Citizen Lab Journalism School Survey

Survey instructions: Please complete the survey once for each journalism program at your institution. For example, if you offer a Bachelor's degree and a Masters degree in journalism, please complete two surveys in total — one for each program.

Definitions:

We define digital information security training as training to prepare journalists to protect their information and communications from unauthorized surveillance, interception, or theft. Topics in this training might include, but are not necessarily limited to, how to anticipate and understand such digital threats, and strategies to guard against them. It might also cover the use of relevant tools such as encryption, virtual private networks (VPNs), or PGP.

We define hours of training as including any hours spent with an instructor, including in-class hours, office hours, online interactions with instructors etc. We do not include hours spent doing homework, readings, or other independent work.

1. Name of your institution:

2. Program:

- a. Bachelors
- b. Masters
- c. PhD
- d. Other (please specify)
- 3. Does this journalism program include training on digital information security?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No
- 4. Which of the following describes the digital information security training provided to students in this journalism program: (select all that apply)
 - a. The program includes a course (or courses) on digital information security
 - b. Digital information security is integrated into a course (or courses) that also cover other topics
 - c. The program includes a lecture (or lectures) on digital information security
 - d. The program includes a workshop (or workshops) on digital information security
 - e. Other (please specify)
- 5. How many mandatory hours of digital information security training are required for students who complete this program?
 - a. 0

- b. 1-2
- c. 3-5
- d. 6-10
- e. More than 10
- 6. How many optional hours of digital information security training are available to students who complete this program?
 - a. 0
 - b. 1-2
 - c. 3-5
 - d. 6-10
 - e. More than 10

We also request that, if possible, you share any relevant instructional documents related to the training your institution provides, such as syllabi or course descriptions. Please provide links to these documents below, or else send them by email to [email address removed].

Thank you for completing this survey