1. Consumer Magazine Article: Places (19 entries)
Judge: Scott Stuckey, editor of The Science Teacher, author of National Geographic’s *Ultimate Field Guide to Travel Photography* (http://amzn.to/11u2yI9) and former managing editor of National Geographic Traveler.

First Place: “City Limits,” by Meagan Flynn, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

Second Place: “From the Ashes,” by Rebecca Melnyk, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser

2. Consumer Magazine Article: People (41 entries)
Judge: Richard B. Stolley, senior editorial adviser at Time Inc. and founding editor of People

First Place: “Sex and (Dis)ability,” by Kevin Dubois, University of Missouri. Heather Lamb and John Fennell, advisers

Second Place: “It’s a Sting Operation for Bug Professor,” by Michaela Kane, University of Arizona. Carol Schwalbe, adviser


Honorable Mention: “City Limits,” by Meagan Flynn, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

Honorable Mention: “Addicted,” Melanie Stone, DePaul University. Amy Merrick, adviser

3. Consumer Magazine Article: Investigation and Analysis (22 entries)
Judge: Kurt Chandler, editor of Milwaukee Magazine

First Place: “The Fire,” by Noelle Graves, Boston University. Caryl Rivers, adviser

Second Place: “From the Ashes,” by Rebecca Melnyk, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser

Third Place: “Life Sentence, De Facto,” by Meagan Flynn, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

Honorable Mention: “Pumped Up Kicks,” by Kelsey Johnson, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

Honorable Mention: “The Credibility Gap,” by Daniel Sellers, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser

4. Consumer Magazine Article: Service and Information (11 entries)
Judge: Travis Jennings Brown, associate editor at Esquire

First Place: “Doc Dynasty,” by Vox Magazine staff, University of Missouri. Heather Lamb, Mary Kay Blakely and Jennifer Rowe, advisers

Second Place: “Tech Junkies,” by Emily Wickwire, Northwestern University. David Abrahamson, adviser

Third Place: “Not Your Mama’s Manicure,” by Imani Mixon, Northwestern University. Karen Springen, adviser


5. Consumer Magazine Article: Feature (44 entries)
Judge: Mike Sager, writer-at-large for Esquire and author of Scary Monsters and Super Freaks and Revenge of the Donut Boys.

First Place: “City Limits,” by Meagan Flynn, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser.

Second Place: “iWitness,” by Miro Rodriguez, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser.

Third Place: “Free To Be Me,” by Claire Landsbaum, University of Missouri. Heather Lamb and Mary Kay Blakely, advisers.

Honorable Mention: “They’re Not Fine,” by Megan Jones, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser.

6. Consumer Magazine Article: First Person (26 entries)
Judge: Seth Porges is freelance writer who contributes to InStyle, Fast Company, Forbes, Men's Journal, Maxim, Rolling Stone, Popular Mechanics and Mashable.

First Place: “My Upright Life,” by Christina Bucciere, Kent State University. Jacqueline Marino, adviser.

Second Place: “Head Games,” by Nick Shook, Kent State University. Jacqueline Marino, adviser.

Third Place: “I Was a Teenage Anti-Abortion Apologist,” by Luc Rinaldi, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser.

7. Specialized Business Press Article (10 entries)


Third Place: “Wrong Numbers,” by Ronan O’Beirne, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer, adviser.

8. Online Magazine (12 entries)
Judge: Abby Gardner, web director at Cosmopolitan and xoJane.

First Place: Powerless: Six Stories from the 2013 Michigan Ice Storm, Alena Davis, Josh Drzewicki, Lauren Evasic, Cody Harrell, Alexa McCarthy and Sally Zimmerman, Michigan State University. Jennifer Ware, adviser.


