

LEAD TIME

NEWSLETTER OF THE NEWSPAPER & ONLINE NEWS DIVISION

Fall 2018

Planning Begins for Toronto

Coming from our successful conference in Washington DC, we have started planning for next year's AEJMC conference, which will be in Toronto.

We will have six exciting research, teaching and PF&R panels for next year, thanks to the hard work by our vice chair, Kris Boyle. We have 19 submitted proposals, so it was a very competitive pool. We will be sending out the results soon as we start managing co-sponsorships with other divisions and groups.

Our research chairs, Matthew Haught and Andrew Duffy, are also drafting our call for papers and will release this soon. We received 96 paper submissions for Washington DC and we were able to accept 46 of these, a 48 percent acceptance rate.

Big thanks go to all our 102 reviewers who volunteered to evaluate the submissions for Washington DC. This is an impressive turnout, considering that paper-submitters cannot review for the competition they are in (i.e. if you submitted to the open competition, you cannot review papers for the open competition, but you can review student papers).

This means we'll need your help again next year as a reviewer. We'll send out the invitations soon.

We also had our second preconference for doctoral students and early career scholars in Washington DC, with 37 participants signing up.

Nine of our preconference partici-

pants are currently part of our mentorship program, which pairs them with mentors to help them navigate the job market. We hope that many students will sign up again for the preconference



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next year, which will include more hands-on training on practical matters, such as preparing an excellent job application portfolio.

Our division continues to be among the three biggest at AEJMC in terms of membership. We currently have 379 members and our membership chair Jeanne Abbott has not only reached out to new members but is also working on inviting more members.

So if you know of anyone who might be interested in joining our division, please send them my way or refer them to Jeanne.

Also, if you have any ideas for next year's conference, please let me know. We also have several ways to keep in touch with the division. You can get updates from our Facebook and Twitter accounts, thanks to our social media editor Chris Etheridge; from our website, thanks to our website editor Chad Sherman; and of course, make sure you check the rest of the newsletter thanks to our newsletter editor Holly Cowart.

We'd love to hear from you!

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NOND Announces Winners of 2018-2019 Research and Teaching Grants Program

Three winners of the AEJMC Newspaper & Online News Division's 2018-2019 Research and Teaching Grants Program were announced today at the division's annual business meeting today.

Dr. Sue Robinson, professor at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, was awarded a \$2,500 grant for her research proposal, "How Journalists Trust Citizens: Building Bridges in a Polarized, Multicultural, Digital World." Miya Williams, a Ph.D. candidate at Northwestern University, was awarded \$1,000 for her research proposal, "Transitioning Mediums and Understanding: Examining the Black Press in the New Media Age," and Dr. Kay L. Colley, associate professor and department chair at Texas Wesleyan University, was awarded \$300 for her teaching grant proposal, "Integrating New Concepts Into a Yearly Live Event/Live Coverage of a Crisis."

The grants will support a variety of research and teaching goals. According to Dr. Robinson, the faculty research grant would support a study to "formally document the successes and failures of dozens of media trust initiatives and projects around the world, interrogate the individual journalist's role in serving as a bridge for citizens to be productive in a threatened democracy, and create a working ethical model for trust building in marginalized communities that will be tested via specific initiatives with newsrooms and curriculum templates for journalism schools as well as a national survey gauging citizens' level of reception to the specific trust-building strategies."

Ms. Williams's grant would support her dissertation research, which, she stated, "defines the black press in the

digital age. I study how African-American producers and consumers understand the black press's purpose, relevance and effectiveness in the 21st century." Dr. Colley's grant "would support integrating new concepts into a yearly live event/live coverage of a crisis that involves students in Integrated Media Reporting, Digital Design and Editing, Practicum, Mobile Production and Public Relations Campaigns and Programs working with criminal justice and sociology students."

The grant proposals were blindly reviewed by judges from the Newspaper & Online News Division during the summer 2018. Full-time faculty members, adjunct professors, graduate students and independent scholars are eligible to apply for research grants. Full-time professors or instructors, adjunct faculty members and graduate students teaching their own courses are eligible to apply for the teaching grant.

