

2011/12 Programme Structure

Broadcast Journalism

Duration: PG Diploma 1 year full time
MA 1 year full time plus 1 year part time to complete the Research Methodologies module

Total credit rating: PGD 120 credits
MA 180 credits

Level 7

Please refer to the Prospectus for entry requirements.

Core: Candidates are required to take:

MJO 18003	Professional Journalism Practices & Responsibilities	30 credits
MJO 28003	Law for Journalists	30 credits
MJO 38003	Journalism Skills for Broadcast	30 credits
MJO 38001	Professional Placement	10 credits
MJO 48002	Public Affairs and Ethics	20 credits
MJO 58006	Research Methodologies and Journalism Research Project	60 credits

Progression and Award

On entering the MA/PGDip programme, a student will be required to register directly for the MA.

A student may proceed to the PGDip or the MA having followed an approved Programme of Study for not less than one academic year and not more than four calendar years from the date of first registration upon the programme, and by passing prescribed assessments.

Award of Master of Arts (MA)

To be eligible for the award of MA in Journalism candidates must accumulate a total of 180 credits.

Award of Postgraduate Diploma

To be eligible for the award of the Postgraduate Diploma Candidates must accumulate a total of 120 credits.

Progression to MJO38001 is conditional on a satisfactory recommendation by designated tutor based on achievements in continuous assessment as demonstrated through the student's training record ("log book")

Successful completion of the PG Diploma is required for progression to the MA module.