

JOURNALISM AT FALMOUTH

WELCOME TO THE BA(HONS) JOURNALISM AT FALMOUTH.

Your offer

Please remember that if you have been made a conditional offer to study at Falmouth, your place is subject to meeting those conditions. Conditional means that we are waiting to receive your results, or some more information, before your place is finalised. You can see any conditions in <u>UCAS Track</u>. If you have any questions, please contact Samantha Brown on 01326 213730 or <u>samantha.brown@falmouth.ac.uk</u>

First week of term

Your first official day of attendance will be **Monday 14 September 2015**. Please report to **Chapel Lecture Theatre, Penryn Campus** at **10am** for a welcome talk.

Your first week at Falmouth will be an induction and orientation week. There will be important inductions for both the course and the wider university, in addition to a number of social activities. You will also be given course outlines and timetables.

Although there will be no formal classes in this week, there will be University inductions and a number of social activities taking place:

- 3.00 3.30pm, Tuesday 15 September, Chapel Lecture Theatre: Meeting the Vice Chancellor and Heads of Subject
- 3.30 4.30pm, Tuesday 15 September, Chapel Lecture Theatre: Student Services (where you will be introduced to your timetable
- 11.00 12.00, Thursday 17 September, Chapel Lecture Theatre: Careers and Software Induction

Formal classes will begin on Monday 21 September 2015.

MyTimetable

https://mytimetable.falmouth.ac.uk/ available from 1 September 2015

This is the link to MyTimetable, your online academic calendar which shows all scheduled learning activities and your course timetable. It will be available from 1 September 2015, however, timetables can be subject to change. To keep up to date, we recommend that you export the feed to your chosen device (mobile, tablet, laptop or desktop). An induction will be offered on the use of MyTimetable during freshers' week. Students will have access to their individual student timetables, where appropriate, once they have completed their online enrolment and IT induction.

Reading list

There are just two compulsory book purchases for this course in the first semester: Allan, S., 2005. *Journalism: critical issues*. Open University Press.

Allan, S., 2012. The routledge companion to news and journalism. Routledge.

You should purchase these books before the end of induction week, but we suggest you acquire them before commencement of the course and read what you can to give yourself an early flavour of the reflective aspects of the course. There will be another brief purchase list issued to you for the second semester.

During the coming weeks you will be emailed important information for new students. If you will be away, please ask someone else to check your emails regularly and reply on your behalf.

Yours sincerely

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