

MULTIMEDIA JOURNALISM (Z071)

Graduate Certificate Program
College: Journalism

Abstract

The 12-credit, four-course graduate certificate program is designed for working professionals and blends practical training in video, audio, photography, social media and interactive online publishing with the critical application of editorial, ethical and legal principles in digital media.

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ADMISSIONS

General Requirements

- Statement of Purpose
- Transcript(s)
- TOEFL/IELTS/PTE (international graduate students (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency-requirements/>))

Program-Specific Requirements

- CV/Resume
- Letter of Recommendation (optional)
- Writing Samples (up to three, optional)
- Graduate Record Examination (GRE) (optional)

UMD cannot issue the immigration documents necessary for international students to study (F1 or J1 student visas) in this program. International students who currently reside in the U.S. on existing visas may apply. Eligible international students have additional requirements per the Office of International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS). For additional requirements, please see: <https://oes.umd.edu/graduates-post-baccalaureates-professionals/professional-graduate-programs/graduate-certificate-multimedia-journalism/apply#International> (<https://oes.umd.edu/graduates-post-baccalaureates-professionals/professional-graduate-programs/graduate-certificate-multimedia-journalism/apply/#International>)

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For more admissions information or to apply to the program, please visit our Graduate School website (<https://gradschool.umd.edu/admissions/application-process/step-step-guide-applying/>).

Application Deadlines

| Type of Applicant | Fall Deadline | Spring Deadline |
|---|---------------|-------------------|
| Domestic Applicants | | |
| US Citizens and Permanent Residents | July 15 2025 | December 10, 2024 |
| International Applicants | | |
| F (student) or J (exchange visitor) visas; A, E, G, H, I and L visas and immigrants | N/A | N/A |

Other Deadlines: Please visit the program website at <http://ter.ps/oesjour> (<http://ter.ps/oesjour/>)

REQUIREMENTS

- Multimedia Journalism, Post-Baccalaureate Certificate (P.B.C.) (<https://academiccatalog.umd.edu/graduate/programs/multimedia-journalism-z071/multimedia-journalism-pbc/>)