

# BA (Hons) Journalism 2020-21 Addenda to Programme Specification

**Awarding Institution:** 

University of London (Interim Exit Awards made by Goldsmiths' College)

Teaching Institution: Goldsmiths, University of London

Name of Final Award and Programme Title: BA (Hons) Journalism

Name of Interim Exit Award(s): Not applicable

FHEQ Level of Award: Level 6

Programme accredited by: Not applicable

Home Department: Media, Communications and Cultural Studies

Department(s) which will also be involved in teaching part of the programme:

Not applicable

#### Overview of programme changes

Goldsmiths has needed to make changes to the way in which its programmes will be taught in 2020-21 in response to the ongoing global Covid-19 pandemic. This means that all programmes will be taught through a mix of online and in-person teaching sessions in 2020-21\*.

In some instances changes have also been made to assessment formats where necessary.

This addenda summarises approved changes that will be in place for 2020-21. Further programme information is provided in the published programme specification.

\*On-campus time is subject to tutor availability and government health and safety guidance.

#### How you will learn and how you will be assessed

#### Academic year of study 1 for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Introduction to	10 pre-recorded lectures. 8 online	No change
Power, Politics and	seminars. 2 seminars delivered face-to-	
Public Affairs	face on-campus.	
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	replaces the text above. This module is	

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Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
	delivered in the autumn term via 10 pre- recorded lectures and 10 online seminars.	
Introduction to Multimedia Journalism	10 workshops delivered online.	No change
Digital Methods in Journalism	10 workshops delivered on-campus. <u>Update 29 September 2020:</u> This text replaces the text above. This module is delivered in the autumn term via 10 online workshops.	No change
News and Culture	10 pre-recorded lectures. 8 online seminars. 2 seminars delivered face-to-face on-campus. <u>Update 29 September 2020:</u> This text replaces the text above. This module is delivered in the autumn term via 10 pre-recorded lectures and 10 online seminars.	No change
Key Debates in Media Studies	10 pre-recorded lectures. 8 online seminars. 2 seminars delivered face-to-face on-campus.	No change
Introduction to Digital Methods for Journalism	10 workshops delivered on-campus <u>Update 29 September 2020:</u> This text replaces the text above. This module is delivered in the autumn term via 10 online workshops.	No change
Introduction to Video Reporting	5 workshops delivered on-campus.	No change

### Academic year of study 2 for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Multimedia	10 workshops delivered online (some	No change
Journalism	delivered on-campus if possible).	
Data Journalism	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	Exam (40%) changed to take
and Visualisation	most cases for students to access later),	home/online exam (40%)
	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	



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	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
	facilities for unsupervised work.	
Social Media,	Weekly online lecture (also recorded in	No change
Crowdsourcing and	most cases for students to access later),	
Citizen Sensing	and weekly 'review seminar' on-campus	
	and online (students allocated on rotation	
	to on-campus seminar). One-to-one or	
	small group online contact with lecturer(s)	
	within 'virtual contact hours'. Bookable	
NA P I	facilities for unsupervised work.	N
Media Law and	10 pre-recorded lectures. 8 online	No change
Ethics	seminars. 2 seminars delivered face-to-	
	face on-campus.	
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	recorded lectures and 10 online	
	seminars.	
News and Power in	10 pre-recorded lectures. 8 online	No change
a Globalised	seminars. 2 seminars delivered face-to-	Two origings
Context	face on-campus.	
Feature Writing	10 workshops delivered on-campus.	No change
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	delivered in the autumn term via 10 online	
	workshops.	
Video Reporting	5 workshops delivered on-campus.	No change

## Academic year of study 3 for 2020-21 only

Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Journalism in	10 pre-recorded lectures. 8 online	No change
Context	seminars. 2 seminars delivered face-to-	
	face on-campus.	
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	delivered in the autumn term via 10 pre-	
	recorded lectures and 10 online	
	seminars.	



Module Title	Teaching Delivery	Assessment
Final Multimedia	10 workshops delivered online and 10	No change
Project and Portfolio	delivered on-campus.	
Optional modules	Optional modules from an annually approved list	