# **Transfer Guide**



# Associate of Arts to Bachelor of Arts in Media Studies

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between MVCC and GSU for the Media Studies degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate of Arts (AA) degree from Moraine Valley Community College (MVCC) and a Bachelors of Arts (BA) degree in Media Studies from Governors State University (GSU).

#### I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM: (37-38 Hours)

## **Communications (9 hours)**

COM 101 - Composition I (3) COM 102 - Composition II (3)

COM 103 - Speech Fundamentals (3)

### **Humanities and Fine Arts (9 hours)**

LIT 227 - Literature as Film (3) (recommended) Fine Arts Course (3)\* Humanities Course (3)\*

## Mathematics (3 hours)

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# Physical and Life Sciences (7-8 hours)

Select one life science course and one physical science course. One course must have a lab.

Life Science Course (3-4)\*
Physical Science Course (3-4)\*

## Social and Behavioral Sciences (9 hours)

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#### II. LOWER-DIVISION MAJOR COURSES (6 Hours)

JRN 101 - Intro to Mass Communication (3) (recommended)
JRN 111 - Newswriting I (3) (recommended)

# III. ELECTIVES (18-19 Hours)

GSU's Media Studies program suggests classes in Foreign Languages and nonwestern culture courses. Additional communications courses can be taken.

#### **REQUIRED A.A. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 62 Hours**

\* Refer to the MVCC AA/AS guidelines for a list of course choices in Section I-III.

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#### IV. TO BE COMPLETED AT GSU (58 HOURS)

# **Core Courses (27 Hours)**

MST 2100 - Introduction to Media Production (3) - Introduction to Media Studies (3) MST 2101 - Global Media Literacy (3) MST 3099 - Global Media Literacy (3) MST 3110 MST 2102 - Digital Video Writing (3) COMS 3160 COMS 4110 - Advanced Public Speaking (3) - Communication Research (3) COMS 4850 - Communication Ethics (3) MST 4991 - Senior Seminar (3)

## **Select one of the following: (3 hours)** (Discipline Focused Comparative Studies)

MST 2110 - Media Forms (3) MST 2120 - Media Theory (3)

MST 2130 - Media Culture and Innovation (3)

MST 3750 - Media Storytelling (3)

# **Select one of the following: (3 hours)** (Interdisciplinary Method/Approach)

ANTH 3800 - Visual Anthropology (3)

ART 4565 - 3D Modeling (3)

MCOM 3740 - Media Prod Tech: Field & Studio (3)

MST 3104 - Playing Games (3) MST 3214 - Chicagoland Media (3)

## Select one of the following: (3 hours) (Advanced Writing)

ENGL 4100 - Advanced Composition (3) ENGL 4626 - Technical Writing I (3) MST 4130 - Writing for Multimedia (3)

#### **Concentrations (15-25 hours)**

Select one of the following three concentrations:

Media Industry and Production Networking and Participatory Culture Global Media and Information Flow

## Media Studies Elective (6 hours)

Select six hours of media studies courses with advisor approval.

#### **Electives (0-1 hour)**

Minimum Required for the BA in Media Studies: 120 Hours

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