

**North Carolina
College Media Association
2015 Statewide College Media
Awards**

Small Schools (6,500 and fewer)

Best of Show – Newspaper

(List as many as you wish.)

1. The Pendulum
Elon University

2. The Guilfordian
Guilford College

Best of Show – Online News

1: The Pendulum
Elon University

Photography

1: Hali Tauxe
“Bernie Sanders rally”
The Pendulum
Elon University

2: Makeda Sandford
“The Banner goes to a Pitchfork Music
Festial”
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

3: Emmanuel Figaro
“Outdoors and Chill” cover
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

HM: Jack Hartmann
“Nathan Diehl mobbed by teammates”
The Pendulum
Elon University

Single- or Two-Page Design

1: Michaela Beggins
“Title IX sexual assault investigation”

continues
The Guilfordian
Guilford College

2: Haley Longbottom
“The Wellness Issue”
The Pendulum
Elon University

3: Makeda Sandford
“Purity Ring”
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

HM: Stephanie Hays
“Remembering Demetri Allison”
The Pendulum
Elon University

Illustration/Graphic

1: Grace Van Fleet
“E-Sports Battle”
The Guilfordian
Guilford College

2: Makeda Sandford
“Traffic-Spiral”
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

3: Larisa Karr
“Wake Up”
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

Cartoon

1: Christopher Perez
“Overemphasis on SAT, ACT harmful
to students”
The Guilfordian
Guilford College

2: Sabrina Robinson
“We’re Out of Here!”
The News Argus
Winston-Salem State University

HM: Johnion Hunt
"Phi Mu Alpha gives hair for cancer"
The Pine Needle
UNC-Pembroke

Multimedia Package

1: Sky Cowans and Jordan Spritzer
"At Elon, prescription drugs go over the counter and under the desk"
The Pendulum
Elon University

2: Michelle Alfini and Diana Stancy
"Globetrotters at a young age"
The Pendulum
Elon University

3: Samuel Shumate and Curtis Ginn
"UNCA Bike Shop"
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

HM: Nicole Zelniker and Leah Whetten-Goldstein
"Bonner begins another semester of service"
The Guilfordian
Guilford College

HM: Nicole Zelniker and Nellie Vinograd
"Students stand with Mizzou during Walk-out"
The Guilfordian
Guilford College

News Writing

1: Tommy Hamzik
"Remembering Demitri Allison"
The Pendulum
Elon University

2: Nicholas Carratu
"Title IX sexual assault investigation continues"

The Guilfordian
Guilford College

3: Beatriz Caldas and Matthew Jones
"Salary inequity: new information blindsides community"
The Guilfordian
Guilford College

HM: Sheridan Watkins
"Illegal parking tolerated for campus police"
The News Argus
Winston-Salem State University

HM: Phillip Wyatt
"Asheville wakes up to bitter brew"
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

Feature Writing

1: Alex Simon
"For Elon's early birds, tailgating starts with the sun"
The Pendulum
Elon University

2: Leena Dahal
"Lifting legs for awareness, visibility and acceptance"
The Pendulum
Elon University

3: Phillip Wyatt
"A true observer: New exhibit in Ramsey Library pays homage to legendary Asheville artist"
The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

HM: Courtney Campbell
"From Acorn to Disney World"
The Pendulum
Elon University

HM: Harrison Slaughter

“Local hip-hop artist perseveres to tell his tale after hitting rock bottom”

The Blue Banner
UNC Asheville

Sports Writing

1: Alex Simon

“Football attempts to move on to ‘new normalcy’”

The Pendulum
Elon University

2: Jonathan Bym

“Fuller makes most of opportunity with Braves”

The Pine Needle
UNC-Pembroke

3: Jordan Spritzer

“Men’s soccer forward returns to family home

The Pendulum
Elon University

HM: Eric Ortiz

“Former basketball player joins faculty”

The Campbell Times
Campbell University

HM: James Sharpe

“Lacrosse signs Brooke Austin, age 8”

The Guilfordian
Guilford College

Opinion Writing

1: Leena Dahal

“Take a stand against cultural appropriation”

The Pendulum
Elon University

2: Jason Perry

“The silence that blinds: How to cope with deployment of a loved one”