Third Place: Think, Rachel Weeks, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser.
**Honorable Mention:** Drakemagazine.com, Sami Smith, Drake University. Lori Blachford, adviser

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**Judge:** Roger Black owns Roger Black, A Narrative Design Studio, which designs and redesigns print and digital publications. Most recently he was at Edipresse in Hong Kong, redesigning the Asian Tatler magazines

**First Place:** Klipsun Magazine “Balance,” Mindon Win, editor-in-chief, Adam Bussing, designer, Western Washington University. Stephen Howie, adviser

**Second Place:** Echo, Alyson Wakeman and Hannah Rebernick, art directors, Columbia College Chicago. Sharon Bloyd-Peshkin and Zach Dodson, advisers

**Third Place:** Vox Magazine (Party Like It’s 1969, 4-10-14), University of Missouri. Heather Lamb and Mary Kay Blakely, advisers

**Honorable Mention:** Housing Guide 2014, James Gardner, Brad Davis, Brett Bertola, Jennifer Foote and Thomas Busath, Brigham Young University. Steve Fidel, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** The Annual, Morgan DeBoest, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** Southeast Ohio, Kaitlyn Richert, design director, Ohio University. Ellen Gerl, adviser

**Honorable Mention:** Fourteenth Street Magazine, Kayla Devon, editor-in-chief, Shauna Bannan, creative director, Temple University. Laurence Roy Stains, adviser

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**Judge:** Peter Moore, editor of Men’s Health Magazine and Men’s Health iPad edition

**First Place:** Echo, Sam Bohne, managing editor, Columbia College Chicago. Sharon Bloyd-Peshkin and Zach Dodson, advisers

**Second Place:** Two Magazine, Miranda Facer, Britannia Busath, Shelby Hintze, Aubrey Greene, JJ Knechtel, James Gardner, Brad Davis, Brett Bertola, Jennifer Foote and Thomas Busath, Brigham Young University. Steve Fidel, adviser

**Third Place:** Ryerson Review of Journalism, Megan Jones, Ryerson University. Tim Falconer adviser

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**Judge:** Sara Austin, deputy editor of Cosmopolitan, winner of the 2014 National Magazine Award for service journalism

**First Place:** Think (The Wasted Edition), Rachel Weeks, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

**Second Place:** SkyView, University of Arizona. Carol Schwalbe, adviser

**Third Place:** Vox (True/False issue, 2-27-24), University of Missouri. Heather Lamb and Mary Kay Blakely, advisers

**Honorable Mention:** Echo, Sam Bohne, managing editor; Alyson Wakeman and Hannah Rebernick, art directors, Columbia College Chicago. Sharon Bloyd-Peshkin and Zach Dodson, advisers
Honorable Mention: Two, Miranda Facer, Britania Busath, Shelby Hintze, Aubrey Greene, JJ Knechtel, James Gardner, Brad Davis, Brett Bertola, Jennifer Foote and Thomas Busath, Brigham Young University. Steve Fidel, adviser

12. Start-up Magazine Project: Team (10 entries)
Judge: Nina Elder, deputy food editor, Every Day with Rachael Ray


Second Place: Vintage Now, Chelsea Bengier, Claire Porter, Caroline Michler, Jamie Hergenrader, Dani Vanderboegh, Breanna Dumbacher and Jennifer Liu, University of Missouri. John Fennell and Erica Mendez Babcock, advisers.

Third Place: True North, Josephine Yurcaba, Andrew Stern, Alex Dixon, Katharine McAnarney, Emily Wiggins, Zach Potter, Meredith Hamrick and Laurie Beth Harris, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Linda C. Brinson, adviser

Honorable Mention: Vertical Floor, 2014 Magazine, Newspaper, and Online Journalism Graduate Capstone Class, Syracuse University. Melissa Chessher, adviser

Honorable Mention: Wander, Meredith Burns, Leslie Ann Blake, Betsy Church, Jacqueline Kantor, Anna Starnes, Thea Ryan and Jamie Gnazzo, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Linda C. Brinson, adviser

13. Start-up Magazine Project: Individual (9 entries)
Judge: Kevin P. Keefe, vice president-editorial, publisher, Kalmbach Publishing Co. in Waukesha, Wisconsin. Kalmbach publishes hobby and special interest magazines

First place: Minimal Living, Hali Ortega, Drake University. Lori Blachford, adviser

Second place: Beat Scene, Kayli Kunkel, Drake University. Lori Blachford, adviser

Third place: Simply Political, Steff Thomas, University of Mississippi. Samir Husni, adviser

Honorable Mention: Esteem, Selchia Cain, Drake University. Lori Blachford, adviser