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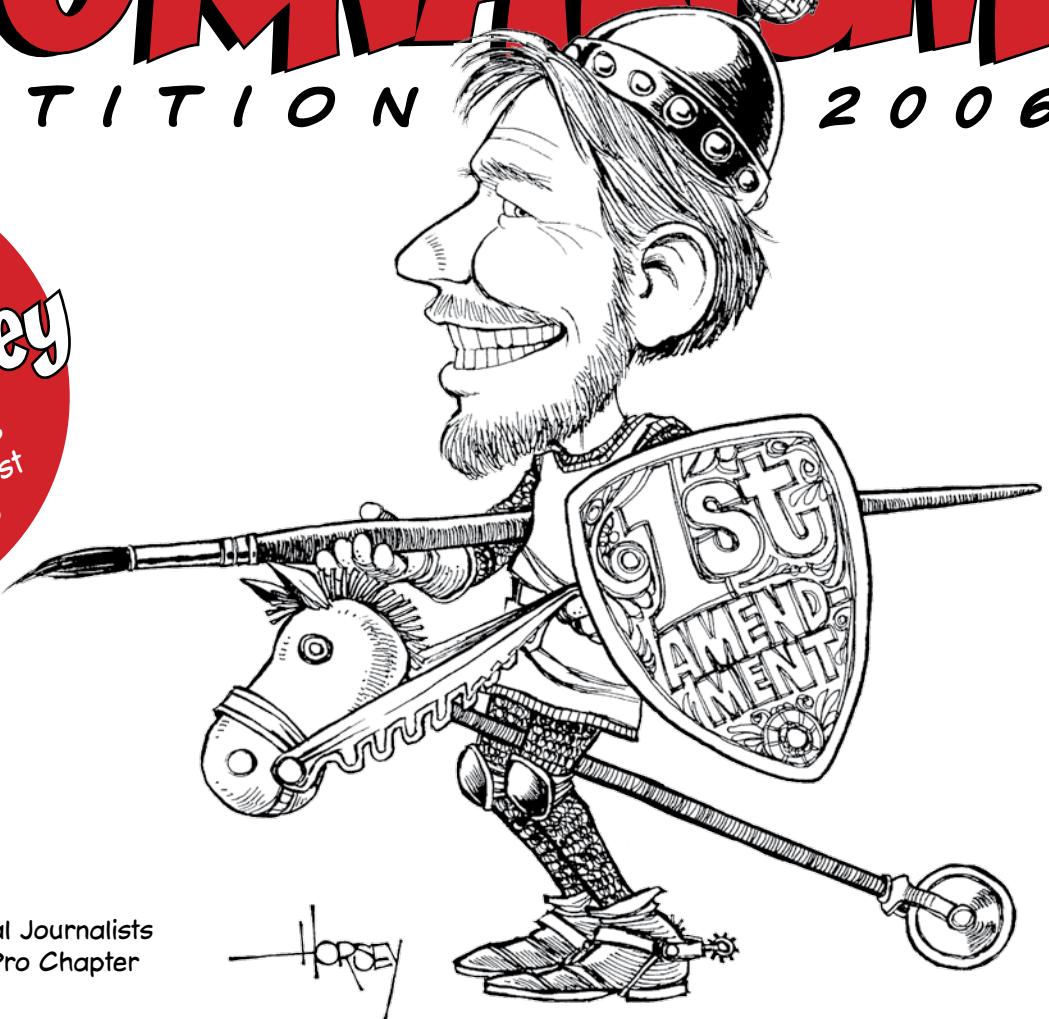
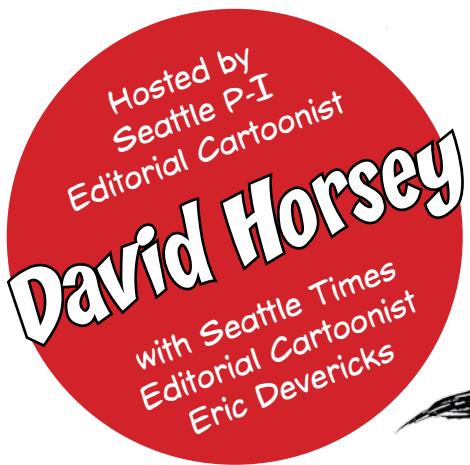
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JUNE ANDERSON ALMQUIST AWARD

FOR DISTINGUISHED
SERVICE TO JOURNALISM

The 2006 June Anderson Almquist Award for Distinguished Service to Journalism is posthumously awarded to longtime *Seattle P-I* photographer **Phil Webber**. Webber passed away in March at the age of 67 from complications of lung disease. He was in his 50th year at the newspaper. Colleagues recall how Webber would "sniff the air" of a situation and know exactly how to get people to relax in front of the camera. In their words, he "could put a skunk at ease."

John Dickson, photo editor of the Seattle P-I, nominated Webber for the award. In his nomination letter, Dickson wrote, "Webber chronicled Seattle history one day at a time - the Beatles, Bob Dylan, presidents and Seafair queens, the Space Needle going up and the Kingdome coming down. Phil Webber and a half century of Washington history are forever intertwined, along with the legend and photographic collection that live on."

ABOUT JUNE ANDERSON ALMQUIST

In the late 1960s, the SPJ Western Washington Chapter established two awards: "Courage in Journalism," an award presented at the discretion of the chapter to a news organization rather than an individual, and "Service to Journalism," an award given to an individual for a special contribution toward the betterment of journalism within Washington state. They were later combined into one under the moniker of the "Distinguished Service to Journalism Award." The board renamed the award the "June Anderson Almquist Award For Distinguished Service to Journalism," following her death in 2000.

Almquist had a long career as a reporter, columnist and editor at the Seattle Times, concluding as an assistant managing editor. She also was a trailblazer in SPJ. Almquist was the Western Washington chapter's first woman president and received the Distinguished Service to Journalism Award in 1976. She was a leader in SPJ regionally and nationally. In 1998, she received the society's highest award for meritorious service, the Wells Key.



