Course: CO 240 Broadcast Media Internship (TV & Digital Media Production)

Credits: 3

Prerequisites
Permission of Instructor

Description
This course is designed to offer students an internship with local broadcast media. Students will work with participating television and/or radio stations or camera/production crews for the equivalent of at least 8-10 hours per week.

Learning Outcomes
At the completion of this course, students should be able to:

• Develop a working knowledge of the broadcasting field.
• Build relationships with professionals in the field.
• Identify the transition from the academic environment into the professional field.
• Demonstrate skill sets that will further prepare the students to work in the field.
• Develop confidence, skills and experience in team working environments, work on projects on a time based criteria, and exchange ideas with other professionals in a professional manner.

Topical Outline
The student will have individual monthly meetings with the faculty advisor to discuss relevant topics and concerns as relating to the individual internship placement.

Required Texts and Other Materials
No text assigned. Placement sites may assign reading.

Student Assessment
Evaluation for this course will be based on:
60% Employer Written Evaluation
40% Student Written Evaluation (essay, weekly journal, internship work)

Academic Integrity
Plagiarism is cheating. Plagiarism is presenting in written work, in public speaking, and in oral reports the ideas or exact words of someone else without proper documentation.

Whether the act of plagiarism is deliberate or accidental [ignorance of the proper rules for handling material is no excuse], plagiarism is, indeed, a “criminal” offense. As such, a plagiarized paper or report automatically receives a grade of ZERO and the student may receive a grade of F for the semester at the discretion of the instructor.
Available Resources
If you are having difficulty with work in this class, tutoring is available through the Success Center. If you think that you might have a learning disability, contact Project Assist at 856.691.8600, x1282 for information on assistance that can be provided to eligible students.

(List availability of open labs and/or writing center)

Before Withdrawing From This Course
If a student experiences adverse circumstances while enrolled in this course and considers withdrawing, s/he should see an advisor (division or advisement center) BEFORE withdrawing from the class. A withdrawal may cause harmful repercussions to completion rate standards and overall GPA which can limit or eliminate future financial aid in addition to causing academic suspension.