

# West Chester University Radio

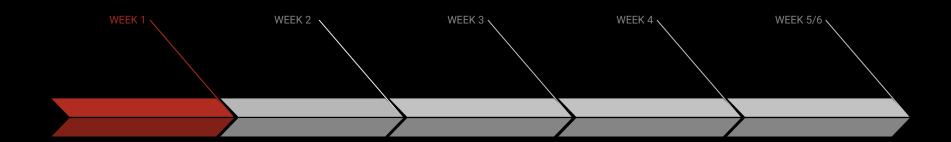
Fall Training 2024 - Week 1



# Station Walk-Through Video



## Training Roadmap



#### **Station Intro**

Who, What, When, Where, Why! Get familiar with WCUR as an organization and how we work!

#### **Equipment & Lingo**

The equipment and terminology used to produce awesome live shows! Sit-Ins BEGIN.

#### FCC & SOP

Federal Communications Commission Regulations & Standard Operating Procedures. Sit-ins continue

#### **Knowledge Quiz**

A quiz covering the most vital information from weeks 1-3. Final Week for Sit-Ins.

#### **On-Air Test**

A 10 minute live show test covering the essential facets of hosting a live show, proctored by TD.



### Training Requirements

#### **Classroom Sessions**

Attend all 3 Classroom Sessions (Intro, Equipment, SOP/FCC)

### Practical Sessions / Sit-Ins

- Complete at least two (2) sit-ins with a qualified DJ
  - You have space for up to 3 (or more by special arrangement)
  - Each hour of sit-in time counts as 1 sit in, provided that you are hands-on with equipment
  - Runs concurrently with Classroom sessions.



# Training Requirements, con't

#### **Evaluations**

- Written Quiz
  - Completed after all Classroom sessions are complete, covering mostly rules and procedures.
- On-Air Test
  - Final training component, covering ONLY the practical side.

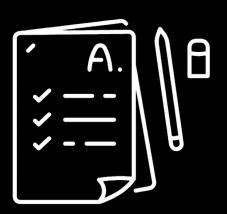




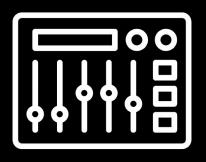


3 in-class sessions

2 sit-ins with a current WCUR member



Written Test



On-Air Test

# Membership Requirements & Mission/Purpose

### **SGA Mandated:**

Maintain 2.0 GPA or Higher

#### **Station Enforced:**

- Attend ALL General Staff meetings (usually once a month!)
- Do not violate Student Code of Conduct in the Station
- Watch Your Words: You reflect WCUR & WCU while on-air!



# Membership Requirements & Mission/Purpose

### Our Purpose:

WCUR, operating as a professional organization, shall serve as a means of communication to the student body of West Chester University and West Chester community members. Through the production of musical and educational entertainment, WCUR will offer station personnel an opportunity to experience all aspects of radio broadcasting.



### A *Brief* History of WCUR

#### The Beginning

Started in the 1960s as a Closed-Circuit AM station.

#### The Middle:

- 1987: Submitted many applications for an FM construction permit & education broadcast license
- 1998: FCC awarded WCUR a Construction Permit for a new FM Station
- 1999: WCUR began broadcast as an FM station on September 1st!

#### The Now:

WCUR-FM turned 25 on Sept. 1, 2024!



# Station Leadership



Doc Smith

Designated Chief Operator



Dr. McCool

Faculty Advisor



Joseph LaManna

Asst. Chief Operator

### Station Leadership

- General Manager: Noah Smith
- Programming Director: Amy Klinger
- Business Manager: Daniel Eppley
- Training Director: Lily Burke
- Events & Promotions Director: Chris Credden
- Music Director: Sadie Levi-Price
- Multimedia Director: Olivia Karczewski
- Sports Director: CJ Tully
- Community Affairs Director: Ellie Perrin
- Secretary / SGA Relations: Devin Gray



# Committees (may be going away)

<u>Music</u>

<u>Sports</u>

**Events** 

**Production / Podcasting** 

**Training** 

**Multimedia** 



## WCUR.org - Join Tab > Training Resources

- Classroom slides, WCUR handbook, instructional videos, and other resources available
- Log in details:
  - Username: wcurdj
  - Password: wcurdj





The End Questions?