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CURRENT POSITION

Associate Professor of Journalism, College of Journalism and Mass Communication,
University of Georgia; 2019 – present
Graduate Program Faculty, Journalism, College of Journalism and Mass Communication,
University of Georgia; 2020 – present
Allocation: 50% research/45% teaching/5% service

Research Lab:

Qualitative Research Lab 2021 – present

EDUCATION

Philip Merrill College of Journalism, University of Maryland; Doctor of Philosophy, Journalism Studies, 2019
London School of Economics and Political Science, MSc.; History of Political Thought
Georgetown University, BA; School of Foreign Service

PUBLICATIONS

Peer Reviewed

- Feldstein, M., & **Assmann, K.** (Forthcoming 2026) “A Hang-Up on Sex”: Columnist Jack Anderson’s Exposé of J. Edgar Hoover’s FBI Sex Files. *Journalism History*
- Assmann, K.**, & Speakman, B. (2026). SEX OFFENDER UPDATE! Or what poses as news on Georgia’s partisan news sites. *Communication and Democracy*, 1–20.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/27671127.2026.2686188>
- Eckert, S., & **Assmann, K.** (2026). Power Dimensions in Journalism: A Framework for Intersectional Journalism Studies. *Journalism & Mass Communication Quarterly*, 10776990261462535.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/10776990261462535>
- Barnett, G. W. *, & **Assmann, K.** (2026). Building Capital: Media Access and Control in Prison. *Journal of Communication Inquiry*, 01968599261469196. <https://doi.org/10.1177/01968599261469196>
- Lorenz, A., & **Assmann, K.** (2025). Defining democracy through news coverage: Democracy beat coverage by local newsrooms. *News Research Journal*, 0(0)
<https://doi.org/10.1177/30497841251317294>
- Assmann, K.** (2024). We’ve Got a Union, Now What? *Journalism & Communication Monographs*, 26(2), 84–153. <https://doi.org/10.1177/15226379241246667>
- Assmann, K.**, & Eckert, S. (2024). Are women journalists in leadership changing work conditions and newsroom culture? *Journalism*, 25(3), 565–584. <https://doi.org/10.1177/14648849231159957>
- Eckert, S., & **Assmann, K.** (2023). Ost- und westdeutsche Journalistinnen in Leitungspositionen: Zur Wahrnehmung von Arbeitssituationen und beruflichen Praktiken. *DGPuK Jahrbuch*, 1-11.
- Assmann, K.** (2023). Rise of the Zombie papers: Infecting Germany’s local and regional public media ecosystem. *Media and Communication*, 11(3).
- Assmann, K.** (2022). Whistleblowers and their Faith in Journalism. *Journalism Practice*, 1-20
Featured in RQ1 Newsletter and Nieman Lab (1/2023)
<https://rq1.substack.com/p/why-whistleblowers-trust-in-journalists> and
<https://www.niemanlab.org/2023/01/why-whistleblowers-trust-in-journalism-is-fading/>
- Eckert, S., & **Assmann, K.** (2021). The “ProQuote” initiative: women journalists in Germany push to revolutionize newsroom leadership. *Feminist Media Studies*, 1-18.

Koliska, M., & **Assmann, K.** (2021). Lügenpresse: The lying press and German journalists' responses to a stigma. *Journalism*, 22(11), 2729-2746. [online 12/2019]

Assmann, K., & Diakopoulos, N. (2017). Negotiating change: Audience engagement editors as newsroom intermediaries. In *International Symposium on Online Journalism (ISOJ)* (pp. 25-44).

Under Review (* Graduate Student; **PhD Student)

Assmann, K. Lügenpresse on the right-wing beat: German journalists and their hostile sources. *Frontiers*

Assmann, K. & Lorenz, A. Under Construction: Democracy Reporting as Paradigm Repair. *Journalism Studies*

Lorenz, A. & **Assmann, K.** New Democracy Reporters on the Beat to Save U.S. Democracy: A Case Study of Journalism During Democratic Backsliding. *Political Communication*

Okocha, M.** & **Assmann, K.** Hesitant Adopters? How Rural Nonprofit Newsrooms negotiate between AI, their Missions and Public Interest.

