

COTC - COMM THEORY AND CRITIC (COTC)

COTC 1131 Mass Communication I (3 Credits)

This course surveys the mass media from the rise of print to the age of the computer. The historical and theoretical implications of mass media are examined by studying representative examples of each medium.

COTC 1311 Mass Communication (3 Credits)**COTC 3191 Independent Study (1 Credit)****COTC 3192 Independent Study (2 Credits)****COTC 3193 Independent Study (3 Credits)**

Projects chosen according to the student's interest. Completed under the guidance of a faculty adviser, with the approval of the department chair. A maximum of 3 credits may be taken in individual research in one semester; none of these courses may be taken in the same semester as COTC 5199. (Open to senior majors only).

COTC 3197 Communication Internship I (3 Credits)

On-the-job education and experience in New Jersey and New York media organizations, under professional supervision. See Internship Director.

COTC 3198 Communication Internship II (3 Credits)

On-the-job education and experience in New Jersey and New York media organizations, under professional supervision. See Internship Director..

COTC 4190 CHAMP (1 Credit)**COTC 4191 Internship (1 Credit)****COTC 4195 CHAMP II (1 Credit)****COTC 4197 Communication Internship III (3 Credits)**

On-the-job education and experience in New Jersey and New York media organizations, under professional supervision. See Internship Director..

COTC 4198 Internship IV (3 Credits)

On-the-job education and experience in New Jersey and New York media organizations, under professional supervision. See Internship Director..

COTC 5199 Senior Thesis (3 Credits)

Students select section to meet their needs. Seminar sections: review of research in broadcasting, film, journalism or theatre. Students engage in individual and/or group research projects. Thesis section: tools and techniques of research. Each student completes an independent research project (thesis) in consultation with a faculty adviser. COTC 3191-3193 may not be taken in the same semester as COTC 5199. Open to senior majors only.