The Blue Banner

UNC Asheville

3: Naari Honor

“Rand Paul’s sexism comes to light

The Guilfordian
Guilford College

HM: Michael Bodley

“Retarded is much, much more than a word”

The Pendulum
Elon University

HM: Lily Lou

“Get rid of loopholes for vaccinations”

The Guilfordian
Guilford College

Large Schools (more than 6,500)

Best of Show – Newspaper

1: The Daily Tar Heel

UNC-Chapel Hill

2: The East Carolinian

East Carolina University

3: Technician

N.C. State University

Best of Show – Online News

1: The Appalachian

Appalachian State University

2: The Daily Tar Heel

UNC-Chapel Hill

3: Technician

N.C. State University

Photography

1: Katie Williams, Alex Hamel, Chris Conway, Justin Pryor and Chris Griffin

“Heavy Hearts”

The Daily Tar Heel

UNC-Chapel Hill

2: Ryan Perry
"Barakat family hug"
Technician
N.C. State University

3: Alexis Wainwright
"Aggies meat UNC on the field"
The A&T Register
N.C. A&T State University

HM: Alex Kormann
"Students tell Folt: No Follett"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

HM: Justin Perry
"Clip their wings"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

Single- or Two-Page Design

1: Tyler Vahan
"In Memory"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

2: Ashley Felts
"The wait is over: Krispy Kreme
arrives"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

3: Mary Burke
"Page 1 – Feb. 9, 2015"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

HM: Devan Feeney
"Move-in issue cover"
Technician
N.C. State University

Illustration/Graphic

1: Bailey Knight
"Advantages of joining the Peace
Corps"

Technician
N.C. State University

2: Malik Rahili
"A master class: App State's Volleyball
seniors"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

3: Tyler Vahan
"Tom Ross: Legacies Left Behind"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

HM: Taylor Wilson
"THC and its effect on the brain"
The A&T Register
N.C. A&T State University

HM: José Valle
"The Religion Issue"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

Cartoon

1: Erin Holloway
"Our Three Winners"
Technician
N.C. State University

2: Emily Howard
"Women need better representation in
media"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

3: Adaria Coulter
"The Mixtape Told Me So"
The A&T Register
N.C. A&T State University

HM: Kelley Wheeler
"Donald Trump"
Technician
N.C. State University

HM: Andrew Shoemaker
"Battle of the Border"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

Multimedia Package

1: Lovey Cooper, Jackson Helms, Chris Deverell and Justin Perry
"Silencing the noise"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

2: Claire Collins
"No Longer Silent: A profile of a student activist"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

3: Bradley Saacks, Kelsey Weekman and Liz Bell
"One Year after the Wainstein Report"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

HM: Technician Staff
"Shack-a-thon stories, videos and gallery"
Technician
N.C. State University

HM: Michael Bragg, Chris Deverell, Justin Perry and Paul Heckert
"A representation of race"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

News Writing

1: Michael Bragg
"The state of the UNC system"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

2: Bradley Saacks
"Records: Firm worked before being approved"
The Daily Tar Heel

UNC-Chapel Hill

3: Sofia Edelman
"Student Stores might be privatized"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

HM: Laney Ruckstuhl
"Unequal representation"
The Appalachian
Appalachian State University

HM: Kaitlin Montgomery, Chris Hart-Williams, Rachel Smith and Brenden Parsons
"Student Party at The Retreat parodies 'black culture'"
Technician
N.C. State University

Feature Writing

1: Ryan Schocket
"Writing for Herself"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

2: Drew Goins
"Pathway Plunderers"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

3: Javeria Salman
"Student seeks kidney for father"
The East Carolinian
East Carolina University

HM: Kelsey Padgett
"Trading cleats for high heels"
The East Carolinian
East Carolina University

HM: Alexandra Goodfred
"NC State Forensics Analysis Lab reveals secrets"
Technician
N.C. State University

Sports Writing

1: Grace Raynor
"A ready made legacy"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

2: Pat James
"The Missing Piece"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

3: Zack Tanner
"Malik Abu practices faith, basketball"
Technician
N.C. State University

HM: Josh Graham
"Terrell Stanley: Pass rusher beats odds"
The East Carolinian
East Carolina University

