

## **Broadcast Journalism Advising Guide UIS Communication Department**

***If you want to be a broadcast journalist, you should choose from among these classes when offered:***

COM 210 Media Writing (if a lower-division student)  
and/or COM 312 News Gathering and Writing (if an upper-division student)  
COM 311 Audio Production  
COM 341 Communication Technologies  
COM 352 Basic Video  
COM 404 Media Law and Ethics  
COM 442 Electronic Media Programming  
COM 446 Electronic Media Management  
COM 453 Video Field Production  
COM 454 Documentary Production  
COM 457 Scripting, Producing, Directing  
COM 465 Interviewing

***We also recommend:***

COM 236 Introduction to Digital Media  
COM 273 Principles of Acting  
COM 315 Photography I  
COM 338 Digital Media: Web  
COM 403 Feature Article  
COM 405 Editing  
COM 425 Intercultural Communication  
COM 447 Media Criticism  
COM 455 Multimedia Production and Electronic Imaging  
COM 456 Digital Production Technologies  
COM 458 Media from a Liberal Arts Perspective

***Note:***

***All of the above options are classes you may use to fulfill your Communication emphasis hours (16) or non-emphasis hours (8). Please consult the UIS Guide to Programs, the Communication Department website ([www.uis.edu/com](http://www.uis.edu/com)), your adviser or the department's orange advising sheet to make sure you fulfill all department and university requirements as well.***