The Newspaper & Online News Division is a division of The Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication. AEJMC is a nonprofit, educational association of journalism and mass communication educators, students and media professionals. The Association's mission is to promote the highest possible standards for journalism and mass communication education, to cultivate the widest possible range of communication research, to encourage the implementation of a multi-cultural society in the classroom and curriculum, and to defend and maintain freedom of communication in an effort to achieve better professional practice and a better informed public.

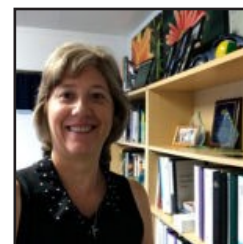
Sue Robinson



Sue Robinson (PhD, Temple University, 2007) holds the Helen Franklin Firstbrook Professor of Journalism endowed

research chair at the University of Wisconsin-Madison's School of Journalism & Mass Communication. She recently published her first book with Cambridge University Press called *Networked News, Racial Divides: How Power & Privilege Shape Public Discourse in Progressive Communities*. Her new project, tentatively called "How Journalists Trust Citizens: Building Bridges in a Polarized, Multicultural, Digital World," analyzes media trust projects around the globe, interviews those running the projects, and surveys reporters as to their concepts of trust and citizenship. Her goal will be to create a working model for small to mid-sized newsrooms on how to build trust in their various communities.

Kay L. Colley



In her free time, Dr. Colley enjoys photography, gardening and beach holidays no matter what the season. She believes

in the importance of industry and

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Southeast Colloquium Issues Call for Papers, Panels and Abstracts

Authors are now invited to submit research papers, panel proposals and/or research-in-progress abstracts for the 44th Annual AEJMC Southeast Colloquium, which will be held March 7-9, 2019 in the School of Journalism and Mass Communications at the University of South Carolina.

The Colloquium will take place in conjunction with the biennial Media & Civil Rights History Symposium.

Authors should prepare submissions as a PDF file and submit them to the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/y8mdk4v9>

If you have any questions, please contact Pat Ferrucci, NOND's chair for the conference, at patrick.ferrucci@colorado.edu.

General Submission Rules

All submissions must be completed by no later than 11:59 p.m. EST on Monday, December 17, 2018. They must be original and must not have been previously presented at a conference.

Students and faculty should indicate their status for consideration of faculty and student top paper awards. If a faculty member is involved, even if second or third author, the paper should be submitted in the "faculty" category.

All submissions — papers, RIP and panels — should include an abbreviated, 100 word abstract on the application form.

All submissions will be judged and decisions made by February 1, 2019.

The author of each accepted paper (at least one author in the case of a co-authored paper) must present the paper at the Colloquium or it will not be listed in the final program. Acceptance and/or submission of papers to colloquium paper competitions does not prevent authors from submitting to AEJMC

divisions for the AEJMC Annual Conference in August.

Papers

On the cover page of the attached paper, only the title of the paper should appear, followed by a 250-word abstract.

Length of papers should not exceed 30 pages including references and tables for all divisions (except Law and Policy, which has a 50 page limit).

Do not include any author identifying information on any page of the paper submission. Authors should also redact identifying information from the document properties. Online instructions on "how to submit a clean paper" for blind review»

Research-in-Progress

The Colloquium will include research-in-progress sessions as an opportunity for researchers to share and get feedback on projects that are in some stage of development. Authors must submit a synopsis of the project, with research questions or hypotheses and at least one paragraph that explains what stage of development the project is in. More detailed submissions are also allowed but should not exceed ten double-spaced pages.

As with papers, on the cover page of the attached paper, only the title of the paper should appear and authors should redact identifying information on any page of the papersubmission.

Research-in-Progress abstracts are NOT eligible for Colloquium research awards.

Panel Proposals

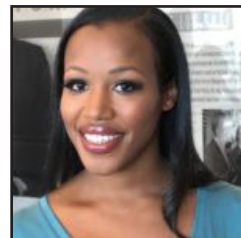
Panel proposals should include a brief description of the panel along with proposed panelists. Identifying information is allowed in this category. Proposals should not exceed three double-spaced pages.