PREVIOUS WINNERS

1965 Hu Blonk, The Wenatchee World

1970 Murlin B. Spencer, Associated Press

1972 Jack Jarvis, Seattle Post-Intelligencer

Henry Ladd Smith, University of Washington
Maynard Hicks, Washington State University

1973 Justice Robert Finley, Washington Supreme Court

1974 Donald N. Crew, Fournier Newspapers

1975 Paul Ashley, Seattle attorney

1976 June Anderson Almquist, The Seattle Times

1977 Justice Charles Stafford, Wash. Supreme Court

1978 Paul Conrad, Allied Daily Newspapers

1979 Gerson Miller, Western Washington University

1980 Dorothy Bullitt, KING Broadcasting,
William Warren, KOMO (Fisher Broadcasting)

1981 Edward C. Thomas, Port Angeles Evening News

1982 William F. Johnston, University of Washington

1983 John M. McClelland, Jr. Longview Publishing Co.

1984 Donald A. Pugnetti, Tacoma News Tribune

1985 Jerry Zubrod, WA Newspaper Publishers Assoc.

1986 James B. King, The Seattle Times

1987 Cliff Rowe, Pacific Lutheran University

1988 Chris Little, The (Everett) Herald,
Gary Larson, The (Everett) Herald

1989 Barbara Krohn, University of Washington

1990 Frank Wetzel, AP, Journal American, Seattle Times

1991 Ancil Payne, KING-TV

1992 Dorothy McPhillips, High school journalism teacher

1993 Donald Pember, University of Washington

1994 Phil Sturholm, KING/KIRO-TV, Seattle University

1995 Hilda Bryant, Retired

1996 Constantine "Gus" Angelos, The Seattle Times

1997 David Brewster, Seattle Weekly

1998 Emmett Watson, The Seattle Times

1999 Henry Gay, The Shelton-Mason County Journal

2000 Assunta Ng, Seattle Chinese Post/NW Asian Weekly

2001 Cameron DeVore, Davis Wright Tremaine

2002 Solveig Torvik, Seattle Post-Intelligencer

2003 Joann Byrd, Seattle Post-Intelligencer
Alex MacLeod, The Seattle Times

2004 John C. Hughes, The Daily World

2005 Oren Campbell, The Daily

SUSAN HUTCHISON BOSCH AWARD

FOR OUTSTANDING
ACHIEVEMENT

The 2006 Susan Hutchison Bosch Award is posthumously awarded to local broadcasting legend **Don McGaffin**. McGaffin passed away last year at the age of 78. He was an award-winning television journalist who worked at KING-TV and KOMO-TV in Seattle during the 1970s and early '80s. McGaffin is perhaps most well known for his work that led to regulations on flammability in children's pajamas. He also exposed the capture and killing of Orcas for aquarium displays. A scholarship in McGaffin's name is being established at the Edward R. Murrow School of Communication at Washington State University.

ABOUT SUSAN HUTCHISON BOSCH

Susan Hutchison Bosch was an environmental affairs reporter for the Seattle P-I until December 1970. She contracted lymph cancer at the age of 18 while a student at the University of Washington and died of Hodgkin's disease at the age of 25 in 1971. Following her death the SPJ Western Washington Chapter created an award in her honor. That board said Susan Hutchison Bosch "personified intellectual honesty, deep understanding of people and their problems, abiding fairness, grace, perseverance and quiet courage. Though afflicted with Hodgkin's disease, she rejected despair and chose to live a fully committed life."

The award is presented by the board only when the recipient is judged uniquely qualified and whose work represents the qualities Bosch defined in life.



SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

LYDIA WRIGHT (*Almquist scholarship winner*)

I am a 21-year-old junior at the University of Washington. My hometown is Bainbridge Island. I'm majoring in International Studies with a minor in Near Eastern languages and civilizations. Next year, I will finish up my undergraduate degree at UW by writing an 80+ page honors thesis on legal pluralism and the status of apostasy law in Egypt.

I'm from a journalism family and have grown up in the various newsrooms my father has worked at. I've written and edited for the UW Daily since September 2003. I plan to begin a career in foreign affairs journalism after volunteering with the Peace Corps and obtaining my masters degree.

CALEB HEERINGA

I am 22 and a senior at Western Washington University in Bellingham. I grew up in North Bend, Wa. I am double majoring in journalism and political science, and have held several positions on *The Western Front*, our school newspaper, including opinions editor, news editor and editor-in-chief. I am doing an internship at the Bellingham Herald this summer, and will be finishing up my political science classes next year.

MARY ANDOM

Mary is 21 years old and a junior at Western Washington University, where she writes for the student newspaper, *The Western Front*. She is the daughter of Eritrean refugees. Her family escaped that war-torn country 20 years ago. She grew up in White Center, what she calls the Grand Central of immigration, home to people from the Ukraine, Somalia, Guatemala, and Vietnam. She is the first in her family to attend college. In her essay, she wrote of her experience of interviewing people: "...They've opened up their souls to me and all I did was listen. I am the eyes and ears of society and a storyteller, this is what fuels my undying passion for journalism."

RACHEL THOMSON

I am 22 and a senior at Central Washington University. I grew up in Yakima, Wa. I am pursuing a double major in print and broadcast journalism. My journalism experience includes being a reporter/ editor for *The Galaxy*, Yakima Valley Community College's newspaper, spring 2003-spring 2004; reporter/assistant news editor *The Observer*, Central Washington University's newspaper winter 2005-winter 2006, and currently reporter/anchor *NewsWatch*, Central Washington University. I am gearing up for a reporting internship this summer at the *Yakima Herald-Republic*. Plans for the upcoming school year: I helped found the newly-established Central Washington University chapter of SPJ. I am currently the president. I'll be graduating in the middle of the year with my dual degree in print and broadcast journalism.

SHELLY MAY ZORNES

I am 20 years old. I was born and raised in Forks, Wa., and moved to Port Angeles within the past few years to attend college. I am currently in my second year at Peninsula College in Port Angeles, and am graduating this June with an AA transfer degree.

My interest in journalism began only about a year and a half ago. I became part of the journalism program on campus and have worked my way up to the top. I am now the managing editor of the campus newspaper, *The Buccaneer*.

I was accepted to Western Washington University in Bellingham and plan to transfer there this fall and pursue journalism. I am interested in all aspects of journalism; the reporting, writing, photography and page design.

SWEEEPSTAKES

PRESNTED TO THE MEDIA OUTLETS IN WESTERN WASHINGTON
WITH THE MOST AWARDS IN THEIR CATEGORIES

DAILY NEWSPAPERS WITH
CIRCULATION UNDER 25,000

ALTERNATIVE NEWSWEEKLIES

ONLINE

The Daily News

Seattle Weekly

The Seattle Times

DAILY NEWSPAPERS WITH
25,001 - 65,000 CIRCULATION

TELEVISION

NON-DAILY NEWSPAPERS

The Herald

KING-TV

*Puget Sound
Business Journal*

DAILY NEWSPAPERS WITH
CIRCULATION OVER 65,000

RADIO

MAGAZINES

The Seattle Times

KUOW

ColorsNW Magazine

MAGAZINES

GENERAL NEWS REPORTING

1. **Marc Defreyn**
Washington Law & Politics
"Desert Detail"
2. **J. Kingston Pierce**
Washington Law & Politics
"Nuke Town"
3. **Eric Robinson**
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Awakening Giant"

HM A. V. Crofts
ColorsNW Magazine,
"Stories of Refugee Survival
from Rwanda to Sudan"

