1. Consumer Magazine Article: Places (14 entries)
Judge: Scott Stuckey, editor at large of National Geographic Traveler

First Place: “Truck-Stop Tales,” by Ashley Carman, University of Missouri. Rob Weir and Rhonda Prast, advisers

Second Place: “The Tiger’s New Stripes,” by Mitch Ryals, University of Missouri. Jennifer Rowe, adviser

Third Place: “Ancient Roots in the Amazon: Tres Fronteras,” by Romona Flume, University of Texas. Dave Garlock, adviser

Honorable Mention: “Looking for Home in Havana,” by Roger Sherman, Northwestern University. David Abrahamson, adviser

2. Consumer Magazine Article: People (37 entries)
Judge: Richard B. Stolley, senior editorial adviser at Time Inc. and founding editor of People


Second Place: “Classic Gopnik,” by Matthew Braga, Ryerson University. Lynn Cunningham, adviser

Third Place: “Sofie at 10,” by Gretchen Baker, Boston University. Caryl Rivers, adviser

Honorable Mention: “Northern Tenacity,” by Samantha Anderson, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser

Honorable Mention: “When the Bucket Runs Dry,” by Justin Williams, Ohio University. Ellen Gerl, adviser

3. Consumer Magazine Article: Investigation and Analysis (13 entries)
Judge: Keith Reed, senior editor of ESPN

First Place: “Scary Monsters,” by Kasia Mychajlowycz, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser

Second Place: “The New Full-Frontal: How Michaelangelo, Carrie Bradshaw, Hugh Hefner and Barbie incited the extinction of pubic hair in America,” by Ashley Fetter, Northwestern University. Karen Springen, adviser

Third Place: “Hunting the Craigslist Killer,” by James Robinson, Boston University. Caryl Rivers, adviser

4. Consumer Magazine Article: Service and Information (10 entries)
Judge: John Rockhold, managing editor of Mother Earth News

First Place: “Occupy True/False,” University of Missouri. Jennifer Rowe, adviser

Second Place: “Big Love,” by Taylor Lewis, University of Kansas. Carol Holstead, adviser
**Third Place:** “Bill Monroe’s Bluegrass,” by Charlotte Martin, Indiana University–Bloomington. Nancy Comiskey, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** “The Morel Mystique,” by Claire Ronner, Indiana University–Bloomington. Nancy Comiskey, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** “CoMo Complains,” by David Cawthon, University of Missouri. Rob Weir and Rhonda Prast, advisers

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### 5. Consumer Magazine Article: Feature (44 entries)

**Judge:** Mike Sager, writer for *Esquire* and author of *Scary Monsters and Super Freaks* and *Revenge of the Donut Boys*

**First Place:** “Mother Knows Best,” by Allison Schwartz, University of Florida. Ted Spiker, adviser

**Second Place:** “Northern Revival,” by Marta Iwanek, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser

**Third Place:** “Waiting for I Do,” by Leighann McGivern, Kent State University. Jacqueline Marino, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** “Los Deportados,” by Murphy Woodhouse and Sam McNeil, University of Arizona. Carol Schwalbe, adviser

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### 6. Consumer Magazine Article: First Person (28 entries)

**Judge:** Seth Porges, freelance writer and the creator of the iPhone app Cloth. Previously, he has worked as an editor and writer at *Maxim, Popular Mechanics, Bloomberg News* and *Men’s Health*

**First Place:** The Debutant Wars,” by Elizabeth Jones, Boston University. Caryl Rivers, adviser

**Second Place:** “Next to Normal,” by Aliza Chudnow, University of Kansas. Carol Holstead, adviser

**Third Place:** “Gambling Man,” by Brittany Danielson, Boston University. Caryl Rivers, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** “Cochise Stronghold,” Susan E. Swanberg, University of Arizona. Carol Schwalbe, adviser

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### 7. Specialized Business Press Article (1 entry)

**Judge:** Sandi Wendelken, editor, RadioResource Media Group

**First Place:** “The Ethics of Staging,” Daniel Viola, Ryerson University. Lynn Cunningham, adviser

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### 8. Online Magazine (11 entries)

