

Media Studies
Revised Spring 2020 Major Application

Final Application Period Extended:
Applications are due by 11:59 p.m. on April 3, 2020

Please read the **revised** instructions below carefully.

Scan and submit application forms and supporting documentation to
mediastudies_advising@berkeley.edu.

Application decisions will be emailed to students. All decisions are final.

Eligibility

You must:

- EITHER * have completed all four prerequisites for a letter grade
- OR * have completed three prerequisites—including Media Studies 10—for a letter grade and are enrolled in the final prerequisite for a letter grade
- AND * have completed no more than 70 semester units of college coursework at the time of application. You can subtract AP, college units earned before High School graduation and excess P.E. activity units (over four) taken at UC Berkeley.
- AND * have a minimum GPA of 3.2 in all courses applicable to the major. This includes lower-division prerequisite and research methods courses, upper-division electives and the equivalency of transferred coursework. (See Transferred Coursework below.)

Standard Application – If your units are below 70 and your GPA is above a 3.2 as noted above under Eligibility, you may submit a standard application. That includes 1) a Media Studies Applicant Information Form – Spring 2020 and 2) a Major Declaration Form, which needs to be signed by only you before submission.

Appeal Application – If your units are above 70 and/or your GPA is below a 3.2 as noted above under Eligibility, you may submit an appeal application. That includes 1) a Media Studies Applicant Information Form – Spring 2020 and 2) a Major Declaration Form, which needs to be signed by only you before submission. You also need to submit 3) a cover letter of no more than two pages explaining why you wish to study media studies and the problems that made the appeal necessary. Additional documentation, such as a graded paper, may be requested later.

Transferred Coursework – If you satisfied a prerequisite for the major at a California community college, verify that you took the correct prerequisite on assist.org using academic year 2016-17 before recording course(s) on application. All other transfer courses taken to satisfy a Media Studies course requirement must be approved by Media Studies Faculty. After you submit your application, we will notify you if an unofficial transcript, proof of enrollment and/or proof of faculty approval is needed.

Media Studies Applicant Information Form – Spring 2020

Name

SID#

@berkeley.edu email address

Phone

Intended Graduation Year and Term

Continuing Berkeley Student _____ New Junior Transfer in Spring 2020 _____

Appeal application? Yes ____ No ____

If you are currently declared in another major, do you want to double or switch majors? _____

Prerequisites completed at a community college or other 4-year school

	Course and School	Term	Semester Units	Grade
American History	_____	_____	_____	_____
American Institutions	_____	_____	_____	_____
Intro. Social Sciences	_____	_____	_____	_____
Media Studies	_____	_____	_____	_____

Prerequisites completed at Berkeley (Circle relevant courses in categories below.)

American History	History 7B, 124A, 124B, 131B	_____	_____	_____
American Institutions	Political Science 1	_____	_____	_____
Intro. Social Science	Anthro 3AC, Econ 1, Econ 2 Psych 1, Psych 2, Sociol 1, Sociol 3AC	_____	_____	_____
Media Studies	MS 10 or MS N10	_____	_____	_____

Other major non-prerequisite courses completed (not in progress) Use bottom of page to list others if more than two.

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Fourth prerequisite taking in ~~Fall 2019~~ (if applicable) _____

CalCentral will be used to verify University of California, Berkeley courses.

Please note: ALL major coursework must be taken for a letter grade.

Absolutely no exceptions made for courses taken after declaring major.

MAJOR DECLARATION

Term: Fall Spring Year: _____

Student name

Student ID

Email address

Phone number

See instructions on the reverse for additional forms and procedures.

Student's signature

Date

Major adviser's signature

Date

2nd Major adviser's signature (double majors only)

Date

Check the Major or Majors You Are Declaring

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| <input type="checkbox"/> African American Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Economics | Near Eastern Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> American Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> English | <input type="checkbox"/> Near Eastern Civilizations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anthropology | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Economics & Policy | <input type="checkbox"/> Ancient Egyptian & Near Eastern Art & Archaeology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art | <input type="checkbox"/> Ethnic Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Near Eastern Languages & Literatures |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Art, History of | <input type="checkbox"/> Film | <input type="checkbox"/> Operations Research & Management Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian American & Asian Diaspora Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> French | <input type="checkbox"/> Peace & Conflict Studies |
| Asian Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Gender & Women's Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> China | <input type="checkbox"/> Geography | <input type="checkbox"/> Physics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Japan | <input type="checkbox"/> German | <input type="checkbox"/> Political Economy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Global Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Political Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Astrophysics | <input type="checkbox"/> Greek | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Celtic Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> History | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry | <input type="checkbox"/> Integrative Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Rhetoric |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chicano Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Interdisciplinary Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Scandinavian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Classical Civilizations | <input type="checkbox"/> Italian Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Slavic Languages & Literatures |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Classical Languages | <input type="checkbox"/> Latin | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Welfare |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cognitive Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Latin American Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Sociology |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Comparative Literature | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> South & Southeast Asian Studies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Linguistics | Spanish and Portuguese |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dance & Performance Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Media Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish & Spanish American |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Data Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics | <input type="checkbox"/> Luso-Brazilian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dutch Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics-Applied | <input type="checkbox"/> Iberian |
| East Asian Languages and Cultures | <input type="checkbox"/> Middle Eastern Studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Latin American |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese | Molecular & Cell Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic Languages & Bilingual Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Japanese | <input type="checkbox"/> Biochem. & Molecular Biology | <input type="checkbox"/> Statistics |
| <input type="checkbox"/> E. Asian Rel., Thought & Culture | <input type="checkbox"/> Genetics, Genomics, & Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater & Performance Studies |
| Earth & Planetary Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Immunology & Pathogenesis | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atmospheric Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Cell & Developmental Biology | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environ. Earth Science | <input type="checkbox"/> Neurobiology | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Geology | <input type="checkbox"/> Music | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Geophysics | <input type="checkbox"/> Native American Studies | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Marine Science | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Planetary Science | | |