

# COURSE DETAIL

## ESSENTIALS OF JOURNALISM

**Country**

Netherlands

**Host Institution**

Leiden University College

**Program(s)**

Leiden University College

**UCEAP Course Level**

Lower Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Communication

**UCEAP Course Number**

5

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

ESSENTIALS OF JOURNALISM

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

ESSENTIAL JOURNALISM

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

4.50

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.00

## Course Description

This introductory course gives students a critical understanding of the core principles of journalism. Students explore what news is, how news values have developed through time, and they gain insights in the specifics of reporting, news writing, and interviewing. They learn to critically reflect on these specifics in light of current debates about what journalism is and should be in a digital and global age. Students develop journalistic skills by writing news stories and critically self-reflecting on the journalistic principles that guide their practice.

### Language(s) of Instruction

English

### Host Institution Course Number

### Host Institution Course Title

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### Host Institution Course Details

<https://studiegids.universiteitleiden.nl/courses/110232/essentials-of-journalism>

### Host Institution Campus

### Host Institution Faculty

Governance and Global Affairs

### Host Institution Degree

### Host Institution Department

Journalism

### Course Last Reviewed

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