

**Course Syllabus**

Course: COMP-310 Electronic Journalism: Radio

Department: Communications

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



<b>Course Summary</b>		
<b>Course Code</b>	<b>Course Title</b>	<b>Recommended Credit Hours</b>
COMP-310	Electronic Journalism: Radio	3
<b>Semester Offered</b>	<b>Contact Hours</b>	<b>Prerequisites</b>
Fall	42	<p>COMM 116 To provide students a basic overview of practical audio recording techniques that is used in recording studios and in the media of radio and television</p> <p>COMM 216 To provide students with an understanding of practical radio production skills that are used in contemporary radio station environments.</p> <p>COMM-125 Introduces the student to the world of print and broadcast journalism and its effect on the public opinion and on society as a social controller.</p> <p>COMM 220 Helps students understand the importance of writing for the Mass Media.-print and electronic.</p> <p>Status of Course Compulsory: Communication (Journalism concentration)</p>
<b>Department</b>	<b>Level of Course</b>	<b>Language of Instruction</b>
Communications	Upper Division	Greek, English

**Course Description**

Students learn the characteristics of broadcasting news and are introduced to many of the skills needed in a radio station and radio news organization. They write and report news and feature stories in a variety of short and long radio formats. Emphasis is given on writing an interview, reporting skills, the importance of language, developing personal style in News writing and organizing a news magazine. Finally the whole class produce a half hour news magazine

**Instructor**

Mr Demetris Andreou

**Course Aims and Objectives**

A course that prepares students to write and report news packages for radio. Students learn to identify, research, write and produce news.

**Teaching Methods**

The course is delivered through a mixture of lectures, lab presentations, lab tutorials and practical exercises and assignments.

### Course Teaching Hours

42 hours (18 hours lectures/presentations + 24 hours laboratory work). The course is delivered during the Fall semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

### Evaluation and Grading

Projects:	20%
Mid-Term:	30%
Final Project:	40%

### Readings and Resources

#### Required Textbook

Broadcast journalism - Techniques of Radio and TV News" by Andrew Boyd

"Ειδησεογραφία και Ρεπορτάζ" by Carole Rich (μετάφραση στα Ελληνικά απο Νίκο Σαρρή)

#### Recommended Reading:

On-line Help.