**Judge:** Nick Fauchald, editor-in-chief of tastingtable.com, an online food magazine, and a former editor at *Food & Wine.*

**First Place:** *Think Dubuque* (thinkdubuque.com/), Drake University, staff. Jill Van Wyke, adviser

**Second Place:** *A Magazine* (theamag.com), Kent State University, Frank Yonkof, web and iPad editor. Jan Leach, adviser

**Third Place:** *Urban Plains* (urbanplainsmag.com/), Drake University, staff. Jeff Inman, adviser.
Judge: Andi Beierman, deputy art director, Texas Monthly

First Place: Fusion (Winter 2012), Kent State University, Simon Husted, editor, Cody Wallis, art director. Bruce Zake, adviser

Second Place: Vox (Nov. 3, 2011), Theresa Berens and Stefanie Kienstra, art directors. University of Missouri. Mike Jenner, adviser

Third Place: Think, Drake University, Sarah Andrews, art director. Jill Van Wyke, adviser

Honorable Mention: Echo, Columbia College Chicago, Kady Dennell and Kevin Benishek, art directors. Zach Dodson, adviser

Judge: Peter Moore, editor of Men’s Health

First Place: Ryerson Review of Journalism (Winter 2012), Ryerson University, Haley Cullingham, editor. Tim Falconer, adviser

Second Place: Echo, Columbia College Chicago, Kelsey Herron, managing editor. Sharon Bloyd-Peshkin, adviser

Third Place: Journey Magazine, Florida A&M University, Kristen Swilley, editor in chief. Dorothy Bland and Laura Downey, advisers

Honorable Mention: Vox Magazine, University of Missouri, Stephanie Smith and Lauren Zima, editors. Jennifer Rowe, adviser

Honorable Mention: The Planet, Western Washington University, Mitch Olsen, editor. William Dietrich, adviser

Judge: Aaron Hicklin, editor of Out

First Place: Ryerson Review of Journalism (Summer 2012), Ryerson University, Sara Harowitz, editor, Tim David, art director. Lynn Cunningham, adviser

Second Place: Echo, Columbia College Chicago, Kelsey Herron, managing editor, Kady Dennell and Kevin Benishek, art directors. Sharon Bloyd-Peshkin and Zach Dodson, advisers

Third Place: The Burr (Spring 2012), Kent State University, Rabab Al-Sharif, editor, Kelly Lipovich, art director. Jacqueline Marino, adviser

Honorable Mention: MS Observer, University of Mississippi, Ellie Turner and Angela Rogalski, editors, Ignacio Murillo, art director. Samir Husni, adviser

Honorable Mention: Fusion (Spring 2012), Kent State University, Simon Husted, editor, Katherine Armstrong, art director. Bruce Zake, adviser
12. Start-up Magazine Project: Team (19 entries)
Judges: Vicki Wellington, vice president and publisher of Food Network Magazine; Maile Carpenter, editor-in-chief of Food Network Magazine; Peggy Mansfield, associate publisher, marketing, of Food Network Magazine

**First Place:** Hinge (tablet native), Northwestern University. Patti Wolter, adviser

**Second Place:** Wabi sabi, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chelsea Bailey, Kaelyn Malkoski, Emma Hill. Bill Cloud, adviser

**Third Place:** Carpe Diem, University of Florida, Ryan Butler, Amanda Aschenbrenner, Allison Arteaga, Veronica Daniel. Maghan McDowell, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** Underground, Boston University. Caryl Rivers, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** Modify, University of Missouri, T. Casagrand, A. Stevenson-Grund, M. Markelz, C. Honan, E. Morris, W. Floyd, K. Landis, B. Duncan. John Fennell, adviser

Judge: Kevin P. Keefe, vice president-editorial, publisher, Kalmbach Publishing Co. in Waukesha, Wisconsin. Kalmbach publishes hobby and special interest magazines

**First place:** As One’s Own, Katherine Elizabeth Saucier, University of Mississippi. Samir Husni, adviser

**Second place:** Pirouette, Gabby Schock, University of Kansas. Carol Holstead, adviser

**Third place:** Simplicity, Allison Bond, University of Kansas. Carol Holstead, adviser