Book Review

Assmann, K. (2025). Review of book *Hedged, How Private Investment Funds Helped*

Destroy American Newspapers and Undermine Democracy by M. Susca. *American Journalism*.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/08821127.2025.2444186>

Encyclopedia Articles

Assmann, K. (2022). Germany. *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Journalism*.

Invited

Assmann, K. (2025). Whistleblowers. In S. Craft, C. N. Davis, & J. Jenkins, *Principles of American Journalism: An introduction* (Fourth edition). Routledge.

Eckert, S., & **Assmann, K.** (2024). Commentary (invited): Best Practices einfördern [Demand Best Practices]. In *Führungsfrauen in den Medien: Der harte Weg nach oben* (pp. 50–51). ProQuote Medien [Report on women in leadership in German media, published by ProQuote Media].

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (* Graduate Student; **PhD Student)

Assmann, K. and Fiorito, R. ** “The Paper: Mocking or Paying Tribute to Community News? Metajournalistic Discourse Repairing a Broken Local News Paradigm.” Southeast Colloquium, Tampa, March 2026 and AEJMC Conference, New Orleans, August 2026

Fiorito, R.** and **Assmann, K.** “Parasocial Paradox: How Substack Journalists Negotiate Relational Labor Under Creator Economy Demands,” Southeast Colloquium, Tampa, March 2026 and AEJMC Conference, New Orleans, August 2026

Lorenz, A. and **Assmann, K.** “New 'democracy' reporters on the beat: A case study of journalism during democratic backsliding,” International Association for Media and Communication (IAMCR) Galway, Ireland; June/July 2026

Assmann, K. and Rick, J. “Sink, Swim or Soar: Surviving arid local news environments in Germany and the U.S.” Future of Journalism Conference, Cardiff, September 2025

Assmann, K. “Reporters with Borders: German reporters under duress rethinking reporting practices.” Future of Journalism Conference, Cardiff, September 2025

Assmann, K. Covering the right: German journalists rethinking reporting practices. Research-in-progress poster presentation. AEJMC Annual Conference, August 2025, San Francisco, CA

Assmann, K. and Lorenz, A. Reporters for Democracy: Covering the Democracy Beat; Research-in-progress poster presentation. AEJMC Annual Conference August 2025, San Francisco, CA

Assmann, K. and Rick, J. Lokale Medienwüsten in Deutschland und den USA: Die Wahrnehmung und Arbeitsrealität von Lokaljournalist:innen [News Deserts in Germany and the US: Local Journalists' Perceptions of work conditions and realities]; NR: Netzwerk Recherche Jahreskonferenz [Annual Conference]; June 2025

Assmann, K. and Lorenz, A. Reporters for Democracy: Covering the Democracy Beat; Research-in-