GOVT/POLITICAL REPORTING

1. **J. Kingston Pierce**
Washington Law & Politics
"Stamper has his say"
2. **Lisa Wogan**
Washington Law & Politics
"Leap of Faith"
3. **Gianni Truzzi**
Washington Law & Politics
"Call Her What You Will"

CONSUMER/ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS REPORTING

1. **Casey Johnson**
Seattle University Magazine
"Deep into the Aftermath"
2. **Eric de Place**
Washington Law & Politics
"Law of Nature"
3. **Melissa Hart**
Horizon Air Magazine
"Share Wares"

SCIENCE AND HEALTH NEWS/FEATURES

1. **Karen Reed Matthee**
Seattle Woman Magazine
"Breast Cancer in Disguise"
2. **Matt Villano**
Horizon Air Magazine
"Common Sensors"
3. **Dean Paton**
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Stars Search"

HM Alliniece Andino
Colors NW Magazine
"African-American Midwife
Michelle Sarju"

SOCIAL ISSUES REPORTING

1. **Naomi Ishisaka**
ColorsNW Magazine
"Katrina/Rita's Impact on
Our Communities"
2. **Silvja J. A. Talvi**
ColorsNW Magazine
"The African-American
Community is Enriched,
Challenged by Emerging
African Immigrants"
3. **Megan Myers**
Seattle University Magazine
"Art and Soul"

HM Laura Slavik
Seattle University Magazine
"A Place of Compassion"

HM Tom Griffin
COLUMNS Magazine
"The Stolen Years"

EDUCATION REPORTING

1. **Tom Griffin**
COLUMNS Magazine
"Growing Pains"
2. **Eric McHenry**
COLUMNS Magazine
"Common Ground"
3. **Niki Stojnic**
ColorsNW Magazine
"State of Education"

MAGAZINES

PERSONALITIES

1. **Cynthia Nims**
Alaska Air Magazines
"New York by Northwest"
 2. **Pat Tanumihardja**
ColorsNW Magazine
"Johnpaul Jones'
Native Design"
 3. **Laura Slavik Fortin**
Seattle University Magazine
"Driven by his Religion"
- HM** **Nick Gallo**
Seattle University Magazine
"The Caring Heart of
Richard Kerschner"

LEISURE AND LIFESTYLE REPORTING

1. **Elaine Porterfield**
Seattle Magazine
"Riders on the Storm"
2. **A.V. Crofts**
ColorsNW Magazine
"Taco Trawling"
3. **Terry Sheely**
Horizon Air Magazine
"Dancing Dalls"

ARTS AND CRITICISM NEWS/FEATURES

1. **Naomi Ishisaka**
Colors NW Magazine
"Class is in Session:
Blue Scholars"
 2. **Paul Clarke**
Horizon Air Magazine
"Reanimated"
 3. **Alison Peacock**
Seattle Woman
"The Art and the
Drudgery of Filmmaking"
- HM** **Peter Kelley**
COLUMNS Magazine
"Scene Change"

SPORTS REPORTING

1. **Joe Runyan**
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Born to Run"
 2. **Nick Davis**
Horizon Air Magazine
"Blowin' in the Wind"
 3. **Scott Holter**
COLUMNS Magazine
"Playmaker"
- HM** **Ali Basye**
Seattle Magazine
"Storm Watch"

EDITORIALS

- ## BUSINESS NEWS/CRITICISM
1. **Myke Folger**
Washington CEO
"Yuan Seen Nothin' Yet"
 2. **Kristin Rowe-Finkbeiner**
Seattle Woman Magazine
"The Wage Gap-
Why It Matters"
 3. **Eric Lucas**
Horizon Air Magazine
"Fresh Picks"
- HM** **Tom Kelly**
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"By the Numbers"

1. **Rich Stearns**
World Vision
"Mystery Plague Kills 29,000
Schoolchildren in a Single Day"
 2. **Naomi Ishisaka**
ColorsNW Magazine
"Katrina"
 3. **Erin Solaro**
Seattle Magazine
"Material World"
- HM** **Joanna Kadish**
Washington CEO
"Flying the Coop"

HEADLINES

1. Staff
Alaska Airlines Magazine
 2. Rachel Hart
Seattle Magazine
 3. Beth Taylor
Washington Law & Politics
- HM** Staff
Horizon Air Magazine

HUMOROUS WRITING

1. Michael Stusser
Seattle Magazine
"A Strange Encounter"
 2. Lisa Wogan
Seattle Magazine
"Spat on a Hot Tin Roof"
 3. Sean O'Connor
Seattle Magazine
"Hood Ornament"
- HM** Michael Hood
Seattle Magazine
"The Worst of 2005"

COLUMNS

1. John Levesque
Horizon Air Magazine

PAGE DESIGN

1. Chuck Luce
Arches Magazine
 2. Naomi Ishisaka
Colors NW Magazine
 3. Nathan Adams
Computer Source Magazine
- HM** Nathan Adams
Computer Source Magazine
- HM** Jerry Lundmark
Seattle University Magazine

COVER DESIGN

1. Darren Smith
Alaska Airlines Magazine
 2. Nancy O'Connell
Horizon Air Magazine
- HM** Beth Taylor and
Rick Dahms
Washington Law & Politics
- HM** Garit Reuble and
Ingrid Pape-Sheldon
Seattle Woman Magazine

ILLUSTRATIONS

1. Mark Hallett
Horizon Air Magazine
"From Past to Pallette"
 2. Kim Rosen
Seattle Magazine
"The World According
to Starbucks"
 3. Darren Smith
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Multiple Choice"
- HM** Stan Shaw
Washington Law & Politics
"Sweetheart Deal"

GENERAL NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Ronald Martinez
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"The Kilgore College
Rangerettes"
 2. Oakley Cochran/
Alaska Stock
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Golf at Mount McKinley"
 3. Jon Warren
World Vision
"Eyes of Sorrow,
Arms of Comfort"
- HM** Chris Bennion
Horizon Air Magazine
"Arts Appreciation"

MAGAZINES

SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Kazuhiro Nogi/AFP/
Getty Images
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Olympic Caliber Character"
 2. Sam Forencich/NBAE
via *Getty Images*
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"NBA Challenge"
 3. Donnie Sexton
Horizon Air Magazine
"Frozen Assets"
- HM Kathryn Barnard
Seattle Magazine
"Mane Attraction"

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Jon Warren
World Vision
"Children of War"
2. George H. H. Huey/Corbis
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Ancient Mariners"
3. Michael Medford
Midwest Airlines Magazine
"Vivid Colors Beckon"

HM Peter Cade/Getty Images
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Summer Arrives with
a Splash of Color"

PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Rick Dahms
Washington Law & Politics
"Gene Amondson: Times That
Dry Men's Souls"
 2. Maxine Cass
Alaska Airlines Magazine
"Prospector and His Mule"
 3. Ingrid Pape-Sheldon
Seattle Woman Magazine
"Atieno Kombe -
One Child at a Time"
- HM Paul Vozdic
Midwest Airlines Magazine
"Seeing is Truly Believing"

