

COURSE NAME: JOURNALISTIC WRITING I

UFV CODE: 1113 **ECTS:** 6

TYPE OF COURSE: T, 1C

INTERNATIONAL CODE: JOU1113 **YEAR:** 1

REQUIREMENTS: None

OBJECTIVES: To discover the essence of the journalistic profession.

Introduction to

news writing. To learn the genres of journalism. To explain the inner workings of the

media

COURSE DESCRIPTION: The genres of journalistic writing. The news. Social function

of the journalist. The news process. Journalistic style in the news. Internal workings of

the editorial office. Interviews

BIBLIOGRAPHY: MARTÍNEZ ALBERTOS, J.L.: Curso General de Redacción Periodística. Paraninfo, Madrid 1993. GRIJELMO, A.: El estilo del periodista.

Taurus,

Madrid 2001

METHODOLOGY: Debates and analysis of current affairs. Each week, the class will

cover one topic from the syllabus. Students will demonstrate their understanding of the

topic in a follow-up writing exercises. Students will write news items at least once a

week. There will be two take-home assignments

EVALUATION: Texts written in class: 50% of the grade. Two interviews to be handed in

before and after Christmas. 1 additional point for class attendance, class participation,

knowledge of current affairs, interest, positive evolution, etc. Only students who do not

pass the course with the grades given for their assignments and class exercises will take

the exam in February

PROFESSOR: Pablo Andrés Iglesias **LANGUAGE:** Spanish