- progress presentation AEJMC Southeast Colloquium March 2025, Chapel Hill, NC
- Okocha, M.** and **Assmann, K.** AI in Rural Nonprofit News: Navigating the Balance Between Mission, Transparency, Public Interest and Funding; Research-in-progress presentation AEJMC Southeast Colloquium March 2025, Chapel Hill, NC
- Eckert, S., and **Assmann, K.** Gender and Intra-National Identities: A Framework for Intersectional Journalism Studies. Joint annual conference of the divisions Media, Public and Gender and Journalism Studies; German Communication Association, Institut für Publizistik- und Kommunikationswissenschaft, Free University Berlin. September 2024 (Best Paper Award)
- Barnett, G.* and **Assmann, K.**, Another brick in the wall: Access to media resources as a means of control in Georgia prisons. Research-in-progress presentation AEJMC Southeast Colloquium 2024; Community Journalism Interest Group
- Barnett, G.* and **Assmann, K.**, Another brick in the wall: Access to media resources as a means of Control in Georgia prisons. Poster presentation AEJMC 2024 annual conference, Philadelphia, PA Community Journalism Interest Group
- Seffah, M.* and **Assmann, K.** Decolonizing political reporting in Ghana: A comparative analysis of journalistic norms and practices among English and indigenous language political broadcasters. Research-in-progress presentation AEJMC Southeast Colloquium 2024; Broadcast and Mobile Journalism Division
- Seffah, M.* and **Assmann, K.** Decolonizing political reporting in Ghana: A comparative analysis of journalistic norms and practices among English and indigenous language political broadcasters. Poster presentation, AEJMC 2024 annual conference; Broadcast and Mobile Journalism Division
- Assmann, K.** Extension Networks for Local News. Presented at the Local Journalism Researchers Workshop, Center for Innovation and Sustainability in Local Media, UNC; March 2024
- Assmann, K.** “String quartet on the Titanic: Are U.S. journalists covering their own demise or rowing to safety with democracy's own beat?” Future of Journalism Conference, Cardiff, September 2023
- Assmann, K.** and S. Eckert. “Women in Newsroom Leadership in Germany 30 Years After Reunification: A West German Domain? Feminist Studies Division.” ICA Paris, May 2022
- Newlin, W.* and **Assmann, K.** “From Liberal Bias to ‘Fake News’ - Sean Hannity’s Election Season Media Bashing from 2012-2020.” Political Communication Division. AEJMC Midwinter Conference, March 2022 and AEJMC Detroit, August 2022
- Assmann, K.** and Pfeuffer, A. “Fuzzy Boundaries: Journalists Telling Branded Stories.” Refereed Poster Session; Advertising Division. AEJMC Detroit, August 2022
- Assmann, K.** Judging Oprah, BEA Virtual Conference, October 2021
- Assmann, K.** Extending and building communication and information needs in rural Georgia (Engaged Scholarship Conference, Penn State - virtual) September 2021
- “Bridging the communication gap from behind the (digital) mask” PF&R panel proposed by **K. Assmann**, co-sponsored by AEJMC’s Mass Community and Society Division and Visual Communication Division; AEJMC, August 2021
- Eckert, S, **Assmann, K.** Frauen in redaktioneller Leitung: Ein westdeutsches Phänomen? Medien und Ungleichheiten. DGPK; Conference presentation (virtual) in Magdeburg, Germany, May 24, 2021
- Assmann, K.**, Eckert, S. ProQuote - Women journalists revolutionize newsroom leadership in Germany. Symposium presentation: WAN-IFRA News Summit, June 9, 2021
- Assmann, K.**, Eckert, S. What can be done to improve women’s representation among newsroom leadership? Workshop presentation, London School of Economics as part of the Global Media Partnerships Series of the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, April 12, 2021
- Assmann, K.** and Andrews, E.* Communication rituals, alternative media regimes and enactments of participatory journalism in rural ‘news deserts’ in Georgia, March 2021, Virtual AEJMC Midwinter conference (Community Journalism Interest Group; First

Place: Extended Abstract Award)

Assmann, K. Whistleblowers and their faith in journalism: The (d)evolution of trust among the sources that journalists need most? Presented online at IAMCR, History Division, July 2020

Assmann, K. We are the people – audience engagement as catalyst for newsroom unionization
Presented online at AEJMC, Media Management, Economics, and Entrepreneurship
Division August 2020

Eckert, S. **Assmann, K.** Pro Quote – Five Years of Affirmative Action in German Newsrooms,
with Stine Eckert, Wayne State University; International Communication Division, AEJMC 2018
and awarded Stevenson Open Research Competition Top Paper Award.)

