



## College of Sciences Academic Learning Compacts

### Journalism - B.A.

#### Discipline Specific Knowledge, Skills, Behavior and Values

1. Graduates will demonstrate a respect for DEADLINES and the ability to consistently meet them.
2. Journalism students will demonstrate an understanding of PROFESSIONAL and ethical standards, and act accordingly.
3. Journalism graduates will exhibit a mastery of journalistic writing, editing, grammar, punctuation, spelling, and Associated Press style.

#### Critical Thinking

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#### Communication

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#### Assessment of Journalism - B.A. Outcomes

These outcomes will be assessed using a variety of assessment methods, including:

- Research reports
- Portfolios
- Projects
- Tests