

**2014 Association for Education in Journalism and
Mass Communication Student Magazine Contest**

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/11u2yl9>) 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

Third Place: "Life After Neari Death," by Alyssa Howard, Northwestern University. Karen Springen, 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

Honorable Mention: “How Merlot Can You Go,” by *Vox Magazine* staff, University of Missouri. Rob Weir, David Reed and Nina Furstenau advisers

Honorable Mention: “Varicose Veins: Not All Vanity,” by Dan Desrochers, University of Arizona. Carol Schwalbe, 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)

Judge: Sandi Wendelken, editor at RadioResource Media Group

First Place: “Coffee Fungus Affects Small Farms,” by Nicole Thill, University of Arizona. Lisa Button, adviser

Second Place: “Solar Power Along the U.S.-Mexico Border,” by Cinthia Guillen, University of Arizona. Lisa Button, adviser

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

Second Place: *The Second Wind*, Kyle Campbell, Jordan Mueller, Jordyn Timpson, Stefan Kubus, Michigan State University. Darcy Greene, adviser

Third Place: *Think*, Rachel Weeks, Drake University. Jeff Inman, adviser

Honorable Mention: *Drakemagazine.com*, Sami Smith, Drake University. Lori Blachford, adviser

9. Single Issue of an Ongoing Print Magazine: Design (24 entries)

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

10. Single Issue of an Ongoing Print Magazine: Editorial (16 entries)

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, 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

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

11. Single Issue of an Ongoing Print Magazine: General Excellence (26 entries)

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*

First Place: *Union*, Benita Brown, Bethany Christo, Laura Heck, Ted Hart, Allison Pohle, Jessica Lueck, Justin Brisson and Janelle Pfeifer, University of Missouri. John Fennell and Erica Mendez Babcock, advisers.

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