

Jordan Doe works on his announcing skills in the campus radio station. Doe is currently doing his practicum at Power 97.



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The Academy of Broadcasting is Manitoba's Media College, which offers three media training programs: Radio and Television Broadcasting; Acting for Film and Television; and Media Writing.

The flagship program is broadcasting and graduates of this nine-month program find employment as announcers, reporters, writers, camera operators and video editors, producers, and promotions co-coordinators.

President Bev Edmondson says 85 per cent of graduates who look for work in the industry find jobs they love. "There are over 40 radio stations in Manitoba,

plus our graduates get hired regularly in northwestern Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta. We only graduate about 65 broadcasters a year, so there are lots of opportunities for people who really want to work in this industry."

Classes start four times a year, in January, April, July and September. The Academy of Broadcasting offers small class sizes, professional instructors, a campus radio station, full production computer lab including Pro Tools, Final Cut Pro and Avid Movie Maker, and full-time graduate services. The next class starts Jan. 23, 2012.