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# YEAR PLANNER 2024

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## 2024 YEAR PLANNER

### YEAR ONE POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE



JN4530 JOURNALISM LEADERSHIP (40 credits)

22 Jan 2024 Block 1 commences online\* with weekly seminars on Mondays from 17:00-18:30 UK time.

26 Feb – 1 March 2024 Intensive Study Block 1 online (Teams)

25 March Block 1 concludes

SPRING BREAK

15 April Block 2 commences

13-17 May Intensive Study Block 2 on campus (Preston, UK)

17 June WRAP Block 2 concludes online \*\*

JN4531 JOURNALISM INNOVATION (20 credits)

30 Sept 2024 Block 3 commences online  
With weekly seminars on Mondays from 17:00-18:30 UK time.

28 Oct-1 Nov Intensive Study Block 3 on campus (Preston, UK)

09 Dec WRAP Block 3 concludes online

SUMMER GRADUATION: w/c 7th July 2025

\*During online learning weeks, seminars are typically from 17:00 to 18:30 on **Mondays** (UK time)

\*\*Over the summer, participants will be invited to meet informally monthly (online or in-person). The week of 7th July 2025 is summer graduation during which time we will host a summer celebration event to which all participants and the Board of Industry Advisors and Mentors are invited.

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### YEAR TWO MASTER OF ARTS



JN4527 RESEARCH FOR MEDIA WORK (60 credits)

24 Jan 2024 Block 4 commences online\*with the weekly seminar on Thursdays from 15:00-16:30 UK time.

18-22 March Intensive Study Block 4 on campus (Preston).

#### SPRING BREAK

17 April Block 4 continues online

17 June WRAP and transition to JN4526

JN4526 EXTENDED APPLIED LEARNING PROJECT (60 credits)

w/c 08 July 2024\*\* Summer graduation and optional on-campus research time

#### SUMMER / SUPERVISION

07-11 October Optional Research Bootcamp on campus (Preston)

Early submission: 27 Jan 2025

FINAL Submission: 31 March 2025

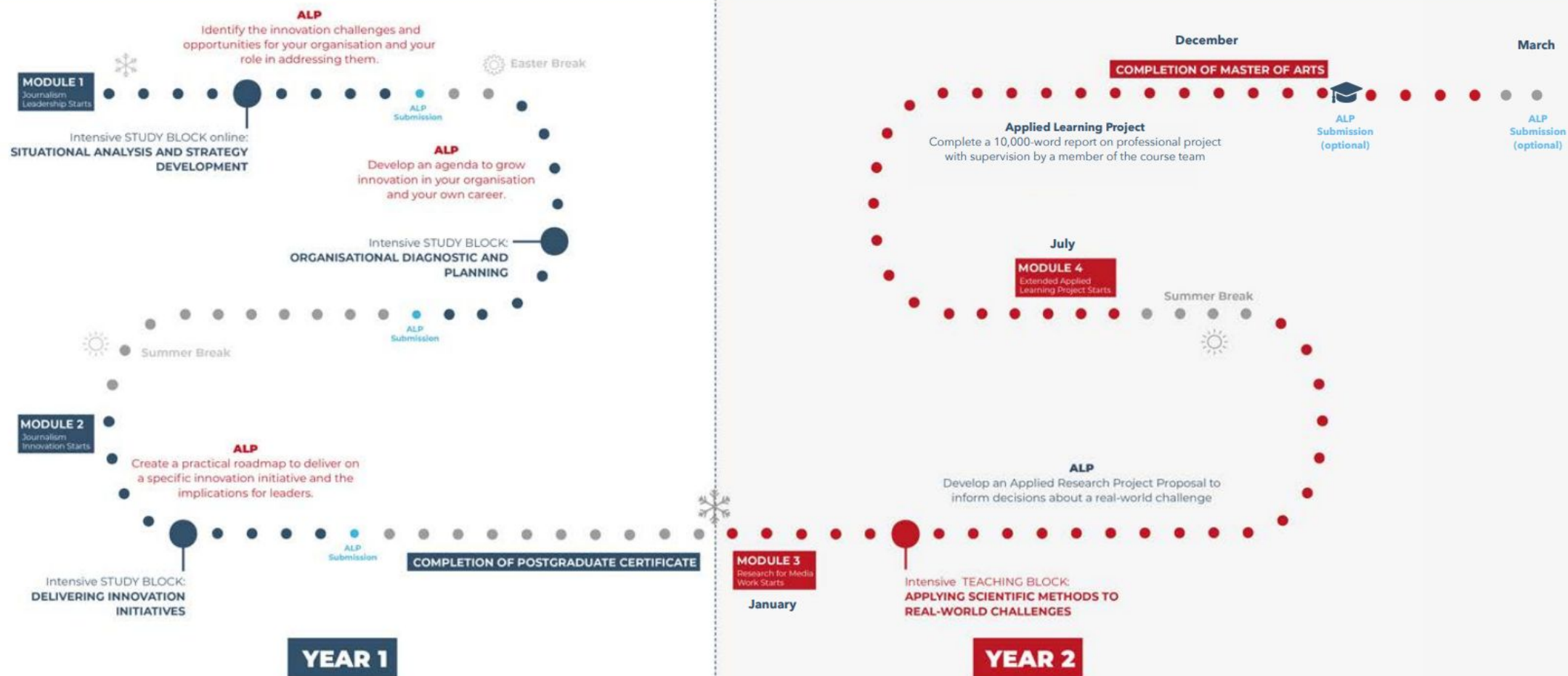
SUMMER GRADUATION: w/c 8th July 2025

- During online learning weeks, seminars are typically on **Thursdays** from 15:00 to 16:30 UK
- \*\* Those who have completed the PG Cert in 2023 will have the option to receive their awards at the summer graduation w/c 8th July 2024

# Planning Your Studies

We recognise that professionals have considerable demands on their time. With that in mind, we suggest you consider the following when planning your studies:

- Allocate at least five hours per week to the research, reading, discussion, reflection and writing required for each module.
- Each term will include nine weekly online sessions along with an intensive study block online or on campus.
- On campus study blocks typical include study visits as well as evening events. Dress throughout is casual.



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