JOUR 460
Social
Responsibility
of the News Media

with
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Using current and historical case studies, we will examine the role of the individual journalist, considering the significance of compassion, advocacy, expertise, ethical behavior, and other attributes of the news professional. We will explore best practices in reporting about armed conflict, race and gender issues, privacy, economic injustice, and other topics that the news media have sometimes failed to cover thoroughly.