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academic connections and has served on the boards of the Fort Worth Society of Professional Journalists and Fort Worth International Association of Business Communicators. She has also served as Head of the Small Programs Interest Group for AEJMC and president of the Southwest Education Council for Journalism and Mass Communication for two years.

Prior to joining Texas Wesleyan University in 2008, Colley taught at institutions throughout Texas and advised student media for more than 20 years. She also spent four years in public relations and five years in newspapers, winning national awards for her writing and public relations campaigns.

Miya Williams



Miya Williams Fayne is a Ph.D. candidate in Northwestern University's Media, Technology, and Society program. She

received her B.A. in print journalism from the University of Southern California and went on to earn her M.A. in publishing and writing from Emerson College. She has professional experience in corporate communications, public relations and magazines. Williams' research explores the black press in the new media age. She is interested in the implications of evolving production and consumption practices as it relates to the intersection of journalism, digital technology, and culture.

Announcements

Newspaper Research Journal Seeks Additional Editorial Board Members

Newspaper Research Journal, our division's official scholarly journal, is seeking additional Editorial Board members. The journal publishes research on all aspects of newspapers in the USA and around the world, and the number of submissions in 2018 is running about 20% higher than the recent annual average. NRJ Editor Dane S. Claussen is particularly interested in recruiting additional board members with expertise and interest in two areas: international (scholars with academic and professional experience

outside the USA or interest/expertise in non-US newspapers, regardless of the scholars' residences or nationalities) and newspaper management/economics. Scholars with interest and expertise in other aspects of newspapers and journalism also are welcome.

Editorial board applicants should have already successfully published research about newspapers or newspaper journalism in NRJ and/or other major journals in the US or abroad. Editorial board members may expect to review one to four original manuscripts per

year, not including revised versions. Editorial board members typically have a month to review each manuscript. Editorial Board members rate each manuscript on 16 criteria, make an acceptance or revision or rejection recommendation, and are also invited to write comments. To apply for the Editorial Board, please email a complete CV to Dr. Claussen at danenjreditor@gmail.com. He also welcomes questions, comments and suggestions about the journal.

University of New Mexico invites applications for a Tenure Track

Assistant Professor Position in Media and Journalism

The Department of Communication and Journalism offers undergraduate majors in Communication and Journalism and Mass Communication, a general communication M.A. degree, and a doctoral degree with emphasis on media, intercultural, and health communication.

The department seeks candidates whose scholarly/creative activity will contribute to our graduate emphases. We look for a colleague whose teaching or professional experience can provide students with the theoretical understanding, multimedia production experience, writing, and editing skills necessary to engage with the ways that current technologies have transformed communication-related fields across multiple platforms.

Faculty members in this position typically teach two courses per semester at the graduate, advanced undergraduate, and introductory undergraduate levels, with the possibility to teach in their areas of specialization. They will also be expected to advise graduate students (M.A./Ph.D.); maintain an active research or creative agenda related to

Media and/or Journalism, and perform departmental, university, and disciplinary service.

Minimum Qualifications: Doctorate in Media Studies, Journalism or closely related field, completed by August 1, 2019.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Record of publications and research agenda in Media and/or Journalism.
- Demonstrated excellence in university level teaching record.
- Ability to teach writing or production courses.
- Experience in multimedia production.
- Record of active involvement in Media and/or Journalism associations.
- Demonstrated departmental, institutional, and disciplinary service.
- Demonstrated commitment to diversity, equity, inclusion, and student success, as well as working with broadly diverse communities.

A complete application consists of: (1) letter of interest identifying areas of expertise, research interests, and teaching experience; (2) curriculum vitae; (3) a sample of a recent, representative publication or conference paper; (4) evidence of teaching effectiveness in the form of recent student course evaluations and teaching observations, or in the absence of teaching experience, a statement of teaching interest and philosophy; (5) statement on diversity and inclusive excellence; and (6) names and contact information of three references. Reference(s) may be contacted as the search progresses.

For complete details, and to apply, please visit this website: <https://unmjobs.unm.edu/> and reference posting number 6482

For best consideration, please apply by Wednesday, November 14, 2018. The position will remain open until filled. For more information, contact Dr. Marco Briziarelli, Media & Journalism Search Committee Chair, at mbriziarelli@unm.edu.