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JOURNALISM SPECIALISATION

SEMESTER 2 INTAKE

YEAR 1

SEMESTER 2	ATS1119 (6pts)	ATS1090 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	ATS1346 (6pts)
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YEAR 2

SEMESTER 1	ATS1206 (6pts)	ATS1089 (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1899 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1900 (6pts)

YEAR 3

SEMESTER 1	ATS1345 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2901 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	ATS2781 (6pts)	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2902 (6pts)


YEAR 4

SEMESTER 1	SPECIALIST STUDIES CORNERSTONE (6pts)	3RD YEAR SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	3RD YEAR CORE STUDIES (12pts)		SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3061 (6pts)

YEAR 5

SEMESTER 1	SPECIALIST STUDIES CAPSTONE (6pts)	3RD YEAR SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3094 (6pts)
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MEDIA SPECIALISATION

SEMESTER 2 INTAKE

YEAR 1

SEMESTER 2	ATS1119 (6pts)	ATS1280 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	ATS1346 (6pts)
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YEAR 2

SEMESTER 1	ATS1206 (6pts)	ATS1279 (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1899 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1900 (6pts)

YEAR 3

SEMESTER 1	ATS1345 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2901 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES CORNERSTONE (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2902 (6pts)

YEAR 4

SEMESTER 1	SPECIALIST STUDIES CAPSTONE (6pts)	3RD YEAR SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	3RD YEAR CORE STUDIES (12pts)		SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3061 (6pts)

YEAR 5

SEMESTER 1	SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	3RD YEAR SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3094 (6pts)
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PUBLIC RELATIONS SPECIALISATION

SEMESTER 2 INTAKE

YEAR 1

SEMESTER 2	ATS1119 (6pts)	ATS1060 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	ATS1346 (6pts)
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YEAR 2

SEMESTER 1	ATS1206 (6pts)	ATS1125 (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1899 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1900 (6pts)

YEAR 3

SEMESTER 1	ATS1345 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2901 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	ATS2455 (6pts)	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2902 (6pts)

YEAR 4

SEMESTER 1	ATS2996 (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES CAPSTONE (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	3RD YEAR CORE STUDIES (12pts)		SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3061 (6pts)

YEAR 5

SEMESTER 1	SPECIALIST STUDIES CAPSTONE (6pts)	3RD YEAR SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3094 (6pts)
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SCREEN SPECIALISATION

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YEAR 1

SEMESTER 2	ATS1119 (6pts)	ATS1304 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	ATS1346 (6pts)
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YEAR 2

SEMESTER 1	ATS1206 (6pts)	ATS1305 (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1899 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	CONTEXT STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS1900 (6pts)

YEAR 3

SEMESTER 1	ATS1345 (6pts)	FOUNDATION STUDIES* (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2901 (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	2ND YEAR CORE STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES CORNERSTONE (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS2902 (6pts)

YEAR 4

SEMESTER 1	SPECIALIST STUDIES CAPSTONE (6pts)	3RD YEAR SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	SPECIALIST STUDIES ELECTIVE (6pts)
SEMESTER 2	3RD YEAR CORE STUDIES (12pts)		SPECIALIST STUDIES (6pts)	ATS3061 (6pts)

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