

# Macaulay Honors College

## Journalism, BA

### Subplan Journalism

Academic Plan: MHCJRNL-BA

Program Code: 38639

This degree map is a term-by-term sample course schedule designed to assist you and your advisor in planning your 4-year academic path to graduation with a Journalism degree

You and your advisor will use it, along with the program of study for your major (found in the [Lehman Bulletin](#) for the year of your major declaration) and Degree Works (degree audit system), to formulate your customized plan.

**30**

**CUNY Common Core Credits**

**9-18**

**Additional Macaulay Honors Requirements**

**12**

**Lehman College Option Credits**

**42-43**

**Major Credits**

**12**

**Minor or Certificate Credits (recommended)**

**5-15**

**Elective Credits**

#### LEGEND:

**Course Abbreviation**

**Credits**

Class Name

Blue: Lehman Core Requirement (LCR) & Macaulay Honors College Requirement  
*Requirement fulfilled*

Green: Major Requirement

Gold: Elective, Minor, or Certificate

# - see footnote

Underlined information is hyperlinked

# FRESHMAN

## FALL

**ENG 111** 3 CR  
English Composition I  
*Required Core – Communication*

**MHC 350** 3 CR  
The Arts in New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – Creative Expression*

**LCR** 3 CR  
*Required Core – Life and Physical Science*

**MAT 104** (depending on your math placement) or **Elective** 3 CR

**JRN 211-LCR** 3 CR  
Introduction to Multilingual Media  
*Flexible Core – Any area*<sup>[1]</sup>

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

## SPRING

**MHC 351** 3 CR  
The Peopling of New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – US Experience in Its Diversity*

**LCR** 3 CR  
*Required Core-Quantitative skills*

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language I  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**LCR** 3 CR  
*Flexible Core – World Cultures and Global Issues*

**FTS 212** 3 CR  
Introduction to Film and Television

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 30 CREDITS

# SOPHOMORE

## FALL

**MHC 352** 3 CR  
Science and Technology in New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – Scientific World*

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language II  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**LSP ###/ MHC ###**<sup>[9]</sup> 3 CR  
*Select one LSP/MHC Seminar*

**MCS 214** 3 CR  
Introduction to Media and Digital Culture

**Elective** 3 CR

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

## SPRING

**ENG 121** 3 CR  
English Composition II  
*Required Core – Communication*

**MHC 353** 3 CR  
Shaping the Future of New York City  
Fulfills *Flexible Core – Individual and Society*

**LCR** 3 CR  
Foreign Language III  
*College Option - Foreign Language*

**JRN 221** 3 CR  
Reporting I

**JRN 222** 3 CR  
New Media

Note: Macaulay Honors Advisement<sup>[6]</sup>

30 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 60 CREDITS

# JUNIOR

| FALL  |      |
|---|------|
| <b>LCR</b><br>Foreign Language IV<br><i>College Option - Foreign Language</i> | 3 CR |
| <b>JRN 223</b><br>Journalism Ethics   | 3 CR |
| <b>JRN 307</b><br>Multimedia Editing and Proofreading                         | 3 CR |
| <b>JRN 320</b><br>Interviewing for Mainstream and Ethnic Media                | 3 CR |
| Minor or Certificate Course I <sup>[11]</sup>                                 | 3 CR |
| Note: Additional Macaulay Requirements <sup>[7]</sup>                         |      |

| SPRING   |      |
|--|------|
| <b>Internship or Study Abroad</b><br>or <b>Elective</b> <sup>[8]</sup> | 3 CR |
| <b>JRN 321</b> <sup>[2]</sup><br>Reporting II                          | 3 CR |
| <b>JRN 323</b> <sup>[2]</sup><br>Feature Writing                       | 3 CR |
| <b>JRN 300 or JRN 302 or JRN 322</b> <sup>[3]</sup>                    | 3 CR |
| Minor or Certificate Course II <sup>[11]</sup>                         | 3 CR |
| Note: Additional Macaulay Requirements <sup>[7]</sup>                  |      |

60 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 90 CREDITS

# SENIOR

| FALL  |        |
|---|--------|
| <b>Senior Year Option 1 or 2</b> <sup>[10]</sup>                            | 3-6 CR |
| <b>LSP ###/ MHC ###</b> <sup>[9]</sup><br><i>Select one LSP/MHC Seminar</i> | 3 CR   |
| <b>JRN 300 or JRN 302 or JRN 322</b> <sup>[3]</sup>                         | 3 CR   |
| <b>Major Elective</b> <sup>[4]</sup>  | 3 CR   |
| Minor or Certificate Course III <sup>[11]</sup>                             | 3 CR   |

| SPRING   |        |
|--|--------|
| <b>Senior Year Option 1 or 2</b> <sup>[10]</sup>   | 3-6 CR |
| <b>LSP ###/ MHC ###</b> <sup>[9]</sup><br><i>Select one LSP/MHC Seminar</i>  | 3 CR   |
| <b>JRN 481 or JRN 491 and JRN 492</b> <sup>[5]</sup><br>Independent Project in Journalism<br>or Honors Tutorial in Journalism and Honors<br>Colloquium in Journalism | 3-4 CR |
| <b>Elective</b>  | 2-3 CR |
| Minor or Certificate Course IV <sup>[11]</sup>   | 3 CR   |

90 PRIOR CREDITS + 15 FALL CREDITS + 15 SPRING CREDITS = 120 CREDITS

[1] No more than two courses in one discipline may be used to satisfy Flexible Core requirements.

[2] JRN 321: Reporting II and JRN 323: Feature Writing must be taken together

[3] Choose two of the following three courses: JRN 300: The Bronx Journal Online Advanced Workshop, JRN 302: Covering Race, Gender and Ethnicity or JRN 322: Online News Page Design and Editing

[4] The Major Elective course can be chosen after consultation with a Departmental Advisor

[5] If you wish to enroll for JRN 491, you must also enroll in JRN 492. Students must have earned at least 90 credits, have a 3.5 GPA in the major and have department permission

[6] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to meet with the Macaulay Honors Advisor prior to registration during their first four terms.

[7] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete a minimum of 30 hours of community service by their senior year.

[8] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete at least one (1) qualifying internship or study abroad experience. Students may fulfill this requirement with a paid, unpaid, and credit-bearing or non-credit bearing experience. In all instances, students must complete an MHC internship agreement form and subsequent internship evaluation, in order to be acknowledged for fulfilling this requirement.

[9] Every Macaulay Honors student is required to complete nine (9) credits in Upper Level honors courses (MHC or LSP). These courses can be taken at the Macaulay Honors College, which may require an ePermit (See Advisor). They may also be taken on campus by enrolling in an LSP Seminar.

[10] Macaulay Honors students may chose a Senior Option 1 or Senior Option 2 based on the following

Senior Option 1

Fall Semester: LSP ###/ MHC ### (select one LSP/MHC seminar)

Spring Semester: Honors in Major (Where offered) or LSP 481: Honors Tutorial

Senior Option 2

Fall Semester: LSP ###/ MHC ### (select one LSP/MHC seminar) and MHC 355: Research Seminar (Part 1

Spring Semester: MHC 355: Research Seminar (Part 2)

[11] We strongly recommend clustering 12- 15 elective credits to obtain a minor or certificate that complements your general and major field of study. The choice of the minor or certificate depends on your interest and should be coordinated with advisors. Check out more information on Minors or Certificates with your advisor.

*NOTE: Writing Intensive Sections: Complete 4 sections designated as writing-intensive, 3 prior to earning 60 credits and 1 following. These sections may be searched by class attribute and are offered in General Education, major, minor and elective courses.*

See other degree maps.