PHOTOGRAPHY - PHOTO ESSAY

1. Jon Warren
World Vision
"Valley of Vision"
2. Inye Wokoma
ColorsNW Magazine
"Katrina"
3. Mary Levin & Kathy Sauber
COLUMNS Magazine
"Stolen Years - Portraits"

PORTFOLIO PHOTOGRAPHY

1. Jon Warren
World Vision
"Top 10"
2. Amrita Huja
ColorsNW Magazine
"Covers"
3. Ingrid Pape-Sheldon
Seattle Woman Magazine
"10 Photos"

NON-DAILY NEWSPAPERS

SPOT NEWS REPORTING

1. Callie White
Peninsula Gateway
"Domestic Dispute
Turns Deadly"
2. Ariel Hansen
Sequim Gazette
"Adult Care Facility Accused"
3. Russ Zabel
Queen Anne News
"Homeland Insecurity"

NON-DAILY NEWSPAPERS

GENERAL NEWS REPORTING

1. **Jon Savelle**
The Issaquah Press
"Sex Offender Series"
2. **Sarah Kahne**
The Herald
"Life or Meth"
3. **Michael Colello, Lori Losee, Kalyn Kelley, Michelle Rogers-Moore**
Peninsula Gateway
"Harbor Inferno"

HM Eric Engleman
Puget Sound Business Journal
"War to Work"

GOVT/POLITICAL REPORTING

1. **Deirdre Gregg**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"Daring Ride"
2. **Rodkia Tollefson**
Key Peninsula News
"Landlocked Residents Want Answers"

CONSUMER/ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS REPORTING

- HM **Jeff Meisner**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"Search and Destroy"
- HM **Ariel Hansen**
Sequim Gazette
"The Trouble with Elk"

SCIENCE AND HEALTH NEWS/FEATURES

1. **Mary L. Grady**
Mercer Island Reporter
"CSI: MI!"
2. **Heather Meier**
The Herald
"Battling Brain Cancer"
3. **Michelle Rogers-Moore**
Peninsula Gateway
"Every Day is a New Day"

EDUCATION REPORTING

1. **Elisha Grange**
The Issaquah Press
"Schools Grope for Guidelines on Dirty Dancing"

SOCIAL ISSUES REPORTING

1. **Erik Hansen & Rick Levin**
Beacon Hills News & South District Journal
"Work Wanted: America's Unknown Labor (four-part series)"
2. **Michael Dashiell**
Sequim Gazette
"A Few Steps Along Jessica's Journey"
3. **Erik Hansen**
Beacon Hill News & South District Journal
"Black Panther Reunion to Inspire, Instruct Youth"

HM Paul Schrag
Business Examiner
"Blind Ambition"

PERSONALITIES

1. **Rosette Royale**
Real Change
"The Father, The Son, The Holy Ghost"
2. **Deirde Gregg**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"Executive of the Year"
3. **Brian McLean**
Peninsula Gateway
"Cycling to Portland by Hand"

HM Sara Hass
Snoqualmie Valley Record
"Caleb Williams: Getting Things Back to Normal"

NON-DAILY NEWSPAPERS

LEISURE AND
LIFESTYLE REPORTING

1. **Justin Matlick**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"Home Wineries Thrive Despite Rules and Fruit Flies"
 2. **Cody Ellerd**
Mercer Island Reporter
"Songs for the Soul"
 3. **Heidi Dietrich**
"Stay-at-home Dads"
- HM** **Cathy Herholdt**
"Going the Distance: Pacific Crest Trail Hikers Face Experience of a Lifetime"

ARTS AND CRITICISM NEWS/FEATURES

1. **Heidi Dietrich**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"New Mecca"
 2. **Kristin Alexander**
"Going All the Way"
- HM** **Tony Dondero**
Enterprise Newspapers
"Best of the Best: Young Aims for Diving Milestone"

BUSINESS NEWS/CRITICISM

1. **Heidi Dietrich**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"The Road to Cuautla"
 2. **Jeanne Lang Jones**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"New Chapter for Home's Story"
 3. **Mark Lawton**
Business Examiner
"The South Will Rise Again"
- HM** **Kenny Brown**
Bellingham Business Journal
"The Sweet Sounds of Success"
1. **Vera M. Chan-Pool & Erik Hansen**
No. Seattle Herald-Outlook
"Forked Tongues, Hidden Agendas..."
 2. **John Thompson**
Bellingham Business Journal
"Budget Committee"
 3. **Doug Schwartz**
Capitol Hill Times
"These Are the Days My Friend"
- HM** **Ariel Hansen**
Sequim Gazette
"Reporting My Own Catastrophe"

SPORTS REPORTING

1. **Brian McLean**
Peninsula Gateway
"GH American Wins District Championship"
2. **David Pan**
Enterprise Newspapers
"Wildcats Come Up Short in 2A Title Game"
3. **Jeff Meisner,**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"Bonus: Storm Exec Frets as Stars Play Overseas"

- HM** **Tony Dondero**
Enterprise Newspapers
"Best of the Best: Young Aims for Diving Milestone"

EDITORIALS

1. **Vera M. Chan-Pool & Erik Hansen**
No. Seattle Herald-Outlook
"Forked Tongues, Hidden Agendas..."
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Bellingham Business Journal
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 3. **Doug Schwartz**
Capitol Hill Times
"These Are the Days My Friend"
- HM** **Ariel Hansen**
Sequim Gazette
"Reporting My Own Catastrophe"

HEADLINES

1. **Ric Hallock**
Peninsula Gateway
2. **Matt Phelps**
Mercer Island Reporter
3. **Ariel Hansen**
Sequim Gazette

HUMOROUS WRITING

1. **Jane Lotter**
The Seattle Sun
"Jane Explains:
Be Mine, Valentine"
2. **Timothy Harris**
Real Change
"Group Hug"
- HM **Michael Dashiell**
Sequim Gazette
"Why Run When You
Can Crawl?"

PAGE DESIGN

1. **Jim Applegate**
Peninsula Gateway
"SalmonChanted"
2. **Jim Applegate**
Peninsula Gateway
"Christmas Cookies"
3. **Heather Meier**
The Herald
"Pick Me!"