HM: David Allen Jr.
"The Victory Bell Will Ring"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

Opinion Writing

1: Alice Wilder
"No one narrative defines survivors"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

2: Editorial Board
"Speaking of Free Speech"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

3: Editorial Board
"Happy Thanksgiving from Gov. Pat McCrory"
Technician
N.C. State University

HM: Chiraayu Gosrani
"The Real Post-9/11 United States"
The Daily Tar Heel
UNC-Chapel Hill

HM: Seth Gullede
"Halloween Culture needs change"
The East Carolinian
East Carolina University

Literary Magazines

Best of Show

1: Windhover
N.C. State University

2: The Peel
Appalachian State University

3: Expressions
East Carolina University

4: The Greenleaf Review
Guilford College

Poetry

1: Kristin Yates
"9391"
Incunabula
Salem College

2: Christopher Robey
"Hummingbirds"
The Peel
Appalachian State University

3: Mia Willis
"This is a Chemical Burn"
Expressions
East Carolina University

HM: Alex Tanner
"Stern Arm Scars Like Ribs"
The Peel
Appalachian State University

HM: Marcella Medley
“Buy This Hype It’s Dope”
LifeLines
Barton College

Nonfiction

1: Cara Sinicropi
“The Magnolia”
Apogee Magazine
High Point University

2: Delaney McHugo
“Fat Girl”
Colonnades
Elon University

3: Morgan Gibbs
“The State of Unity”
Expressions
East Carolina University

Fiction

1: Liza Williams
“Good Swimmers”
The Peel
Appalachian State University

2: Sarah Paterson
“Declined”
Colonnades
Elon University

3: Emily Cinquemani
“Pull Me Free”
Colonnades
Elon University

HM: Sarah Meador
“Backwoods Justice”
Life Lines
Barton College

HM: Emma Carte
“This Is What I Know Happens When I
Leave”

The Peel
Appalachian State University

Photography/Art

1: Julia Fergus
“Illusionist/Listener”
The Lyre
Greensboro College

2: Kate Mitchell
“French Braids”
The Greenleaf Review
Guilford College

3: Maggie Flanigan
“Rachel”
The Peel
Appalachian State University

HM: Benjamin Webb
“Quest in the Clouds”
Agora
Belmont Abbey College

HM: Raina Martens
“Withdrawal”
The Greenleaf Review
Guilford College

Two-Page Spread

1: Thomas Davis, Ashton Tygart
“This is a Chemical Burn”
Expressions
East Carolina University

2: Cymry Flood
“Autobiography”
Colonnades
Elon University

3: Sarida Scott
“Cataract—Swan”
The Peel
Appalachian State University

Yearbook

Best of Show

1: Agromeck
N.C. State University

2: Buccaneer
East Carolina University

Student Life Copy

1: Kelley Pressey
"A Streetcar Rolled Through McGinnis"
Buccaneer
East Carolina University

2: Hannah Gooding
"Homecoming"
Pine Burr
Campbell University

3: Jordan Roman
"Short Films"
Phi Psi Cli
Elon University

HM: Kelyn Greene
"MLK Day of Service"
Ayantee
N.C. A&T State University

HM: Anna Maria Vagnozzi
"Better Educators Feature"
Pine Burr
Campbell University

Sports Copy

1: Lauren Blue
"Hit 'Em Hard"
Indianhead
UNC-Pembroke

Photography

1: Garrett Campbell
"Football Player"
Buccaneer
East Carolina University

2: Amanda Blount
"Commencement 2015"
Sights & Insights
Salem College

3: Jerome John
Ayantee
N.C. A&T State University

HM: Jenny Chompholphakdy
"Girl With Dog"
Indianhead
UNC-Pembroke

Inside Spread Design

1: Gina Apperson
"100 Editions of Phi Psi Cli"
Phi Psi Cli
Elon University

2: Jasmine Hilliard
"Ain't I A Woman?"
Buccaneer
East Carolina University

3: Emily Ramser
"Commencement"
Sights & Insights
Salem College

HM: Yearbook Production Class
"Making Dreams Possible"
Indianhead
UNC-Pembroke

HM: Ayantee Staff
"Women's Basketball"
Ayantee
N.C. A&T State University