

University of Northern Iowa
Department of Communication and Media—Digital Journalism Minor
2023-2024 Minor Requirements – 18 hours

What is a minor?

A minor is a smaller concentration of courses in a secondary area of study (fewer credit hours required for a minor). A student declares a minor on the Declaration of Curriculum form. A minor will be reflected on a degree audit and transcript once the declaration form has been filed. Minors may be disciplinary or interdisciplinary – drawing from coursework from a variety of academic departments. Minors are optional for most majors. Note that teaching minors are only available to students who are declared in a teaching major.

To Fully Declare a Digital Journalism Minor:

- ✓ File a new Declaration of Curriculum in order to declare a major or minor

Required Courses: (12 hrs.)

<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM COR 1010	Mass Communication and Society	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 1620	Fundamentals of Journalism	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 2653	News Writing and Reporting (COMM COR 1010; COMM DM 1620 or instructor consent)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 3659	Editing and Design (COMM DM 2653 or instructor consent)	3 hrs.

Electives: Select two of the following (6 hours)

<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 3900	Internship in Digital Media (Jr.; coordinator approval)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 3658	Digital Journalism (COMM DM 1651; COMM DM 2653 or COMM DM 1652)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 4611	History of U.S. Media (COMM COR 1010; Jr.)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 4630	Digital Media Law & Ethics (Jr.)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 4644	Global Media (COMM COR 1010; Jr.)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 4650	Advanced News Writing and Reporting Lab (COMM DM 2653; Jr.)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 4655	Photojournalism (COMM DM 2653 or instructor consent; Jr.)	3 hrs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	COMM DM 4656	Feature Writing (COMM DM 2653 or ENGLISH 2015 or instructor consent; Jr.)	3 hrs.

Want more information? Contact:

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