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**Course Deletion Proposal Form**

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Signed paper copies of proposals submitted for consideration are no longer required. Please type approver name and enter date of approval.

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1. **Course Title, Prefix and Number**

**MDIA 5373, Internet Communications**

1. **Contact Person** (Name, Email Address, Phone Number)

Ronald Sitton, School of Media and Journalism, rsitton@astate.edu, 870-972-2979

1. **Justification**

This course is no longer used by any program within the School of Media and Journalism.

1. **Last semester course will be offered**

Fall 2021

1. No **Does this course appear in your curriculum? (if yes, and this deletion changes the curriculum, a Program Modification Form is required)**

Enter text...

1. No **Is this course dual-listed (undergraduate/graduate)?**

Enter text...

1. No **Is this course cross-listed with a course in another department?**

If yes, which course(s)?

Enter text...

1. No **Is there currently a course listed in the Bulletin or Banner which is a one-to-one equivalent to this course (please check with the Registrar’s Office if unsure)?**

**Bulletin Changes**

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| **Instructions** |
| **Please visit** [**http://www.astate.edu/a/registrar/students/bulletins/index.dot**](http://www.astate.edu/a/registrar/students/bulletins/index.dot) **and select the most recent version of the bulletin. Copy and paste all bulletin pages this proposal affects below. Please include a before (with changed areas highlighted) and after of all affected sections.**  **\*Please note: Courses are often listed in multiple sections of the bulletin. To ensure that all affected sections have been located, please search the bulletin (ctrl+F) for the appropriate courses before submission of this form.** |

**CURRENT**

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**Journalism – Master of Science in Mass Communications**

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| **University Requirements:** |  |
| See Graduate Degree Policies for additional information (p. 47) |  |
| **Program Requirements:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| MDIA 6043, Theory of Mass Communications | 3 |
| CMAC 6053, Quantitative Research Methods in Communications | 3 |
| CMAC 6203, Introduction to Graduate Study | 3 |
| CMAC 6253, Qualitative Research Methods in Communications | 3 |
| **Sub-total** | **12** |
| **Journalism Requirements:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| **Select twelve hours from the following:**  STCM 5113, Integrated Marketing Communication  STCM 5023, Public Opinion, Propaganda and the Mass Media STCM 5603, Crisis Communication  STCM 6023, Advanced Studies in Communications Law MDIA 5043, Studies in Newspaper Management  MDIA 5053, Public Affairs Reporting  MDIA 5083, Sports, Business and Opinion Writing MDIA 5323, Diversity and Media  ~~MDIA 5373, Internet Communications~~ MDIA 6083, Journalism Seminar MDIA 680V, Independent Study | **12** |
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| **Total Required Hours:** | **30** |

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**Radio-Television – Master of Science in Mass Communications**

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| **Radio-Television Requirements:** | **Sem. Hrs.** |
| **Select twelve hours from the following:**  STCM 5023, Public Opinion, Propaganda and the Mass Media STCM 6023, Advanced Studies in Communications Law  MDIA 5313, Multimedia Reporting MDIA 5333, Trending Topics  MDIA 5343, News Production and Performance MDIA 5363, Multimedia Storytelling  ~~MDIA 5373, Internet Communications~~ MDIA 5573, Sportscasting  MDIA 6023, Advanced Studies in Broadcast Management MDIA 6033, The Broadcast Documentary  MDIA 6073, International Communication Seminar MDIA 6223, Broadcasting Seminar  MDIA 680V, Independent Study | **12** |
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**MDIA 5343. News Production and Performance** Experience in producing news programs. Students exercise judgment and make editorial decisions about news content and program continuity. Experience in verbal and non-verbal communication relative to on camera delivery.

**MDIA 5363. Multimedia Storytelling** Introductory course in multimedia concepts, media elements, platforms, and production. Emphasis is placed on delivery of content across media platforms for diverse audiences.

**~~MDIA 5373. Internet Communications~~** ~~Provides students with a thorough understanding and practice in the use of the Information Superhighway. Students will develop skills and strategies to access and create news, advertising, and public relations messages in this new electronic medium for mass communications. The course will also look at new opportunities for communications professionals, examine critical social, political, and economic issues for the medium, and prepare for future technological advances. Prerequisite, basic computer competency.~~

**MDIA 5573. Sportscasting** Theory and practical application of sportscasting for radio and

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**MDIA 5913. Media Advisers Seminar** To provide an overview of the issues and practices of scholastic journalism, and to enable secondary school journalism advisers to acquire and refine skills in writing, reporting, and design.

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