

Stony Brook University School of Communication and Journalism

Laura Lindenfeld, Dean & Executive Director Presentation to A&S Senate March 20, 2023





Top Recent Accomplishments

Reaccredited by ACEJMC, the leading journalism and mass communication accrediting body in the US

Growing research portfolio, including partnerships with NSF, US State Department

Increasing recognition of our journalism program:

- Solutions Journalism Hub Institution
- National Murrow Award
- Multiple Hearst Journalism Awards











New Degree Programs

New Undergraduate & Graduate Degree Programs

- BA Journalism (revised)
- BS Mass Communication
- MS in Journalism
- MS in Science Communication
- AGC in Communicating Science

Program in Development

- BA in Communication (anticipated launch 2023-24)
- BA in Writing & Rhetorical Studies (Under development)







Fall Enrollment

2012-2022







Student Credit Hours







4 Year Graduation Rates SoCJ & Stony Brook







Current Challenges & Opportunities

Challenges

- Capacity and space
- Policy and bylaws
- Changes in business plan

Opportunities

- Leveraging the unique opportunities created through the Colvin Center and the Alda Center
- New high-demand academic programs and research; potential for a PhD program
- Partnership opportunities that leverage our solutionsoriented, collaborative, interdisciplinary approach





Save the Date

Journalists on the Frontline: War, Conflict and Post-Traumatic Stress

Thursday, April 20

Annual Marie Colvin Distinguished Lecture, offered in partnership with Psychology (CAS) and Psychiatry (RSOM)

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