







While USF St. Petersburg's Digital Journalism and Design master's degree program was designed to be completed over three semesters (in one year), we also recognize that many people prefer to complete the program on a part-time basis over up to six semesters (two years).
























We've designed eight "tracks" for completing the program in three, four, five and six semesters, depending on term of entry. Use the chart to the right to determine which track is best for you.




Not all DJD core and elective courses run in fall and spring semesters. Below, find out what your options are and plan your path of study.

ONLINE CORE

-  JOU 6114 **Multimedia Reporting** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6206 **Mass Comm. Ethics** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6400 **Mass Comm. Theory** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6612 **Law & Mass Media** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6950 **Applied Research Project** (3 cr) or
-  MMC 6971 **Thesis** (6 cr)

ELECTIVES

-  JOU 6360 **Digital Media Technology** (3 cr)
-  JOU 4131 **Video Storytelling 1** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Video Storytelling 2** (3 cr)
-  MMC 5146 **Web Publishing** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Data Visualization** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Food Writing** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Introduction to Blogging** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Journalists in the Movies** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Media and Elections** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Multimedia Production** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Neighborhood News Bureau** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Personal Success in Media** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Sizzling Images** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Social Media** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Sports Journalism** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Telling Stories with Data** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Topics in Food Communication** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **VR & Alternative Storytelling** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **VARIOUS SPECIAL TOPICS** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6945 **Professional Practicum** (1-3 cr)
-  PGY 5619 **Photojournalism 1** (3 cr)
-  MMC 6936 **Photojournalism 2** (3 cr)
-  RTV 5416 **Race, Gender & Class in Media** (3 cr)
-  VIC 6007 **Viscomm Design & Theory** (3 cr)

-  Summer
-  Fall
-  Spring
- O - Offered Online
- C - Offered On Campus
- V - Variable Offering
- P - Off Campus Practicum

NOTE: Elective courses may change from semester to semester depending on student demand. The semesters and course formats listed here are subject to change. Contact the Department of Journalism and Digital Communication (journalism@usf.edu) prior to registration to ensure course availability.

Remember: If you are relying on financial aid to pay for the program, you must carry at least five (5) graduate level credits each semester. Contact the USF Office of Financial Aid for more information: usf.edu/finaid

F ₃ Three Semesters (Starting in Fall)			
FALL 1	SPRING 1	SUMMER 1	
MMC 6400	JOU 6114	Elective	
MMC 6612	MMC 6206	Elective	
Elective	Elective	Project/Thesis	
Elective	Elective		

S ₃ Three Semesters (Starting in Spring)			
SPRING 1	SUMMER 1	FALL 1	
JOU 6114	Elective	MMC 6400	
MMC 6206	Elective	MMC 6612	
Elective	Elective	Elective	
Elective		Project/Thesis	

F ₄ Four Semesters (Starting in Fall)			
FALL 1		SPRING 1	SUMMER 1
MMC 6112		MMC 6206	Elective
Elective		JOU 6114	Elective
Elective		Elective	
FALL 2			
MMC 6400			
Elective			
Project/Thesis			

S ₄ Four Semesters (Starting in Spring)			
SPRING 1		SUMMER 1	FALL 1
JOU 6114		Elective	MMC 6400
Elective		Elective	MMC 6612
Elective			Elective
SPRING 2			
MMC 6206			
Elective			
Project/Thesis			

F ₅ Five Semesters (Starting in Fall)			
FALL 1	SPRING 1	SUMMER 1	
MMC 6114	JOU 6114	Elective	
Elective	Elective	Elective	
	Elective*		
FALL 2	SPRING 2		
MMC 6400	MMC 6206		
Elective	Project/Thesis		

S ₅ Five Semesters (Starting in Spring)			
SPRING 1	SUMMER 1	FALL 1	
JOU 6114	Elective	MMC 6400	
Elective	Elective	MMC 6612	
Elective*			
SPRING 2	SUMMER 2		
MMC 6206	Elective		
Elective	Project/Thesis		

F ₆ Six Semesters (Starting in Fall)			
FALL 1	SPRING 1	SUMMER 1	
MMC 6112	JOU 6114	Elective	
Elective	Elective	Elective	
FALL 2	SPRING 2	SUMMER 2	
MMC 6400	MMC 6206	Elective	
Elective	Elective	Project/Thesis	

S ₆ Six Semesters (Starting in Spring)			
SPRING 1	SUMMER 1	FALL 1	
JOU 6114	Elective	MMC 6400	
Elective	Elective	Elective	
SPRING 2	SUMMER 2	FALL 2	
MMC 6206	Elective	MMC 6612	
Elective	Elective	Project/Thesis	

*These elective offerings may be taken during any semester but are listed here as an example. If you know that one semester will be better than another to take on an extra course, please discuss with your faculty adviser.