PANELS

Assmann, K. Panelist: On air, online, and over the top: Impacts of technology on labor in U.S. local TV newsrooms; AEJMC 2024, annual conference; Broadcast and Mobile Journalism

Assmann, K. Prison journalism: For, by and about the incarcerated. Who gets to tell their stories? Panel proposed and moderated, AEJMC 2024 (Community Journalism Interest Group with Law & Policy)

Assmann, K. Organizer and panelist: “The German model in crisis mode,” on panel: “Of the People, by the People, for the People – Re-inventing public media to support democracy and social change.” ICA Toronto, May 2023

Assmann, K. “She Said “Enough! Women-Led Protests Around the World from a Communication Perspective.” AEJMC ICD Panel, Panelist. November 2022

“Pushing Fuzzy Boundaries: Advertising, Journalism Ethics and Professional Identities in Branded Newsrooms,” Presided/moderated and organized panel. Advertising and Newspaper and Online News Division; AEJMC Detroit, August 2022

“Enemies of the Press: Global Harassment, Abuse and Violence Against Journalists.”
Panel presentation: “Enemy in the streets: German journalists on the defensive.” Panelist and proposed by **K. Assmann**. Division: Global Communication and Social Change. ICA Paris, May 2022

Newsroom workers Unite. Panel proposed by **K. Assmann**, co-sponsored with AEJMC’s Cultural & Critical Studies Division and with the Media Management, Economics Entrepreneurship Division; AEJMC, August 2021

INVITED TALKS AND WORKSHOPS

“The German media system.” Guest lecture Florida State University; Comparative and International Media Studies (4000 level, 45 students). October 2025

Research Colloquium Presentation: Democracy Reporting; Faculty and PhD students, Ludwig-Maximilian-University, Munich, Germany; June 6, 2025

“Finding Jim: How Washington journalists work.” Guest lecture (2 sections); POLS 1101 - American Government, University of Georgia; March 2025

“Newsroom Unions.” Guest lecture George Washington University; March 2025

“Storytelling: Climate Journalism.” Lecture, Environmental/Science Communication, Odum School of Ecology, University of Georgia. Invited by Amanda Rugenski, Ph.D.; April 2024

“East and West German women journalists in leadership: Perceptions of working conditions and professional practices” Research Colloquium Series. Eckert, S., & Assmann, K. Department of Communication. Wayne State University. September 22, 2023

“Washington correspondents.” Guest speaker, seminar New Technology and International Relations, | University of Augsburg. Invited by Dr. Elfriede Fürsich, University of Pittsburgh and University of Augsburg, April 28, 2023

Online and Physical Safety for Journalists Georgia Scholastic Press Association; Workshop for high school students; Fall 2023

Golden Rules of News Videography; Georgia Scholastic Press Association; Workshop for high school students, Spring 2022

“Lessons from a Semester of Active Learning.” Guest panelist in undergraduate seminar, invited by Dr. Megan Brock, Lecturer and Academic Coach, Division of Academic Advancement, University of Georgia, November 17, 2022

“Qualitative Research.” Guest lecture, graduate seminar, invited by Dr. Glenna Read, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia, October 17, 2022

“Media Literacy for Policy Analysts.” Guest lecture, invited by Alejandra Diaz, instructor, Humphrey School of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota. October 12, 2022

“Interviewing as a Research Method.” Guest lecture, graduate seminar, invited by Dr. Stine Eckert, Wayne State University. September 29, 2022

“Hunting and gathering for your best story.” Deutsche Welle Academy: Two-day workshop for correspondents; September 28 – 30, 2022

“Exploring the Qualitative Research Lab at UGA Grady.” Podcast episode, Grady Research Podcast, September 21, 2022

“Interviewing hesitant sources.” The Lead Podcast, February 2022

“Special Topics in News Writing and Reporting: Finding and Cultivating Sources.” Guest lecture, invited by Dana Priest, University of Maryland, September 2021

“International Media Systems: Information Flows in Germany.” Guest lecture, invited by Dr. Ivanka Pjesivac, University of Georgia, September 2021

“Journalists and their Audiences.” Guest lecture, invited by Dr. Kalyani Chadha, Medill School of Journalism - Northwestern University; May 2021

