

Global Learning Semesters

Course Syllabus

Course: COMM-350A History of the Cyprus Media

Department: Communications

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
COMM-350A	History of the Cyprus Media	3
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Please contact us	42-45	None
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
Communications	Upper Division	English

Course Description

The course has been designed to cover the history and development of the mass media in Cyprus (Press, Radio and Television). In order to meet this purpose the student must be in a position to appreciate the political, economic and social context within which the media were born and developed. The student will also familiarize themselves with the interactions and influences of media/readership or audience, as well as with the social and political environment in which they act and serve.

Prerequisites

None

Topic Areas

1. An introduction to the Press of mainland Greece.
2. Greek Printing and Typography - Genesis and development.
3. The first newspapers and their role and development in Cyprus, during the British Rule.
4. Cyprus Printing and Typography.
5. The Birth of Cyprus Radio - its role during British rule - Cyprus Broadcasting Corporation.
6. The birth and development of Cyprus Television - its impact and development.
7. Media development after the Independence of Cyprus.
8. Public and Private Broadcasting - Rules and Regulations - Ethics and Responsibilities.
9. New Trends in the Cyprus Press - Political parties affiliations

Readings and Resources

Required Textbooks

- Σοφοκλέους Ανδρέα Κλ., και Παναγιώτη Παπαδημήτρη, Τα Μέσα Μαζικής Ενημέρωσης στην Κύπρο, Γραφείο Τύπου και Πληροφοριών, Λευκωσία 1990.
- Σοφοκλέους Ανδρέας Κλ., Συμβολή στην Ιστορία του Κυπριακού Τύπου, Τόμος Α', Intercollege Press, Λευκωσία, 1995.

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- Ροδάκη Π., Δημοσιογραφία, Εκδόσεις Σαμουράι, Αθήνα, 1975.
- Στάικου Σπ., και Μ.Ι. Μουνούσακα, Οι Απαρχές της Ελληνικής Τυπογραφίας, Αθήνα, 1989.
- Σοφοκλέους Ανδρέας Κλ., Οι Πρώτες Κυπριακές Εφημερίδες και τα Ανθρώπινα Δικαιώματα των Ελλήνων της Κύπρου, Intercollege Press, Λευκωσία, 1995.
- Λυμπουριδίδη Αχιλλέα, Η Ιστορία της Κυπριακής Δημοσιογραφίας 1978-1960, Λευκωσία, 1972.
- Ρωσσίδη Ιακώβου και Νάντιας Αγγελίδου, Στυλοβάτες της Κυπριακής Δημοσιογραφίας, Ένωση Συντακτών Κύπρου, Λευκωσία, 1990.