ILLUSTRATIONS

1. **Milt Priggee**
Puget Sound
Business Journal
"A Quarter Century"
 2. **Jim Applegate**
Peninsula Gateway
"Ramp Meters on the Way"
 3. **Steve Heeb**
The Herald
"Herculean Effort"
- HM **Ann-Marie Stillion**
Northwest Asian Weekly
"Year of the Rooster"

COLUMNS

1. **Linda Thomas**
Seattle Sun and
Star Newspaper
"Mom Matters"
2. **Stephen M. Kent**
The Catholic NW Progress
3. **George Le Masurier**
Peninsula Gateway
"Scoop du Jour"

COVER DESIGN

1. **Jenny O'Brien and**
Laura Stumbaugh
Puget Sound
Business Journal
 2. **Sheyra Watkins**
Senior Dynamics-
The Chronicle
 3. **Jim Applegate**
Peninsula Gateway
- HM **Ashley Ernst**
The Catholic NW Progress

GENERAL NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Chris Goodenow**
The Enterprise Newspapers
"King's Dreams Projected"
 2. **Lee Giles**
Peninsula Gateway
"Graduation Yay"
 3. **Jesse Beals**
Central Kitsap Reporter
"USS Jimmy Carter Returns"
- HM **Ann-Marie Stillion**
Northwest Asian Weekly
"A Tribune to Veterans"

CARTOONS

1. **Milt Priggee**
Puget Sound
Business Journal

SPOT NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Ariel Hansen**
Sequim Gazette
"Devastating Apartment Blaze"
2. **Ariel Hansen**
Sequim Gazette
"Friends Gather at Crash Site"

NON-DAILY NEWSPAPERS

SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Jesse Beals**
Central Kitsap Reporter
"Cheering and Wrestling"
 2. **Jesse Beals**
Port Orchard Independent
"Conquered"
 3. **Greg Farrar**
The Issaquah Press
"Liberty Vaults to Dramatic KingCo Victory"
- HM** **Lee Giles**
Peninsula Gateway
"Girls State Basketball"

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Carol Vu**
Northwest Asian Weekly
"Chinese drill team cheer on Storm"
2. **Ric Hallock**
Peninsula Gateway
"Cannon Explosion"
3. **Kaylen Kinney**
The Issaquah Press
"New Day for Special Education"

PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Matt Hagen**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"John McCoy"
2. **Matt Hagen**
Puget Sound Business Journal
"Surf Rat"
3. **Steve Heeb**
The Herald
"Bright Ideas"

ALTERNATIVE NEWSWEEKLIES

INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING

1. **Nigel Jaquiss**
Willamette Week
"The PGE papers"
 2. **Rick Anderson**
Seattle Weekly
"Dead-end jail"
 3. **Nigel Jaquiss**
Willamette Week
"Doctors, Inc."
- HM** **Philip Dawdy**
Seattle Weekly
"Quitting the cult"

PHOTOGRAPHY - PHOTO ESSAY

1. **Chris Goodenow**
The Enterprise
"Asanga"
2. **Chad Coleman**
Mercer Island Reporter
"A Day to Remember"

GOVT/POLITICAL REPORTING

PORTFOLIO PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Angela Valdez**
Willamette Week
"Boss Hog"
2. **Kera Abraham**
Eugene Weekly
"Up in the air"
3. **Philip Dawdy**
Seattle Weekly
"Time to grow up"

ALTERNATIVE NEWSWEEKLIES

CONSUMER/ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS REPORTING

1. **George Howland**
Seattle Weekly
"Can we beat big oil?"
2. **Kera Abraham**
Eugene Weekly
"Assault on high"
3. **Alan Pittman**
Eugene Weekly
"Con job"

SCIENCE AND HEALTH NEWS/FEATURES

1. **Frank Parchman**
Seattle Weekly
"The killer next door"
 2. **Angela Valdez**
Willamette Week
"Curing Jamie Handley"
 3. **Lynne Snifka**
Anchorage Press
"Eight arms to hold you"
- HM** **Kera Abraham**
Eugene Weekly
"Boning up on fluoride"

SOCIAL ISSUES REPORTING

1. **Rick Anderson**
Seattle Weekly
"Black, white and redneck"
2. **Robert Meyerowitz**
Anchorage Press
"The elephant in the room"
3. **Angela Valdez**
Willamette Week
"After hours"

EDUCATION REPORTING

1. **Nina Shapiro**
Seattle Weekly
"The stress test"
2. **Alan Pittman**
Eugene Weekly
"Choice and lawyers"
3. **Bob Geballe**
Seattle Weekly
"Bill Gates gets schooled"

PERSONALITIES

1. **Zach Dundas**
Willamette Week
"Confessions of a dangerous mind"
2. **Nina Shapiro**
Seattle Weekly
"Norm Stamper profile"
3. **Elizabeth Armstrong Moore**
Willamette Week
"Untapped waters"

LEISURE AND LIFESTYLE REPORTING

1. **Richard Speer**
Willamette Week
"The fuzz that was"
2. **Laura Cassidy**
Seattle Weekly
"Bread rising"
3. **Brian Miller**
Seattle Weekly
"Out of thin air"

HM **Toby Sullivan**
Anchorage Press
"Killing sea lions"

BUSINESS NEWS/CRITICISM

1. **Zach Dundas**
Willamette Week
"Portland's new, new economy"
2. **Nick Budnick**
Willamette Week
"Leif's auto body experience"
3. **Bruce Rushton**
Seattle Weekly
"Charity chump change"

HM **Zach Dundas**
Willamette Week
"Attack of the \$3 tomato"

ALTERNATIVE NEWSWEEKLIES

COLUMNS

1. **Knute Berger**
Seattle Weekly
"A back-to-school column ..."

HM *'Night Cabbie'*
Willamette Week
"Night Cabbie"

HUMOROUS WRITING

1. **Staff**
Eugene Weekly
"The Regular-Garbage"

SPECIAL SECTION

1. **Staff**
Willamette Week
"Finder: Willamette Week's guide to Portland"
2. **Staff**
Eugene Weekly
"Locals only"
3. **Staff**
Seattle Weekly
"A day in the life"

PAGE DESIGN

1. **Rick Dahms, Ismael Roldan, Karen Steichen**
Seattle Weekly
"Rising and shining ..."
2. **Maggie Gardner, Samantha Gardner**
Willamette Week
"For better or worse"
3. **Todd Cooper**
Eugene Weekly
"Souper museum ..."

