

Department: JOUR

Course No.: 212W

Title: Feature Writing

Credits: 3

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Catalog Copy: JOUR 212W. Feature Writing. Either semester. Three credits. Prerequisite: JOUR 201; ENGL 105 or 110 or 111 or 250. Open to sophomores or higher.

Emphasis on finding, developing and writing feature stories. Outside stories will be assigned weekly.

W Criteria: Students report and write multiple drafts of feature stories throughout the semester. Virtually all of the grade depends on the written and rewritten work. (Class participation or quizzes are sometimes a minor factor, depending on the instructor.) The syllabus outlines the amount of written work and the grading value of each assignment. Students complete more than 15 pages of revised work.