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Dean Johnson,

Per your request the School of Communication and Multimedia Studies wishes to declare its position on Limited Access Program requests for its BA sequences.

Communication Studies BA:

The Communication Studies BA sequence will NOT require limited access designation. Accordingly, degree declaration requirements will move from 2.5 GPA to a 2.0 for the major. All other requirements (including completing the foundation coursework and the IFP including ENG 1101 & 1102 will remain in place).

Multimedia Studies – Sequence in Film, Video and New Media:

The Multimedia Studies BA Film, Video, and New Media sequence will NOT require limited access designation. Accordingly, degree declaration requirements will move from 2.5 GPA to a 2.0 for the major. All other requirements (including completing the foundation coursework and the IFP including ENG 1101 & 1102 will remain in place).

Multimedia Studies – Sequence in Multimedia Journalism

Given the definition of Limited Access and in keeping with the programmatic need for students to successfully complete the spelling, punctuation and grammar test currently required of majors, faculty in the Multimedia Studies BA Multimedia Journalism sequence have determined that the degree WILL require limited access designation. This request does not add to existing requirements of students considering Multimedia Journalism as a major.

GPA entrance requirements will move from a 2.5 GPA to a 2.0 for the major. All other requirements (including completing the foundation coursework and the IFP including ENG 1101 & 1102 will remain in place).



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Thank you for your assistance in clarifying the Limited Access designation and in helping to process this request.

Sincerely,

Noemi Marin
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