“Hunting and gathering for your best story.” Deutsche Welle Academy: Two-day workshop for correspondents; May 4 – 5, 2021

“Organizing Newsrooms in the Digital Age: Workers and Audiences” Research Seminar Series in Media, Journalism, and Film; Department of Media and Performance, University of Huddersfield, UK; March, 2021

“Audience Engagement”; Guest lecturer, University of Maryland; March 2020

“Information Gathering and Social Media Strategies” – led an online workshop for editors and interns at *The Fauquier Times*, Virginia; June 2020

SERVICE

Corresponding Editor, Journalism History (2025)

Head, Community Journalism Interest Group, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) 2025 – 2026

Vice Head, Community Journalism Interest Group, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) 2024 – 2025

Research Chair, Southeast Colloquium, Broadcast and Mobile Journalism Division, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) 2024-2026

Teaching Chair, Community Journalism Interest Group, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) 2023 – 2024

Head, Cultural and Critical Studies Division, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC), 2022-2023

Vice Head, Cultural and Critical Studies Division, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC), 2021-2022

Research Chair, Southeast Colloquium, Newspaper and Online News Division, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) 2020-2021

Reviewing

Journals:

Community Journalism; 2026
Feminist Media Studies; 2023, 2024, 2025
International Communication Gazette, Amsterdam, Netherlands; 2017
International Press and Politics; 2020, 2021, 2025
Journal of Communication; 2023
Journalism; 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026
Journalism and Communication Monographs (SAGE); 2020
Journalism and Mass Communication Quarterly; 2023, 2025, 2026
Journalism History, 2024, 2025
Journalism Studies; 2023, 2026
Journalism Practice; 2022, 2025, 2026
New Media & Society; 2019, 2021
Teaching Journalism & Mass Communication; 2021
Western Journal of Communication, 2021

Conferences and Award competitions:

Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) Annual Conference:

Commission on the Status of Women; 2021, 2023
Community Journalism Interest Group; Since 2020
Critical & Cultural Division; Since 2020
Newspaper and Online News Division; 2017, 2018, 2020, 2023, 2024

Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) Midwinter Conference:

Critical & Cultural Studies Division; 2016, 2021, 2022
Commission on the Status of Women; 2022
International Communication Division; 2021
Community Journalism Interest Group; 2023, 2024

Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC) Southeast Colloquium:

Newspaper and Online News Division; 2020, 2022, 2024, 2025

BEA/BEA Documentary and Hard News; 2020, 2022, 2024, 2025

International Communication Association (ICA);

Feminist Scholarship Division, 2017
Journalism Studies Division; 2020, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2025
Global Communication and Social Change Division; 2021, 2022, 2024

Peabody Awards, Member of Screening Committee, 2016, 2017, 2018

Women, Sports and Media: Coverage, Careers, Consequences Conference; 2018

ADVISING and MENTORING

Thesis Advisor/Chair:

Sarah Owens (2026-2027)
Grace Barnett, Mass Media Studies (2024-25)

Thesis Advisor/Committee Member:

Jingyuan (Jimmy) Kong, Public Relations (2024-25)

Martha Seffah, Journalism (2024-25)

Jordan Whitening, Journalism (2024-25)

Dissertation Committee (Chair):

Roberta Fiorito; Ph.D. student College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia

Dissertation Committee (Member):

Dodie Cantrell, Ph.D. candidate, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia

Quindelda McElroy, Ph.D. student, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia

River Gracey, Ph.D. student, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia

Moses Okocha, Ph.D. student, College of Journalism and Mass Communication, University of Georgia

Advising

Faculty sponsor, ONA/SPJ Student organization (Since 2026)

Graduate student essay reader/chair 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026

Graduate student advisor 2020, 2021 (5 students), 2022 (7), 2023 (5), 2024 (3), 2025 (8)

Honors student advisor Fall 2019 (2 students), Spring 2021 (2), Fall 2021 (1), Fall 2022 (1)

