

SCHOOL OF FUTURE MEDIA (SFM)
Bachelor of Journalism, Media and Artificial Intelligence (BJMAI) (2026-2027)

Recommended Study Plan

Year 1				
Semester	Course	Course Code	Credits	TOTAL Credits
Sem 1	Common Core Courses (CCC)	1 course	6	30-36
	Academic Communication in English*	CAES 1001 Academic Communication in English (Sem 1 or 2)	0	
	BJMAI introductory core courses [#]	JMSC1001, JMSC1002, JMSC1021	18	
	Introductory courses for other major [#]	Introductory / pre-requisite course for other major (e.g. SOC1XXX; POL1XXXX)	0-6	
	Artificial Intelligence Literacy	AILT1001 Artificial Intelligence Literacy I	3	
Sem 2	Academic Communication in English*	CAES 1001 Academic Communication in English (Sem 1 or 2)	0	30-36
	Artificial Intelligence Literacy	AILT9017 Digital Literacy Through a Social Sciences Lens	3	
	Common Core Courses (CCC)	2 courses	12	
	BJMAI introductory core course [#]	JMSC1020	6	
	Introductory courses for other major [#]	Introductory / pre-requisite course for other major (e.g. SOC1XXX; POL1XXXX)	0-6	
(Apr - May)	BJMAI pre-internship workshop	Pre-internship workshop	0	0

Year 2 (stay in HKU or go for exchange - you can use the semester exchange programme to fulfill the Faculty's Global Citizenship requirement)				
Semester	Course	Course Code	Credits	TOTAL Credits
Sem 1 <i>(Declare second major during add/drop period), No disciplinary minors are allowed, except for clusters offered by the Common Core office[^]</i>	BJMAI advanced core courses	JMSC2001 / JMSC2002 / JMSC2021	6	24-36
	BJMAI electives	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
	English in the Discipline	CAES9921 / CAES9922 / CAES9923 / CAES9930	0-6	
	Introductory courses for other major [#]	Introductory / pre-requisite course for other major	6	
	Common Core Courses (CCC)	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
	Other major courses	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
Sem 2	BJMAI advanced core courses	JMSC2001 / JMSC2002 / JMSC2021	6	24-30
	Exchange (Year 2 or 3)	Exchange (esp. for those didn't take FOSS2019 in year 1 summer)		
	Chinese language requirement**	CSSC9001 or equivalent	6	
	BJMAI electives	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
	Other major courses	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
Sem 1/ Sem 2/ Summer	Faculty's Global Citizenship (GC)	FOSS2019 or [exchange in Yr 2 or 3 (one semester or whole year)]	12	12
	OR Journalism summer internship	JMSC2004 (Summer semester)		

Year 3 (stay in HKU or go for exchange - you can use the semester exchange programme to fulfill the Faculty's Global Citizenship requirement)				
Semester	Course	Course Code	Credits	TOTAL Credits
Sem 1	BJMAI advanced core courses	JMSC2001 / JMSC2002 / JMSC2021	6	24
	BJMAI electives	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
	Other major course	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
	Exchange	Exchange (esp. for those didn't take FOSS2019 in year 1 or 2 summer)		
Sem 2	Exchange	Exchange (esp. for those didn't take FOSS2019 in year 1 or 2 summer)		24
	BJMAI advanced core courses	JMSC2001 / JMSC2002 / JMSC2021	6	
	Common Core Courses (CCC)	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
	Other major courses	1 - 2 courses	6 - 12	
Sem 1/ Sem 2/ Summer	Faculty's Global Citizenship (GC)	FOSS2019 or [exchange in Yr 2 or 3 (one semester or whole year)]	12	12
	OR Journalism summer internship	JMSC2004 (Summer semester)		

Year 4				
Semester	Course	Course Code	Credits	TOTAL Credits
Sem 1	Other major courses	3 courses	18	24-30
	BJMAI advanced core courses	JMSC2001 / JMSC2002 / JMSC2021	6	
	Capstone requirement	JMSC4001 (Sem 1 or 2)	6	
Sem 2	Other major courses	3 courses	18	24-30
	BJMAI advanced core courses	JMSC2001 / JMSC2002 / JMSC2021	6	
	Free electives	Free electives courses	6	
TOTAL CREDITS			240-288	

REMARKS:		
	You can take 24 - 30 credits per semester, but no more than 72 credits in an academic year	
	Courses	Credits
HKU Requirements:	English*	6
	Chinese**	6
	CCC	36
	Artificial Intelligence Literacy	6
Faculty Requirements:	Global Citizenship	12
JMAI Major:	BJMAI introductory core courses [#]	24
	BJMAI advanced core courses	18
	BJMAI pre-internship workshop	0
	BJMAI internship	12
	Capstone requirement	6
	BJMAI electives	24
	Other major courses (including all pre-requisites)	72-90
Free electives:	Free elective courses:	0-18
TOTAL CREDITS		240-288

* Students who have achieved Level 5 or above in English Language in the Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education Examination, or equivalent, are exempted from this requirement.

** Students who did not study the Chinese language during their secondary education and have not reached the required proficiency level for the Chinese language enhancement course specified for the degree curriculum may take one of the courses in either Chinese language or Chinese culture in lieu.

Students shall take not more than 108 credits of introductory courses.

[^] No disciplinary minors are allowed, except for clusters offered by the Common Core office.

[PLEASE READ THE BJMAI REGULATIONS AND SYLLABUS !!!](#)