Media Fellow Applications

Digital Communication Consulting

About Us:
The Media Fellows Program is offered through Digital Communication Consulting in the JMU Learning Centers. We train undergraduate students to be effective peer tutors for digital projects. Our mission is to help JMU students develop skills to produce more sophisticated and professional online content.

Our Media Fellows can offer a range of services to assist your students in creating more sophisticated and professional online content:

- Offering mini-lectures and/or workshops to your class on web builders and effective digital communication
- Holding one-on-one tutoring hours specifically for your students to assist your students in producing more sophisticated content
- Maintaining a website specifically for your class with relevant resources, tools and websites that will enhance the digital production

Media Fellows are funded through your department at $10/hr. The fellowship can range from 40 to 100 hours a semester depending on the size and needs of your class.

Benefits for Faculty:
Faculty who incorporate sustained digital assignments in their course could benefit from a partnership with a Media Fellow:

- the Media Fellow has hands-on experience utilizing web builders and digital storytelling platforms and can best advise faculty and students on effective approaches, tools, and timelines
- The Media Fellow can handle the more technical issues in one-on-one or group consultations, allowing classroom time to be spent with more higher-order issues
- The Media Fellow can complete a information loop back to the faculty member by relaying behind-the-scenes production issues or concerns that can arise with digital assignments to improve process and production.

Your Information:

First Name
Last Name
Email Address
Full Time or Part Time faculty

What course are you teaching that you think will benefit from a Media Fellow:

Title
Course ID
Department

Which semester would you like the Media Fellow to be embedded in this course?

- Fall 2015
Which response best applies to your experience teaching digital assignments:

- Experienced: I have successfully integrated digital assignments into this class before
- Iteration: I have integrated digital assignments in this class and would like to improve the experience
- Experimental: This will be my first time integrating digital assignments into this class
- Unsure: I have not decided what kind of digital assignments I will integrate into this class

What kind of digital assignment is relevant for your class (select all that apply):

- A CIT class WordPress
- A digital portfolio assignment
- A website assignment using an online web builder
- A digital storytelling assignment
- A podcast or video production assignment
- Unsure
- Other (please specify)

Have you utilized CIT, CFI, or other resources JMU offers to develop your digital assignment?

- No
- Unsure (please specify)
- Yes (please specify)

Are you interested in participating in a CIT institute to develop your digital
assignment prior to hiring a Media Fellow?

- Yes
- No

Describe the digital assignment(s) for your class:

What services you are interested in the Media Fellow offering to your class (select all that apply):

- In-class presentations
- In-class workshops
- Outside of class consultations and lab hours
- Collaborating with you to improve your digital assignments and/or grading rubrics
- Maintaining a website for your students with resources, examples, and advice tailored to your assignment
- Compiling relevant content creation tools to best facilitate digital communication in your class

What level of support are you willing to dedicate to meeting one-on-one with the Media Fellow to discuss his/her contributions to your course and your students' progress with the digital assignment?

- Unsure
- 0-3 hours a semester
- 4-6 hours a semester
- 7-10 hours a semester
- Other (please specify)
Are you interested in producing scholarly work regarding digital assignments in your discipline?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

Describe the value digital assignments bring to your course:


Describe the value you anticipate a Media Fellow will bring to your class, your students, and/or your digital assignment:


What questions or concerns do you have about embedding a Media Fellow into your class?


Any further information you would like to include in your application?

