



## School of Theatre, Television, and Film

### Minor in Television, Film, and New Media 2021-22 Course Checklist

#### ***Why choose the TFM Minor?***

The minor in Television, Film, and New Media (TFM) is designed for students in business, English, journalism, music, art, theatre, prelegal, or other majors related to the writing, analysis, and production/distribution of media. The TFM Minor is an emphasis in Critical Studies, training students in the analysis of television, film, and new media texts, audiences, and industries. A TFM minor with Production emphasis is not available.

#### ***How to declare the TFM Minor?***

Television, Film and New Media is an impacted program and specific requirements are enforced to admit to the major and the minor programs of study.

Admission to the TFM Minor requires:

- \_\_\_ 1. Completion of TFM 160 with a grade of B or better.
- \_\_\_ 2. Completion of THEA 100 with a grade of B or better.
- \_\_\_ 3. Completion of at least 30 units
- \_\_\_ 4. A minimum cumulative GPA of 3.0

#### **TFM MINOR REQUIREMENTS**

A minimum of 24 units (6 lower division, 18 upper division) is required.

#### **Prerequisites for the TFM minor: (6 units)**

- \_\_\_ TFM 160 Cinema as Art (3 units)
- \_\_\_ Theatre 100 The Art of Theatre (3 units)

#### **Required Courses: (Take all three courses – 9 units)**

- \_\_\_ TFM 110 Writing for Television and Film (3 units)
- \_\_\_ TFM 310 Film, Television, and New Media Criticism (3 units)
- \_\_\_ TFM 330 Cultural Aspects of Media (3 units)

**Electives:** (Take two courses – 6 units)

- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 363 International Cinema (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 364 A History of Film Classics (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 364 B History of Film Classics (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 430 History of Prime Time Television (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 563 Documentary: History and Theory (3 units)

**TFM Critical Studies Elective:** (Take one course – 3 units)

(Prerequisite: completion of TFM 310 and TFM 330)

- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 470 Critical Studies of Gender/Sexuality Media (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 530 Selected Topics in Genre Studies for TV and Film (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 571 Selected Topics in Director Studies (3 units)
- \_\_\_\_\_ TFM 573 Selected Topics in History of TV, Film, and Media (3 units)

Courses in the minor may not be counted toward the major, but may be used to satisfy preparation for the major and general education requirements, if applicable. A minimum of six upper division units must be completed at SDSU.

***For questions, minor advising, and to declare the TFM Minor, please see the TFM Advising Team:***

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