Total credits required for degree: 120
Total credits required in the major: 47

Number of semesters to degree completion: 6
Example for planning purposes only

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 or 53-1015A College Newspaper Workshop (3cr)  
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| 53-2015 Media Ethics & Law (3cr) | |

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 53-3210 Magazine Editing (3cr)  
 Journalism Elective (3cr) | 53-3215 Business-to-Business Mag Writing (3cr)  
 53-3535 College Magazine Workshop OR  
 Journalism Elective (3cr)  
 Journalism Elective (3cr) |

Special notes for transfer students: Students with a GPA of 3.0 or above are strongly encouraged to take 53-3535, College Magazine Workshop as a Journalism Elective.  
*Students who want to complete the program faster should consider taking 53-1665J In The Field, during J-Session 2015 as a substitution for 53-1015 Reporting & Writing I, which may allow them to take 53-2020A Reporting & Writing II (6 cr) ** in Spring 2015.

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1 *Semesters to degree completion are calculated assuming 60 total credits in transfer with all Liberal Arts & Sciences Core requirements complete and no major requirements transferred in. Students may lessen the length of time to degree completion by transferring in applicable major courses. Please see http://www.transferology.com/school/colum for information on individual course equivalencies. Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is 12-16 credits per term. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete Global Awareness (3 credits), U.S. Pluralism (3 credits), Writing Intensive (3 credits), and upper division (2000 level or higher) LAS core courses (6 credits). Except for Writing Intensive, these requirements may be met in transfer.