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Programme Name: Bachelor of Journalism & Media Studies

Programme Description

The Bachelor of Journal & Media Studies is a 3-year full time programme.

Number of courses -24

Total credit point - 360

Admission Requirements:

Candidates for admission to the Bachelor of Journalism & Media Studies programme must have:

- a) Direct Entry - Year 13 (FSFE) or Equivalent
 - i. Passed Fiji Year 13 Examination with 65% in English or;
- b) Mature Entry
 - ii. Passed any examination deemed by the University to be equivalent to the University Foundation Education Certificate.

Duration of the programme:

Part-time – 4 year

Full-time – 3 years

Location:

Saweni & Samabula Campus

Estimated Tuition Fees - Local (FJD): \$10,200.00

Estimated Tuition Fees –International (FJD): \$20,400.00

Programme Structure

Year 1 Semester I

Course Title	Credit Points
LLC101 English for Academic Purposes	15
JMS101 Introduction to Journalism Practice	15
UUU100 Social Research Methods	15
JMS102 Journalism in Fiji	15

Year 1 Semester 2

Course Title	Credit Points
JMS103 Media Studies: Key Thinkers & Approaches	15
ITK111 Spoken iTaukei Language / HIC111 Hindi Language for Beginners	15
ITC100 Computer Platforms	15
JMS104 Web Design and Development: Making the Web Work	15

Year 2 Semester 1

Course Title	Credit Points
JMS201 Documentary	15
JMS202 Journalism and Politics	15
JMS203 Journalism: Interview Skills and Feature Writing	15
JMS204 Media Law and Regulation	15

Year 2 Semester 2

Course Title	Credit Points
UUU200 Contemporary Fiji	15
JMS205 Media, Technology and Culture	15
JMS206 The Versatile Journalist	15
JMS207 Web Design and Development: Effective Website Development	15

Year 2 Semester 1

Course Title	Credit Points
JMS301 Advanced Skills in Digital and Networked Media	15
UUU300 Governance and Ethics	15
JMS302 Principles of Digital Video and Editing	15
JMS303 Principles of Layout and Design	15

Year 3 Semester 2

Course Title	Credit Points
JMS304 Professional and Strategic Communications	15
JMS305 Web Design and Development – Dynamic Web Communications	15
JMS306 Independent Studies in Journalism and Media Studies	15
JMS307 Internship	15

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