**Multimedia Journali**

Graduate Certificate Program  
College: Journalism  

**Abstract**  
The Graduate Certificate of Professional Studies in Multimedia Journalism teaches the skills most in demand today for communications professionals in news organizations, nonprofits and business. Multimedia Journalism blends practical training in digital storytelling with the critical application of editorial, ethical and legal principles.  

Multimedia Journalism is designed for professional journalists and communicators to learn the skills and concepts needed for nonfiction storytelling across media platforms, including social and web. The program offers updated skills to professionals in a field in which technology is rapidly changing. Students learn to shoot and edit photos and video; create interactive, responsive web pages using html and css; report, write and upload stories from the field using mobile devices; and research and pitch ideas for new digital media businesses.  

The 12-credit, four-course graduate certificate targets working professionals. Classes meet on Saturdays in the fall and spring semesters and may be taken one or two at a time.  

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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  

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**Application Deadlines**  

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**Other Deadlines:** Please visit the program website at 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)  

**Faculty**  

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