

Digital Media Production Certificate (14 hours)

This certificate provides pre-professional study in digital media production including narrative, documentary, television, and interactive media production arts. It is open to all NIU undergraduates.

Requirements:

- ☐ Must earn a grade of C or better in each certificate course
- ☐ Must complete all certificate coursework within six calendar years
- ☐ Must take all coursework for the certificate at NIU

It is highly recommended students pursuing this certificate take COMS 355 Media Writing and COMS 358 before or during their junior year.

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Complete two from the following:

- ☐ **COMS 349** Introduction to Digital Audio Production (4) _____
- ☐ **COMS 357** Introduction to Studio Production (4) (Spring only) _____
- ☐ **COMS 358** Introduction to Field Production (4) _____
- ☐ **COMS 359** Interactive Media Production I (4) _____
- ☐ **COMS 392** Special Topics in Media Production (3) _____

Complete coursework from the following as needed to complete minimum of 14 credit hours:

- ☐ **COMS 426** Advanced Documentary Field Production (4) (Fall only) _____
(PRQ: COMS 358, COMS 457, and consent)
- ☐ **COMS 427** Advanced Narrative Field Production (4) (Spring only) _____
(PRQ: COMS 358 and consent)
- ☐ **COMS 436** Advanced Post Production (3) _____
(PRQ: COMS 357 or 358, or consent)
- ☐ **COMS 466** Narrative Scriptwriting (3) (Fall only) _____
(PRQ: COMS 355)
- ☐ **COMS 492** Special Topics in Media Production (3) _____
- ☐ **COMS 469** Interactive Media Production II (3) _____
(PRQ: COMS 359 or consent)
- ☐ Also count: COMS 463, 498B