

The Monday Memo is the weekly newsletter of the KU School of Journalism. It is sent to journalism faculty, staff, students and alumni who have requested it.



Students, save the date (March 8) for the spring J-School Career Fair! Talk to more than 30 companies looking to fill jobs and internships. See who's coming [here](#).

William Allen White's birthday



A quick photo before the cake cutting for William Allen White's 149th birthday last Friday.

Student news

Congratulations to **Conner Mitchell**, who tied for 18th place in the Hearst Journalism Awards Program enterprise competition. Mitchell is doing an internship this semester at the Student Press Law Center in Washington, D.C.

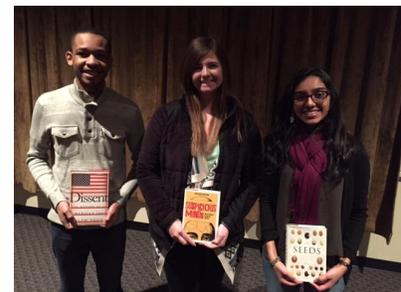
Associate Professor Max Utsler's J585 class last week produced its fourth live night of high school basketball games. On Jan. 31, the crew produced the girls and boys varsity Piper vs. Basehor- Linwood games. Last week, the crew produced the girls and

boys varsity Olathe Northwest vs. Lawrence games. The games are live produced and air both online and on KU local cable channels. The crew last week included: Commentary: **Dallas Milligan, Kevin Gray, Nicole Feyh**; Sideline reporter: **Nick Couzin**; High camera: **Andrew Rosenthal**; Basket cameras: **Conner Walter, Bryanna Crouch**; Bolt camera: **Erik Nelson**; Graphics: **Jarrett Goodman**; Replay: Jack Nadeau; Director: **Shep Jones**; Producer: **Griffin Hughes**. Also assisting were two students from Olathe Northwest: Bolt camera: **Alex Gabel** and Stats: **Roan Stanley**, and J-School faculty and staff: **Cal Butcher, Cade Cruickshank** and **Jerry Crawford**.



First-Year Book Award

J-School student **Courtland Triplett** (at left in photo) was recognized last week as a winner of KU's Phi Beta Kappa First-Year Book Award. The award recognized three first-year KU students, one enrolled in UNIV 101, one enrolled in HNRS 190, and one enrolled in a first-year seminar. Triplett selected a book from the Phi Beta Kappa Book Award short list.



Faculty and staff news

Associate Professor Jerry Crawford and **Bremner Editing Center Coordinator Lisa McLendon** welcomed **Sgt. Amy Rhodes**, Public Affairs Officer and **Kim Murphree**, Technical Services Manager/TAC, both from the Lawrence Police Department, to their J550 Digital Broadcast Reporting and Multimedia Editing classes Feb. 8 in the Clarkson Gallery. Sgt. Rhodes spoke about the various types of reports and information research students can use to interact with law enforcement in

the area. Murphree discussed the Kansas Open Records Act and how students can request information directly from her office. Both Rhodes and Murphree are part of a series of speakers made available by the Lawrence Police Department.

Study abroad



The School of Journalism and the University of Stirling are offering an opportunity for students to explore the coverage and marketing of sports in Europe while discovering Scotland in the summer of 2017. To learn more, [go to the website](#) or contact **Associate Professor Mike Williams** at mikewms@ku.edu.

Scholarships and fellowships

J-School students entering their senior year who are focusing on broadcast or print journalism are encouraged to apply for the **C.W. Gusewelle** Journalism Scholarship. Deadline is April 14. [Learn more and download the application here.](#)

Undergraduate and graduate journalism students of Greek American heritage may apply for annual \$5,000 scholarships in memory of **Peter Agris**, the late founder and publisher of The Hellenic Chronicle. Deadline is March 1. [Get the details.](#)

Students interested in pursuing a career in sports are encouraged to apply for the **Larry Whiteside** Scholarship. Winners will receive a free trip to the 2017 NABJ Convention & Career Fair in New Orleans, including registration, lodging, a round-trip flight and a meal stipend. [Get the details.](#)

The deadline is Feb. 28 for J-School upperclassmen to apply for the American Advertising Federation of Kansas City Foundation scholarship. The AAF-KC annually awards scholarships to students who show a desire to empower themselves with knowledge of the advertising, communications, marketing or graphic arts industries. [Get the details.](#)

The Asian American Journalists Association (AAJA) is accepting applications for the 2017 VOICES program, open to currently enrolled college students, graduate students and recent grads. The program will take place July 24-29 during the week of the 2017 AAJA National Convention in Philadelphia. VOICES is a multimedia journalism training fellowship for college and graduate students, as well as a leadership program for mid-career journalists. Students will be mentored by professional journalists and will be expected to produce and complete news assignments at the 2017 convention. Transportation, convention registration and hotel expenses will be covered for the students selected. Visit [AAJA VOICES](#) for more information. Students of all races and ethnicities are encouraged to apply. Deadline is March 31.

