IV. Journalism and Writing

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In what ways does a city impact our experiences of the every day? Our daily routines are informed by traffic, food, languages, and spaces. A morning in Bangalore traffic will teach you enough about people, roads, and language. An evening walk around Johnson Market will reveal a history of migration, religion, and the politics of food.

When someone says that Bangalore is a 'nice' city, or if you are immediately reminded of a very local Bangalore language, what are we referring to? This course will allow the student to see the city in different lights, through various forms of documentation. The student will use audio, video, and images to document the city. Tasks will involve conducting interviews and going on photo walks around the city.