

## **Best Radio Station Newscast**

### **First Place: DePaul**

Radio DePaul's Pocket News at Noon for  
4/11/17

Credit: Doug Klain

### **Second Place: North Central College**

WONC Headline News

Credit: Cora Georgiou

### **Third Place: Illinois State Radio**

Andy Olson Newscast

Credit: Andy Olson

## **Best Radio Aircheck**

### **First Place: Lombard-IL Media School**

Naomi Padilla Aircheck

Credit: Naomi Padilla

### **Second Place: Illinois State Radio**

Nathan Yurgin Aircheck Demo

Credit: Nathan Yurgin

### **Third Place: Lombard-IL Media School**

Star Aircheck

Credit: Shaniece Byndom

## **Best Radio Spot**

### **First Place: Lombard-IL Media School**

Art of Pizza

Credit: Anthony Dunleavy

### **Second Place: Lombard-IL Media School**

Black Bear Ale

Credit: Jennifer Scott

### **Third Place: DePaul**

Snarf's Sandwiches

Credit: Mattie Draftz

## **Best Radio Recorded Promotion**

### **First Place: Illinois State Radio**

WZND Tinder Promo

Credit: Ashley Antonini, Andrew Cohen,  
Luke Schneider

### **Second Place: DePaul**

Mistake and Eggs Promo

Credit: Mattie Draftz

### **Third Place: Illinois State Radio**

WZND Rules to Win Promo

Credit: Andrew Cohen, Melanie Holden

## **Best Radio PSA**

### **First Place: Illinois State Radio**

Special Olympics Illinois  
Credit: Mike O'Donnell

### **Second Place: DePaul**

Vincentian Service Day  
Credit: Mattie Draftz

### **Third Place: Illinois State Radio**

Redbird Safe Walk  
Credit: Julia Gramont

## **Best Radio News Story**

### **First Place: Illinois State Radio**

Planned Parenthood Protest Story  
Credit: Maddy Wierus

### **Second Place: Illinois State Radio**

Trump Protest Story  
Credit: Jake Fahrow

### **Third Place: DePaul**

Gavin McInnes Banned  
Credit:

## **Best Radio Sports Story**

### **First Place: Illinois State Radio**

MiKyle Mcintosh Story  
Credit: Blake Haas

### **Second Place: DePaul**

Interview with Sam Smith  
Credit: Adam Chalifoux

### **Third Place: Illinois State Radio**

ISU Golf Story  
Credit: Neil Doyle

## **Best Radio Longform**

### **Journalism Programming**

#### **First Place: North Central College**

March in Solidarity  
Credit: Dominic Guanzon

#### **Second Place: DePaul**

SGAte Pt. 2  
Credit: Doug Klain, Sarah Breedlove

#### **Third Place: North Central College**

Alyssa Allgood Interview  
Credit: Dominic Guanzon

**Best Radio Longform  
Entertainment Programming**

**First Place: Lake Land College**

The Big Bust OTR  
Credit: Kimo Byars

**Second Place: Lake Land College**

Blackwell's Peace  
Credit: Maclean Enright

**Third Place: Lake Land College**

Odd Addictions  
Credit: Cody Borntreger

**Best Station Use of New Media**

**First Place: Illinois State Radio**

WZND Social Media  
Credit: Mackenzie Nickens, Sharvelle Bullock,  
WZND Social Media Staff

**Second Place: Lombard-IL Media School**

The Edge On Air Website  
Credit: Staff

**Third Place: Illinois State Radio**

WZND.com  
Credit: Kristina Ilieva, Kaitlyn Mayer,  
WZND Multimedia Staff

**Best Sales Presentation**

**First Place: Illinois State Radio**

Lucca Grill  
Credit: Adam Evans

**Second Place: Lake Land College**

The French Quarter  
Credit: John Bejma

**Best Radio/TV Promotional  
or Public Service Campaign**

**First Place: Illinois State Radio**

Watch Out for WZND  
Credit: Jessica O'Grady, Claire O'Ryan,  
WZND Promotions Staff

**Second Place: Lincoln College**  
89X Special Olympics Polar Plunge Sponsorship  
Credit: Dylan Diemert, Christian Lloyd, JD  
Keister,  
Henry Blackman

**Third Place: Lincoln College**

Radio, TV, and New Media Degree Promo  
Credit: Dylan Diemert, Meranda Vieregge,  
Nik Jackson