Contests and awards

Applications are now being accepted for the the Future of News Video Contest, which seeks video entries from college students enrolled in journalism programs. The videos should focus on why the future of media is bright and what inspired students to pursue journalism. Deadline is March 31. [Get the details.](#)

Internships and job opportunities

Find job and internship opportunities on the J-School's jobs and internships web page. You can filter by job or internship and full- or part-time. And don't forget that our career and outreach coordinator, [Steve Rottinghaus](#), can help you with your search. Recent opportunities include:

Jobs

[Writer consultant](#), International Atomic Energy Agency (Vienna, Austria)

[Inside sales representative](#), Inside Ventures (Lawrence, Kansas)

Internships

[Website marketing intern](#), Keypath Education (Lenexa, Kansas)

[Media strategist intern](#), LightLyre Media (Lawrence, Kansas)

[Marketing intern](#), SE2 (Topeka, Kansas)

[USGA/NGA communications internship](#), Nebraska Golf Association (Omaha, Nebraska)

See more job and internship opportunities [here](#).

Applications are being accepted for the CBS News Intern Fellowship, which is a highly competitive program that identifies outstanding aspiring journalists who bring a variety of backgrounds to news production and news coverage. The fellowship is designed to attract candidates from a broad range of racial, ethnic, economic, age and geographical diversity, as well as candidates with disabilities. Application deadline is Feb. 21. Learn more [here](#). Download the application [here](#).

KJHK currently has a few more openings for DJs this semester, including ones for our jazz and hip-hop/electronic morning shows, new music rotation and overnight shows. Interested? Email Program Director **Brendan Dzwierzynski** at programming@kjhk.org.

JSchool Tech training and tips

This week: JSchool Tech Thursday will give you a chance to get artistic in Photoshop. Learn how to create photo illustrations and use layers to create visuals that tell a story. Join us at 4 p.m. Thursday in Room 101. Bring your favorite photos if you want!



This week's JTech tip: Paper jams

Sometimes bad jams happen to good printers. Be a good steward and community member and use the on-screen help tools to walk you through clearing a jam. If a printer repeatedly jams, this is definitely something to be reported to the JTech lab staff in Room 103. Don't just walk away from jammed printers!



The Big Event KU

Students representing The Big Event at KU will be tabling 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Feb. 21 in the Clarkson Gallery. Please stop by to get information about how to participate in the day of service on April 8. The Big Event at KU is also holding a t-shirt design contest for students. The winning design will be printed on shirts worn by more than 3,000 students at the event in April. The designer will get his or her name on the back of each shirt. Deadline to submit designs is March 10. Submit to bigeventku.development@gmail.com.

Big Event T-Shirt Design Contest



Rules:

- One color imprint (green)
- Front imprint
- Big Event Executive staff reserves the right to make minor changes for printing viability.
- Must submit as a PDF with editing capabilities enabled.

Due: March 10

Submit to: BigEventKU.Development@gmail.com



Alumni update

Allie Manning, 2012 J-School graduate, met with **Associate Professor David Guth's** Strategic Campaigns students last week. Manning is marketing coordinator for the Kansas Expocentre in Topeka, which is the client for the class. The students will present an integrated marketing communication plan at the Expocentre in early May.



The Robert J. Dole Institute of Politics has announced its spring semester programs, including a discussion series with Dole fellows and J-School alumni **Henry "C.J." Jackson** and **Johanna Maska**. They will discuss "President Trump: The First 100 Days" at 4 p.m. March 1, 15, 29; April 5, 19, 26; and May 3. [Read the KU News story.](#)

Kansas Attorney General **Derek Schmidt**, 1990 J-School graduate, will be on campus Friday, Feb. 17, for Pizza & Politics from noon to 1:15 p.m. in the Malott Room at the Kansas Union. Students are invited to attend for free pizza and to have a discussion with Schmidt. The event is sponsored by the Robert J. Dole Institute of Politics.

In Memoriam

Daniel J. Werner, 1991 J-School graduate, died Jan. 27 at the age of 48. [Read his obituary.](#)

Mark your calendars

Feb. 24: Kansas Scholastic Press Association Regional Contest at the Kansas Union

March 8: J-School Career Fair, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Kansas Union

March 10: Faculty meeting, 1:30-3 p.m., 206 SF

March 16: Doughnuts with the Dean, 9-10 a.m., Clarkson Gallery

April 20: William Allen White Day

May 1: Doughnuts with the Dean, 9-10 a.m., Clarkson Gallery

May 5: Faculty meeting, 10-11:30 a.m., and lunch, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Clarkson Gallery

May 6: KSPA State Contest at the Kansas Union

June 11-15: Jayhawk Media Workshop

To see all J-School events, go to <http://journalism.ku.edu/calendar>

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