CURO undergraduate research supervisor – 2 students (Fall 2021, Spring 2022, Summer 2022, Fall 2022, Spring 2023)

College Committees

University Council member, University of Georgia. Since July 2026

Executive Committee, Grady College of Journalism and Mass Communication, 2023

Search Committee, TT faculty, Journalism, College of Journalism and Mass Communication; 2026

Search Committee, TT faculty, Entertainment and Media Studies, College of Journalism and Mass Communication; 2021 – 2022

Search Committee, TT faculty, Advertisement and Public Relations, College of Journalism and Mass Communication; 2022

Search Committee, Knight Chair Health and Medical Journalism, College of Journalism and Mass Communication; 2022

INTERVIEWS/MEDIA APPEARANCES and MENTIONS

Pearce, M. (2024, October 8). The journalism trust problem that a nonprofit newsroom can't fix [Substack newsletter]. *Matt Pearce*. <https://mattdpearce.substack.com/p/the-journalism-trust-problem-that>
Review of journal article *Whistleblowers losing faith* and Monograph *We've got a union, now what?*

Geyer, S. (2024, November 1). *Wer gewinnt die Schicksalswahl in den USA?* [Guest on podcast: Who will win the U.S. election?]. <https://www.rnd.de/politik/live-talk-zur-us-wahl-rnd-laedt-experten-und-zuhoerer-in-x-space-SUE3YNK7UFDWXB4SSUE54GKGZU.html>

Talk Show, Der Spiegel (2024) Der Prostituiertenmörder: Jack Unterweger (3-part series)

Interview, UGA Today. Whistleblowers losing faith in media impact. March 7, 2023
<https://news.uga.edu/whistleblowers-mistrust-journalism/>

Interview, WDUN Gainesville, radio interview about Watergate's lessons for today's journalists and journalism educators, June 13, 2022

Interview @mediasres, Deutschlandfunk, German Public Radio, "Wasser für die Wüste: News Deserts in den USA," September 27, 2022

Interview with SPIEGEL TV for documentary "Jack Unterweger," July 2021

Interview with German daily *Die Tageszeitung*, live coverage US Election. November 3, 2020

Interview @mediasres, Deutschlandfunk (German Public Radio) about Jon Ossoff, November 26, 2020

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT and CERTIFICATES

Special Collections Fellow, University of Georgia. Summer 2023
Ungrading; Faculty Learning Community, Fall 2022/Spring 2023
Active Learning Certificate, University of Georgia. February 2023
Active Learning Summer Institute, University of Georgia. June 2022
Teachapalooza; Poynter Institute 3-day workshop for College Educators. June 2022
Rural Engagement Workshop; University of Georgia. Spring 2021

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

Best Paper Award: Gender and Intra-National Identities: A Framework for Intersectional Journalism Studies. Gemeinsame Jahrestagung der Fachgruppen. “Medien, Öffentlichkeit und Geschlecht“ und Journalistik/Journalismusforschung“ der DGPK, Institut für Publizistik- und Kommunikationswissenschaft FU Berlin, September 2024 (Joint annual conference of the divisions Media, Public and Gender and Journalism Studies; German Communication Association, Institut für Publizistik- und Kommunikationswissenschaft, Free University Berlin)

Sarah Moss Fellowship Award. Support for research conducted outside of the University of Georgia (\$10,000), 2023-2024

AEJMC’s Baskett Mosse Award for Faculty Development for proposed project, *‘AmeriCorps’ for Student Journalists in Georgia: A Program to Bring News Coverage to Rural Communities*; August 2021 (\$1,000)

Faculty Academy Fellow, 2021- 2022; University of Georgia

Teacher of the Year (nomination), Department of Journalism, University of Georgia, 2021, 2023

Best Extended Abstract Award, Community Journalism Interest Group: Communication rituals, alternative media regimes and enactments of participatory journalism in rural ‘news deserts’ in Georgia; August 2020