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Kevin P. Casey, Karen Steichen**
Seattle Weekly
"The God life"

ONLINE MEDIA

ORIGINAL SPOT NEWS

1. **Staff**
thenewstribune.com
"Police capture suspect at Tacoma Mall"
2. **Brian Barker, Bill Roberson, Shannon Cheesman**
KATU
"New Orleans blog"
3. **Sara Jean Green, Mike Carter, Jennifer Sullivan**
The Seattle Times
"Federal courthouse shooting"

HM **David Postman**
The Seattle Times
"Governor's election coverage"

SPOT NEWS ADAPTATION

1. **Staff**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Election night"
2. **Staff**
KNDU
"Moreno double murder"
3. **Staff**
KING
"Motorcyclist hurled into Lake Washington"

HM **Staff**
KNDU
"Mourning the Pope"

ONLINE MEDIA

ORIGINAL SPECIAL REPORT

1. **Mike Brunker**
MSNBC.com
"Steroid dealers use ruse
to sell wares on eBay"
2. **Staff**
MSNBC.com
"Rising from ruin/Hurricane's
havoc blog"
3. **Hsiao-Ching Chou**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"On food ... weekly podcast"

SPECIAL REPORT ADAPTATION

1. **Staff**
The Seattle Times
"Selling drug secrets"
 2. **Michelle Nicolosi, Brian Chin**
Mike Thompson
Seattle Post-Intelligencer,
"Toothless: Washington's lax
dental oversight"
 3. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com,
"Groene investigation"
- HM Staff**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Conduct unbecoming"

ORIGINAL LIFESTYLE/A&E

1. **Susan Wyatt**
KING
"More people catching
orchid fever"
 2. **Pam Sitt, Anne Hurley**
Paige Bills
The Seattle Times
"TV addict goes to Hollywood"
 3. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com,
"Music site"
- HM Alex Johnson**
MSNBC.com
"Lifestyle portfolio"

LIFESTYLE/A&E ADAPTATION

1. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Spokane7.com"
 2. **James Branaman**
KitsapSun.com
"Gruff Mummies tour"
 3. **Staff**
The Seattle Times
"Public art"
- HM Joshua Trujillo, Brian Chin,**
Sarah Rupp
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"The Liga Hispana multimedia
presentation"

BUSINESS ADAPTATION

1. **Staff**
The Seattle Times
"Dot-con job"
 2. **James Branaman**
KitsapSun.com
"Moonlighting"
 3. **James Wallace, Brian Chin**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"The longest flight"
- HM Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Economic outlook 2005"

ORIGINAL SPORTS

1. **Bob Payne, Shane Matau**
The Seattle Times
"High school sports"
2. **Alex Johnson**
MSNBC.com
"Ethics and values in sports"
3. **Michael McLaughlin**
Scott Eklund, Sarah Rupp
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Seahawks superfan"

ONLINE MEDIA

SPORTS ADAPTATION

1. **Staff**
KNDU
"KNDU Sports"
2. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Online sports"
3. **Jim Morrell**
The Seattle Times
"Snow sports"

CREATIVE USE OF THE MEDIUM (ADAPTATION)

1. **Staff**
The Seattle Times
"Unearthing Tse-whit-zem"
2. **Staff**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Urban forests under siege"
3. **Staff**
Idaho Public Television
"Dialogue for kids"

HM Staff
KitsapSun.com
"Cruising Yakima Valley"

BEST SPECIALIZED WEB LOG

1. **Graham Kislingbury**
Albany Democrat-Herald
"Moscow musings
(and St. Petersburg, too)"
 2. **Tom Bowers**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Taste of the town"
 3. **Eric Fetter**
The Herald
"Biotech blog"
- HM **Carol Pucci, Terry Tazioli**
Holly Henke
The Seattle Times
"Stretching dollars in Europe"

CREATIVE USE OF THE MEDIUM (ORIGINAL)

1. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Transparent newsroom"
 2. **April Baer, Michael Clapp**
Oregon Public Broadcasting
"QuickTake Northwest"
 3. **Colin Mulvany**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Video journal"
- HM Staff**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Photos of the year"

BEST GENERAL NEWS/ COMMENTARY WEB LOG

1. **David Postman**
The Seattle Times
"Postman's Trial Blog"
 2. **Brian Chin**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Buzzworthy"
 3. **Jason Mohr**
Independent Record
helenair.com
"Town blog"
- HM D.F. Oliveria**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Huckleberries Online"

BEST OVERALL AFFILIATED WEB SITE

1. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Spokesman-Review.com"
 2. **Staff**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"seattlepi.com"
 3. **Staff**
KGW
"KGW.com"
- HM **Doug Fontaine**
Shannon Cheesman
Bill Roberson
KATU
"katu.com"

BEST AFFILIATED
WEB SITE DESIGN

1. **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Spokesman7.com"
 2. **Carmen Cano**
The Seattle Times
"seattletimes.com"
 3. **Staff**
KING
"KING5.com"
- HM** *Doug Fontaine*
Shannon Cheesman
Bill Roberson
KATU
"katu.com"

PUBLIC SERVICE ON THE WEB

1. **Mike Thompson**
Michelle Nicolosi
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Dental database"
 2. **Gina Hills**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Voter's guide"
 3. **Jim Peck, Stephanie Dickey,**
Rick Penticoff
Idaho Public Television
"Idaho Reports"
- HM** **Staff**
Spokane7.com
TheSpokesman-Review.com
"Iraq casualty database"



COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE
MULTIPLE DAYS

1. **Sharyn L. Decker**
The Chronicle
"Centralia sailor loses life in Iraq"
 2. **Tom Bennett**
The Daily Astorian
"Mystery fire destroys Fort Clatsop"
 3. **Barbara LaBoe**
The Daily News
"Dee Creek E. coli"
- HM** *Diane Huber,*
Danielle Gillespie
The News-Review
"Mill a total loss"

INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING

1. **Barbara LaBoe**
The Daily News
"Dr. Christiansen"
2. **Hope Anderson,**
Venice Buhain
The Daily News
"Trouble follows Rainier teacher"
3. **Sheila Hagar**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Did the government or did it not make promises"

COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE SINGLE DAY

1. **Staff**
Grants Pass Daily Courier
"Booming times"
 2. **Katie Johannes**
The Bellingham Herald
"Growing greenways-parks"
 3. **E. Kirsten Peters**
Moscow-Pullman Daily News
"Pass or fail"
- HM** **Staff**
Fairbanks Daily News-Miner
"Eielson targeted"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

CIRCULATION UNDER 25,000

WATCHDOG

1. **Kellyn Brown**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"County details accusations ..."
2. **Paul Gottlieb**
Peninsula Daily News
"Conservation district election series"
3. **Venice Buhain (TIE)**
The Daily News
"Open and closed";
Staff (TIE)
The Daily Astorian
"Exactly how public are Oregon's public records?"

CRIME AND JUSTICE

1. **Amy M.E. Fischer**
The Daily News
"Nowhere to run"
2. **Staff**
The Daily Astorian
"The drug next door"
3. **Kellyn Brown (TIE)**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Adjusting to life outside prison walls"

Marta Murvosh (TIE)
Skagit Valley Herald
"Shattered nerves"

GOVERNMENT

1. **Mike Butts**
Idaho Press-Tribune
"Life on the line:
The paramedic debate"
 2. **Scott McMillion**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Act in danger"
 3. **Sam Bishop**
Fairbanks Daily News-Miner
"ANWR drilling rejected"
- HM Carrina Stanton**
The Chronicle
"Residents can be caught in the middle ..."

