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JOURNALISM SPECIALISATION - semester 2 intake

YEAR 1

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| SEMESTER 2 | ATS1119 (6pts) | ATS1090 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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YEAR 2

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS1206 (6pts) | ATS1089 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
| SEMESTER 2 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 3

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| SEMESTER 1 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | ATS2784 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 4

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS2781 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | 3RD YEAR CORE UNIT | | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |

YEAR 5

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS3645 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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|  CORE UNIT |  ARTS MAJOR UNIT |
|  SPECIALISATION UNIT |  ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
|  ARTS ELECTIVES | |

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MEDIA SPECIALISATION - semester 2 intake

YEAR 1

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| SEMESTER 2 | ATS1119 (6pts) | ATS1280 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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YEAR 2

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS1206 (6pts) | ATS1279 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
| SEMESTER 2 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 3

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| SEMESTER 1 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 4

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|------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| SEMESTER 1 | ATS2324 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | 3RD YEAR CORE UNIT | | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |

YEAR 5

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS3992 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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|  CORE UNIT |  ARTS MAJOR UNIT |
|  SPECIALISATION UNIT |  ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
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SCREEN SPECIALISATION - semester 2 intake

YEAR 1

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| SEMESTER 2 | ATS1119 (6pts) | ATS1304 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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YEAR 2

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS1206 (6pts) | ATS1305 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
| SEMESTER 2 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 3

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| SEMESTER 1 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 4

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS2964 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | 3RD YEAR CORE UNIT | | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |

YEAR 5

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS3969 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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PUBLIC RELATIONS SPECIALISATION - semester 2 intake

YEAR 1

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|------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
| SEMESTER 2 | ATS1119 (6pts) | *ATS1280 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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YEAR 2

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS1206 (6pts) | ATS1125 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
| SEMESTER 2 | ATS2455 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 3

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS2996 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 1ST YEAR CORE UNIT | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | ATS3254 (6pts) | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |

YEAR 4

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|------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| SEMESTER 1 | 2ND YEAR CORE UNIT | SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
| SEMESTER 2 | 3RD YEAR CORE UNIT | | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |

YEAR 5

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| SEMESTER 1 | ATS3645 or ATS3992 (6pts) | SPECIALISATION 3RD YEAR ELECTIVE | ARTS MAJOR UNIT | ARTS ELECTIVE |
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Note: *Students who have completed ATS1280 Understanding the media as part of the Media specialisation will need to complete ATS1298 Professional writing as part of their gateway requirement.

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|  SPECIALISATION UNIT |  ARTS PROFESSIONAL FUTURES UNIT |
|  ARTS ELECTIVE | |

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