

Department of Journalism Meeting  
November 7, 2016

Attending: Barnett, Calvert, Carlson, Foley, Freeman, Lewis, Kalyanaraman, Rodgers, McAdams, Sheehan, Spiker, Tripp, Waddell, Walsh-Childers  
Guest: Grogan

Meeting opens at 10:45 a.m.

Minutes from 10/10 approved.

Rodgers reviewed proposed changes to MAMC journalism scholarly track. Walsh-Childers moved for suggested changes to be approved. Lewis mentioned addition of media psychology in addition to media sociology in Issues in Press course. Calvert asked if keeping communications law specialization. Yes, that will not change. Faculty unanimously approved the motion to approve changes for new MAMC degree program.

Sheehan reviewed proposed curriculum changes. Documents sent via email last week. Main suggested changes: two-course sequence, intermediate reporting/writing course, consolidation of capstone. Sheehan talked about next steps, talking to other departments and expanding discussion about capstones.

Updates on searches.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ted Spiker