HEALTH

1. **Terry McConn**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Fighting for their lives"
 2. **Ted Sullivan**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Dealing with death"
 3. **Carrina Stanton**
The Chronicle
"An epidemic with no face:
Hepatitis C ..."
- HM Erin Snelgrove**
The News-Review
"Post-traumatic Stress Disorder"

EDUCATION

1. **Amanda Haines**
Grants Pass Daily Courier
"Reading, writin, reductions"
 2. **Gail Schontzler**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"School bond issue series"
 3. **E. Kirsten Peters**
Moscow-Pullman Daily News
"When 'A' is for average"
- HM Hope Anderson**
The Daily News
"Facts of strife ...
controversial sex ed ..."

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

1. **Kaitlin Manry**
The Daily World
"Tsunamis: It could happen here"
 2. **Fiona Cohen**
The Bellingham Herald
"Warming warning"
 3. **Martin Kidston**
Independent Record
"A tale of tails"
- HM Kate Ramsayer**
The Daily Astorian
"These smolts are a cut above the rest"

ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY

1. **Randy Trick**
Skagit Valley Herald
"Avian ailment worries experts"
2. **Andre Stepankowsky**
The Daily News
"Jetties in jeopardy"
3. **Kate Ramsayer**
The Daily Astorian
"All fish are not created equal"

BUSINESS

1. Beth Slovic
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Seasonal workforce ..."
2. Brian Mittge
The Chronicle
"The hopes and costs of Winlock growth"
3. Kara Hansen
The Daily Astorian
"Tuna in turmoil"

SOCIAL ISSUES

1. **Hope Anderson**
The Daily News
"No place like a home"
2. **Jennifer Moody**
Albany Democrat-Herald
"Immigration dilemma"
3. **Kaitlin Manry**
The Daily World
"Dad was bad but he still loves you"

HM **Tony Lystra**
The Daily News
"Living in the Highlands"

CONSUMER

1. **Tony Lystra**
The Daily News
"Easy access"
 2. **Beth Slovic**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Payday loans"
 3. **Levi Pulkkinen**
Skagit Valley Herald
"Impact fee surprise"
- HM** **John Stark**
The Bellingham Herald
"Ponzi-scam"

MINORITIES

1. **Martin Kidston**
Independent Record
"In search of a better life"
 2. **Isolde Raftery**
Skagit Valley Herald
"Ditching the fields"
 3. **Kaitlin Manry**
The Daily World
"Lizbeth's transformation"
- HM** **Carrina Stanton**
The Chronicle
"Local people honor Parks' legacy"

PERSONALITIES

1. **David Wilkins**
The Daily World
"Ernie's love song for Nellie Mae"
2. **Gail Schontzler**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"The graduate"
3. **Matt Christensen**
The Times-News
"Making a splash"

HM **Kellyn Brown**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Marty Lambert"

HM **Julia Nicholls**
The Chronicle
"Always the best man"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

CIRCULATION UNDER 25,000

LIFESTYLES

1. **Karma Fitzgerald**
The Times-News
"Leaving the farm"
2. **Ben Pierce**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Rattlesnake rush"
3. **Sheila Hagar**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Mind over body age"
- HM Levi Pulkkinen**
Skagit Valley Herald
"A life in the woods"

SHORT FEATURE

1. **Sharyn L. Decker**
The Chronicle
"Six pink flamingos missing ..."
2. **Kara Hansen**
The Daily Astorian
"She's a princess in reality"
3. **Kyle Odegard**
Corvallis Gazette-Times
"Soldier's unknown grave"

LONG FEATURE

1. **Isolde Raftery**
Skagit Valley Herald
"A child's search for
a normal life"
2. **Dana Green**
Ravalli Republic
"A miracle named Tyson"
3. **Kathleen Strecker**
The Daily Astorian
"Celebrating a century"
- HM Scott McMillion**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"The day the music died"

SPORTS NEWS

1. **Jeff Welsch**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"A summer stroll"
2. **Rick S. Alvord**
The Daily News
"A fan to the end"
3. **Kevin Hampton**
Corvallis Gazette-Times
"Battling the bulge"
- HM Ben Pierce**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Back in business"

ARTS & ARTS CRITICISM

1. **David Wilkins**
The Daily World
"The cutout bin"
2. **John C. Hughes**
The Daily World
"Friedlander"
3. **Jeff Burlingame**
The Daily World
"Coming to the 'Nirvana Place'"

SPORTS FEATURE

1. **Tim Dumas**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"It's not what you've got ..."
2. **Ben Pierce**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Punch drunk"
3. **Craig Craker**
Idaho Press-Tribune
"Coach, soldier, inspiration"
- HM Aaron Yost**
Corvallis Gazette-Times
"Heart of the matter"

SPORTS COLUMN

1. **Rick S. Alvord**
The Daily News
2. **Jeff Welsch**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
3. **Dan Rutherford**
Skagit Valley Herald

EDITORIAL/COMMENTARY

1. *Scott Ayers*
The Bellingham Herald
 2. *Don Nelson*
Skagit Valley Herald
 3. *Dick Clever*
Skagit Valley Herald
- HM** *Gordon MacCracken*
The Chronicle

FEATURE PAGE DESIGN

1. *Robin Weber*
Corvallis Gazette-Times
 2. *Doug Harvey*
The News-Review
 3. *Julie Cozby*
The Daily News
- HM** *Karen Petersen*
Albany Democrat-Herald

GENERAL NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. *Deirdre Eitel*
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"PETA protest"
2. *Adam Amato*
The Chronicle
"Teen mom"
3. *Mark Ylen*
Albany Democrat-Herald
"Crystal Dickson consoles ..."

GENERAL COLUMN

1. *Parker Heinlein*
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
 2. *Don Nelson*
Skagit Valley Herald
 3. *Paul Gottlieb*
Peninsula Daily News
- HM** *Cathy Zimmerman*
The Daily News

HEADLINES

1. *Julie Cozby*
The Daily News
2. *Eric Thomas*
The Bellingham Herald
3. *Michael Yawitz*
Bozeman Daily Chronicle

NEWS PAGE DESIGN

1. *Michael Plett*
Juneau Empire
 2. *Scot Heisel*
The Daily News
 3. *Chris Kerr*
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
- HM** *Mike Henneke*
Corvallis Gazette-Times

SPOT NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. *Mark Ylen*
Albany Democrat-Herald
"Woman's 'silver handgun'
proves to be capgun"
 2. *Jeff Horner*
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Heat waves"
 3. *Adam Amato*
The Chronicle
"Crash kills two"
- HM** *Kathy Quigg*
The Daily World
"Out to sea"

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPHY

1. *Eric Petersen*
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Dancing with shadows"
2. *Adam Amato*
The Chronicle
"One run not enough"
3. *Deirdre Eitel*
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Dachshund derby"

