at least 40 words per minute. Moreover, students who pass English 1 (Engl 100) with a C before transferring will not be required to complete English 100 at CSULB but are still **required to take the English Placement Test (EPT)** . Journalism students may not take any other journalism course until they have passed the EPT. ]

## CSU SACRAMENTO

- **B.A. Degree - Journalism**  
 Journ 10 (Jour 55), 20 (30), 85AD (33)

## SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY

- **B.A. Degree – Liberal Arts & Sciences: Journalism Major**  
 Journ 20 (Jour 220); Econ 1A or 1AH (Econ 101); Polsc 3 (Pol S 101), 3 (102); level 3 foreign language course  
 (No LBCC equivalent to the following SDSU course: Comm 200)

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## San Diego State (continued)

- **B.A. Degree – Liberal Arts & Sciences: Journalism Major (in preparation for the Single Subject Teaching Credential in English/Journalism)**

Engl 1 or 1H (RWS 100 Journ 20 (Jour 220); TART 30 (Thea 120); level 3 foreign language course

Three units from: Engl 2 (Engl 220) or lower division courses at SDSU

Three units from: Tart 30 (Thea 120) or lower division course at SDSU

Six units from: Engl 41 & 42 (250A & 250B) or 46 & 47 (260A & 260B);

(No LBCC equivalent to the following SDSU course: Comm 200; Ling 101; Comp Lit 270A, 270B; Human 140; RWS 200;

## SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY

- **B.S. Degree - Journalism and Mass Communication**

**Options:** Advertising; Journalism; Public Relations

**Option Requirements:**

**Advertising:** Engl 2 (Engl 1B); any transferable literature course; any transferable art course; approved journalism or mass communication course

**Management emphasis:** Stat 1 or 1H (Bus 90 or Stat 95)

(No LBCC equivalents to the following SJSU courses: Adv 91; Mcom 70, 72)

**Journalism:** Engl 2 (Engl 1B)

**Magazine emphasis:** Approved journalism or mass communication course

(No LBCC equivalent to the following SJSU course: Jour 61C)

**Photojournalism emphasis:** Journ 20 (Jour 61A); Phot 31AB (Phot 40); approved journalism or mass communication course

**Radio/Television News emphasis:** Approved journalism or mass communication course

(No LBCC equivalent to the following SJSU course: Jour 61B)

**Reporting and Editing emphasis:** Journ 20 (Jour 61A); approved journalism or mass communication course

(No LBCC equivalents to the following SJSU courses: Mcom 70, 72)

**Public Relations:** Engl 2 (Engl 1B); Journ 20 (Jour 61A); approved journalism or mass communication course

(No LBCC equivalents to the following SJSU courses: Mcom 70, 72; PR 99)

## UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- **B.A. Degree – Print Journalism or Broadcast Journalism**

Journ 10, 20.

[ **Note:** USC's Journalism Department will determine subject and unit credit for LBCC's Journ 10 and 20 for Journalism majors.]