Journalism for Transfer

Associate Degree for Transfer Graduation Requirements

(1) Complete all department requirements with a “C” or better in each course. Candidates for an Associate Degree are also required to complete at least 20% of the department requirements through SBCC. Pass/No Pass grading is not permitted in those courses needed to fulfill department requirements; (2) Complete the IGETC-CSU or the CSU GE Breadth pattern; (3) Complete a total of 60 CSU transferable semester units; (4) Maintain a minimum cumulative CSU transferable GPA of 2.0; and (5) Candidates for an Associate Degree are required to complete 15 units through SBCC.

Department Requirements
(Total Department Units: 18-23.5)

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IMPORTANT NOTE: Students are advised to meet with an academic counselor to discuss the best combination of courses to take for the AA-T and to meet the requirements of the transfer institution to which they are intending to transfer.

**Required Core (9 units)**

- COMM 171* (none) ............... Mass Media and Society ......................... 3.0
- JOUR 101 .... (JOURN 101/1) .... Reporting/Writing I .......................... 3.0
- JOUR 121 .... (JOURN 121) ...... Channels Newspaper Lab 1 .................... 3.0

**List A. Select one course from the following (3-4 units)**

- JOUR 122A ... (122/JOURN 122) .... The Channels: Newswriting & Editing ...... 4.0
- JOUR 135 .... (none) ................ Public Relations OR ........................ 3.0
  MKT 135 .... (none) ................ Public Relations ............................ 3.0
- JOUR 190 ..... (JOURN 190) ...... Photojournalism OR .......................... 3.0
  PHOT 190 .... (PHOTO/GDP 190) ... Photojournalism ............................ 3.0
- JOUR 221 ..... (none) ................ The Channels: Digital Media Reporting ...... 4.0

**List B. Select two courses from the following (6-10.5 units)**

*Any CSU GE Breadth courses from two different Areas within A through D or IGETC Areas 1A through 5C not used above and/or

- ACCT 230 .... (none) ............... Financial Accounting ........................ 5.0
- ART 140 ...... (none) ................ 2-D Design: Composition and Color .... 3.0
- ENG 270 ...... (31) .................. Introduction to Creative Writing .......... 3.0
- FP 175...... (FILMPRO/FILMST 175/MAT 175) .. Film and Video Production I ........ 3.0
- GDP 111 ...... (none) ................ Graphic Design Basics ...................... 3.0
- MKT 203 ...... (3) .................. Marketing Communications .................. 3.0
- PHOT 109 ..... (PHOTO/GDP/GP 109) .... Photo I .................................. 3.0
- PHOT 209 ..... (PHOTO/GDP/GP 209) .... Photo II .................................. 3.0

*These courses fulfill an IGETC and/or a CSU GE Breadth pattern requirement. Visit [www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) or [http://articulation.sbcc.edu](http://articulation.sbcc.edu) for a complete list of IGETC and CSU GE Breadth requirements.

**Additional Program Information**

For further information, contact the Counseling Center, 965-0581, Ext. 2285, or Patricia Stark, Department Chair, 965-0581, Ext. 2378.
### SBCC AA-T/AS-T Degree Graduation Requirements Worksheet (Must complete IA or IB, II, III and IV below)

#### IA. IGETC-CSU** (Institution & Course Number) – Minimum 38 semester units

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- **1A. English Composition**
- **1B. Critical Thinking**
- **1C. Oral Communication**
- **2A. Mathematics**
- **3A. Arts**
- **3B. Humanities**
- **4. Social Sciences**
- **5A/L. Physical Sciences**
- **5B/L. Biological Sciences**

#### IB. CSU GE Breadth Pattern** (Institution & Course Number) – Minimum 40 semester units

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- **A1. Oral Communication**
- **A2. Written Communication**
- **A3. Critical Thinking**
- **B1/B3. Physical Science**
- **B2/B3. Life Science**
- **B4. Mathematics**
- **C1. Arts**
- **C2. Humanities**
- **D. Social Sciences**
- **E. Lifelong Learning and Self-Development**

**For specific course, unit and grade requirements see the IGETC or CSU GE Breadth Requirements, visit [http://www.assist.org](http://www.assist.org) or [http://articulation.sbcc.edu](http://articulation.sbcc.edu).**

### II. Unit and Grade Point Average Requirements:

- 60 CSU transferable units and a minimum cumulative CSU transferable GPA of 2.0.

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### III. Residency Requirements:

1. 15 units completed through SBCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No
2. 20% of Department Requirements completed through SBCC? ☐ Yes ☐ No

### IV. Department Requirements:

Refer to the other side of this document for a list of required courses. Were all department requirements completed with a “C or higher in each course? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Waivers/Substitutions:

Counselor Comments:

Student's name: ___________________________ Student ID: K________

Counselor’s Name: ___________________________ Code: _______ Date: ____________

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**Journalism for Transfer**

2015-16

**Associate in Arts Degree in Journalism for Transfer**

Students majoring in journalism learn about the American news media in all forms—newspapers, magazines, television, radio and the Internet—as the basis of a liberal arts education. Students also become media “practitioners” as every journalism class offers a unique opportunity to develop publishable work for The Channels, SBCC’s award-winning student newspaper and online service. The Journalism Department is an active part of the School of Media Arts, and we offer all students the opportunity to collaborate with those from the disciplines of film, video production, multimedia, photography and graphic design.

The Associate in Arts degree in Journalism for Transfer will provide the foundational knowledge in Journalism to students who want to earn a Baccalaureate Degree in Journalism at any of the CSU campuses. This degree is in compliance with the Student Transfer Achievement Reform Act {Senate Bill 1440, now codified in California Education Code sections 66746-66749} and guarantees admission to a California State University (CSU) campus for any community college student who completes an “associate degree for transfer,” a newly established variation of the associate degrees traditionally offered at a California community college. Upon completion of the transfer associate degree, the student is eligible for transfer with junior standing into the California State University (CSU) system. Students will be given priority consideration when applying to a particular program that is similar to the student’s community college area of emphasis. Visit [www.sb1440.org](http://www.sb1440.org) for the latest information about these degrees.

NOTE: Program first offered Spring 2015.