Kopenhaver Fellow; Kopenhaver Center for the Advancement of Women in Communication; University of Florida; 2019

Mary Ann Yodelis Smith Award for Feminist Scholarship for: “A quota for women in online newsroom leadership? Lessons from the ProQuote initiative in Germany;” Commission on the Status of Women, AEJMC August, 2019

Stevenson open research competition; top paper award for “ProQuote: A German woman journalists’ initiative to revolutionize newsroom leadership” International Communication Division, AEJMC 2018

TEACHING

Undergraduate:

JOUR 3090 - Information Gathering, College of Journalism and Mass Communication
Fall 2019 (63), Spring 2020 (109), Fall 2020 (70), Spring 2021 (99), Fall 2021(71), Spring 2022 (89), Fall 2022 (67)

JOUR 3190 – Reporting II (updated JOUR 3090), College of Journalism and Mass Communication
Fall 2024 (75), Spring 2025 (87)

JOUR 3280 - Introduction to News Videography, College of Journalism and Mass Communication
Fall 2019 (12), Fall 2020 (12), Spring 2022 (12), Spring 2024 (12)

JOUR 4090 - Multiplatform News Production, College of Journalism and Mass Communication
Spring 2020 (18), Fall 2021(14), Fall 2023 (11), Spring 2024 (9), Spring 2025 (7)

FYO Seminar - Heroes or Villains: How journalists are represented in K-dramas, Fall 2025 (16), Fall 2026

JOUR 5390 – License to Pry – Investigative reporting (split level), Spring 2026

Graduate:

JOUR 7390 – License to Pry – Investigative reporting (split level), Spring 2026

JRMC 8000 - Proseminar, College of Journalism and Mass Communication

Fall 2022 (22), Fall 2023 (40), Fall 2024 (34), Fall 2025 (28), Fall 2026

JRMC 8350 – Special Topics: Global Press Freedom, Fall 2025 (9)

JRMC 8050 - Theorizing the Audience, College of Journalism and Mass Communication

Spring 2021(3)

JRMC 8050 – Independent Research and Readings, Fall 2023 (2), Fall 2024 (1), Spring 2025 (1), Fall 2025 (2)

GRSC7001 – GradFirst Seminar: Digital Tools for Graduate Students (Fall 2024)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Kompass Media Productions, Washington

Owner, production company for print, broadcast and multi-media news media: report, write and produce for international news media organizations

Spiegel TV Magazin, Washington, DC

Correspondent: report on U.S. and international events and feature stories for weekly German news magazine

Spiegel TV Magazin, Hamburg, Germany

Reporter: researched, produced and edited magazine broadcasts on German, European and U.S. news and feature stories.

Editor-in-chief of English production of Spiegel TV documentary productions for an English speaking channel on German TV

Freelance Writer, Washington, DC

Reporter, producer and writer for German news media outlets (print and radio)

Rundfunk Nachrichten Agentur (RUFA), Bonn, Germany

Internship: reported, wrote and produced radio broadcast of local and national stories

Der Spiegel, Washington Bureau;

Researched and produced stories for U.S. correspondents

Taunus Zeitung, Frankfurter Neue Presse, Bad Homburg, Germany;

Internship: reported and wrote local news stories

PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

New York Festivals, Silver World Medal for “Homeland,” Spiegel TV; 2014

New York Festivals, Finalist for “Kill Team,” Spiegel TV; 2012

Liberty Awards, Berlin, Germany, Nomination for “Death of a Soldier,” Spiegel TV; 2011

New York Festivals, Gold World Medal for “Blackwater,” Spiegel TV; 2009

49ème Festival de Télévision de Monte-Carlo, Diplome de Nomination for “Blackwater,” 2009

VIDEO PRODUCTION SKILLS

Avid, Final Cut Pro, Premiere Pro, Audition,

InDesign

Canon 70D and 80D, Sony EX Series

LANGUAGES

German, native speaker

English, native speaker

French, good working knowledge

Spanish, somewhat proficient