**Best Radio/TV Live Game Sports  
Broadcast**

**First Place: Illinois State Radio**

ISU Softball vs. Bradley  
Credit: Neil Doyle, Matt Gocken

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### **Second Place: North Central College**

NCC vs. Carrol

Credit: William Dawes, Anthony La Parry

### **Third Place: Illinois State Radio**

MVC Semifinal

Credit: Neil Doyle, Steve Wrzala

## **Best TV Longform Journalism Programming**

### **First Place: Southern Illinois University**

"Saluki SportsView" April 27, 2017

Credit: Joey Dalo, Zach Thomas, Curtis

Wideman,

Zach Barrett, Michael Nelson, Patrick Codo

### **Second Place: Univ of Illinois TV**

UI-7 News: 2016 Illinois Election Coverage

Credit: Julia Hinders, Kelsey Lubatkin,

Lauren Hicks, Caitlin Weaver, Christopher Kennedy,

Dakota Karson, Zach Prelutsky, Billy Hatfield, Gwendolyn Pepin

### **Third Place: Lincoln College**

A Closer Look at Creekside

Credit: Tess Bruni, Andrew Walker, Chris Garcia

## **Best TV Longform Entertainment Programming**

### **First Place: College of DuPage**

Climate Control

Credit: Matt Miltonberger,

### **Second Place: College of DuPage**

Inside COD December 2016

Credit: Rob Nardini, Alex Bruzek, Matt Elias,

Greg DeNuccio, Darbi Torres, Kyle Dearborn,

Blaine Cummings, Dillon Schultz, Tom Hibner,

Ryan Jolly, Frank Miceli, Erni Hartini, Chris Finch,

Jack Traverso, Ronniw Mathews and Auste

Kuncas

### **Third Place: Illinois State TV**

Ten on 10

Credit: Kourtney Adams, Tiffany Hernandez,

Ashley Shannon, Trevor Sweet, Matty Jiles,

Jessi Brutton

## **Best TV Newscast**

### **First Place: Eastern Illinois University**

EIU Newscast

Credit: Brian Hartman

### **Second Place: College of DuPage**

Courier TV March 9 2017

Credit: Studio Crew-Janese Lee,

Karen Robinson, Briscel Martinez, Nick Petrillo,

Matt Elias, Erni Hartini, Ronnie Mathews,

Jacques Mesias, Paul Dipping, Mario Fountatin,

Kyle Dearborn, Alex Pomerory, Anna

Pierczynski,

Shanon Ryan and Frank Miceli

**Third Place: Illinois State TV**

TV-10 News: Tuesday, May 2, 2017  
Credit: Alyssa Ortiz, Isabella Rodriguez,  
Ron Stephens, Gene Hoard, Haley Kosik,  
Alyssa Carlson, Tiffany Morrison, Kate  
Chapman,  
Dania De La Hoya, Nick Silhavy

**Best TV News Package**

**First Place: Univ of Illinois TV**

Homer Tornado Recovery  
Credit: Cassidy Williams

**Second Place: Illinois State TV**

Peterson Trial  
Credit: Stephanie Rodriguez, Coty Diaz

**Third Place: Univ of Illinois TV**

Pumpkin Picking Family  
Credit: Amelia Mugavero

**Best TV Sports Package**

**First Place: Univ of Illinois TV**

Memorial Soccer Match  
Credit: Cassie Chaplinsky

**Second Place: Southern Illinois University**

Life After Tennis - April 27, 2017  
Credit: Joey Dalò

**Third Place: Univ of Illinois TV**

Finke Family basketball  
Credit: Mike O'Neill

**Best TV Spot**

**First Place: College of DuPage**

Sunset 5K Commercial  
Credit: Ryan Jolly, Alex Leon

**Second Place: College of DuPage**

COD Commercial  
Credit: Matt Elias, Darbi Torres,  
Ryan Jolly, Rroy Saylor, Colin Parker  
and Troy Saylor

**Third Place: College of DuPage**

Pokemon Go  
Credit: Kyle Dearborn, Nick Petrillo,  
Matt Elias

**Best TV Photojournalism**

**First Place: College of DuPage**

Courageous Cupcakes  
Credit: Nick Petrillo, Kyle Dearborn, Matt Elias

**Second Place: College of DuPage**

IFly  
Credit: Kyle Dearborn, Nick Petrillo, Jack  
Traverso

**Third Place: Illinois State TV**

Normal Theater  
Credit: Katlyn Broderick

## **Best TV Weathercaster**

**First Place: Eastern Illinois University**

Weather with Brian Hartman

Credit: Brian Hartman