

# Cover Sheet: Request 14422

## Sunset Telecommunication News Track

### Info

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## Specialization|Close for request 14422

### Info

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### Responses

**Termination Date** Spring 2020

**Phase-Out Date** Spring 2022

**Specialization Name(s)** Telecommunication News

**Rationale for Request** The courses in this track have been moved to the Department of Journalism

**Impact on Other Programs** Students interested in "Broadcast" News will major in Journalism

**Steps Taken to Inform Students and Faculty** Faculty in the Departments of Telecommunication and Journalism have approved the change. Students who entered Fall 2019 are classified as Journalism majors. Students currently in Telecommunication News are being advised regarding completing the degree requirements in Telecommunication, or transferring to Journalism.

**Teach-Out Plan** Students currently in the Telecommunication News track will be able to complete all degree requirements for the BS-Tel. Courses in the Telecommunication News track are now under the administration of the Department of Journalism, but course numbers remain as before.

**Accommodation of Faculty** There are no full-time faculty teaching Telecommunication News in the Telecommunication Department