- HM** *Jeff Horner*
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Blue shade snooze"



1. **Eric Petersen**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Under the rainbow"
 2. **Jeff Horner**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Number 1 ... for the 14th time"
 3. **Adam Amato**
The Chronicle
"Rodeo wrastler"
- HM** **Matthew Zimmerman**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"Climbing a mountain"

PHOTOPAGE

1. **Greg Ebersole**
The Daily News
"Mission to Ol' Miss"
 2. **Eric Petersen**
Bozeman Daily Chronicle
"Changing course"
 3. **Matthew Zimmerman**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
"From the horse's mouth"
- HM** **Garrett Cheen**
The Livingston Enterprise
"Out of the ashes"

PHOTOGRAPHY PORTFOLIO

1. **Adam Amato**
The Chronicle
2. **Jeff Horner**
Walla Walla Union-Bulletin
3. **Andy Bronson**
The News-Review

COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE SINGLE DAY

1. **Staff**
Statesman Journal
"Court voids vows"
 2. **Michael Moore,**
Betsy Cohen, **Vince Devlin**
Missoulian
"Broken behind bars"
 3. **Philip Ferolito**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Native sons"
- HM** **Scott North**
The Herald
"Heartbreak and hope ..."



COMPREHENSIVE COVERAGE MULTIPLE DAYS

1. **Staff**
Statesman Journal
"Bridge jumper"
 2. **Erik Robinson**
The Columbian
"St. Helens bellows ..."
 3. **Staff**
Billings Gazette
"West End inferno"
- HM** **Paris Achen**
Mail Tribune
"Mission Katrina"
- HM** **Staff**
Tri-City Herald
"School Fire"
1. **Peter Zuckerman**
Post Register
"Scouts' honor"
 2. **Staff**
The Sun
"NASCAR in Kitsap?"
 3. **David Lester, Mark Morey,**
Chris Bristol
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Jail break"
- HM** **Melissa Slager, Eric Stevick**
The Herald
"Dropouts lost in the shuffle"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

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INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING

1. **Tracy Loew**
Statesman Journal
"Billera"
2. **Scott North, Diana Hefley,**
Lukas Velush
The Herald
"I-5 cable barriers fail to stop deaths"
3. **Erin Middlewood,**
Stephanie Rice, Ken Olsen
The Columbian
"Policing force series"

CRIME AND JUSTICE

1. **Alan Gustafson**
Statesman Journal
"Prison sex scandal"
 2. **Peter Wong, Gabriela Rico,**
Cara Roberts Murez
Statesman Journal
"Unequal justice"
 3. **Michael Moore**
Missoulian
"Cooking up a storm"
- HM** **Chris Bristol**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Conflicting interests"

WATCHDOG

1. **Tracy Loew**
Statesman Journal
"Willamette Education Service District ..."
 2. **Cara Fitzpatrick**
Tri-City Herald
"911 disconnect"
 3. **Jack Moran, Sarah Lemon,**
JoNel Aleccia
Mail Tribune
"Fatal crash"
- HM** **Chris Barker**
The Bulletin
"Thornburgh backers faced legal troubles"
- HM** **Erin Middlewood**
The Columbian
"Builders' dollars fuel campaigns"

GOVERNMENT

1. **Christopher Dunagan**
The Sun
"Your land or our land"
 2. **David Lester**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Jail of no return"
 3. **Corey Taule**
Post Register
"Spending his cash"
- HM** **Erin Middlewood**
The Columbian
"Demotion shakes county engineers"

EDUCATION

1. **Gabriela Rico, Diane Dietz,**
Statesman Journal
"Children of hope"
 2. **Margaret Ellis**
The Columbian
"How WASL came to dominate"
 3. **Stacey Palevsky**
Tri-City Herald
"Classroom in conflict"
- HM** **Lynne Miller Lynch,**
Brent Champaco
Tri-City Herald
"Cost of school safety"

HEALTH

1. **Sharon Salyer**
The Herald
"Kids and obesity"
 2. **Kayley Mendenhall**
The Bulletin
"Kamasz series"
 3. **Brett Oppegaard**
The Columbian
"Secrets of 90"
- HM** **Markian Hawryluk**
The Bulletin
"Silent epidemic"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

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SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

1. Erik Robinson
The Columbian
"Destructive volcano finishes..."
 2. John H. Trumbo
Tri-City Herald
"Battelle marks 40 years"
 3. Nicole Stricker
Post Register
"Father frogs ..."
- HM Thomas Ryll
The Columbian
"A home with few needs"

ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY

1. Mike Stark, Brett French
Mark Henckel
Billings Gazette
"The hunt returns"
 2. Michelle McNeil
The Wenatchee World
"Plight of the aspens"
 3. Dean Baker
The Columbian
"Condor comeback"
- HM Mike Stark
Billings Gazette
"Canary in the mine"

CONSUMER

1. Staff
The Sun
"Pain at the pump"
 2. Clayton Park
King County Journal
"Experts say regional housing boom isn't a bubble"
 3. Jennifer Warnick
Krista Kapralos
The Herald
"Tourist traps"
- HM Debra Smith
The Herald
"Into the fire"

BUSINESS

1. Staff
The Herald
"Wal*Mart, love it or hate it"
 2. Jim Gransberry
Billings Gazette
"Cutting their losses"
 3. Eric Fetters, Amy Rolph,
Mike Benbow
The Herald
"The buzz is back at Boeing"
- HM Thomas Ryll
The Columbian
"Rumbling sound of money"

BUSINESS COLUMN

1. Mike Benbow
The Herald
 2. Bryan Corliss
The Herald
 3. Julia Anderson
The Columbian
- HM Eric Zoekler
The Herald

MINORITIES

1. Gabriela Rico
Statesman Journal
"Oaxaca connection"
 2. Anna King
Tri-City Herald
"Off the land"
 3. Amy McFall Prince
The Columbian
"Painful past, hopeful future ..."
- HM Sebastián Moraga
The Wenatchee World
"Picking her fate"

SOCIAL ISSUES	LIFESTYLES	LONG FEATURE
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1. **Genoa Sibold-Cohn**
Tri-City Herald
"Meth's orphans"
 2. **Jeff Switzer**
The Herald
"War, peace and doughnuts"
 3. **Kelly Adams**
The Columbian
"A life apart"
- HM Jeff Switzer**
The Herald
"An unlikely community ..."

1. **Jane Gargas**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Now serving food and spirits"
 2. **Jennifer Warnick**
The Herald
"On or off the ice, Tips are hot"
 3. **Scott Hewitt**
The Columbian
"Club helps tall people ..."
- HM Tricia Jones**
The Columbian
"Slumber party"

1. **Scott North**
The Herald
"Heartbreak and hope ..."
2. **Nicole Stricker**
Post Register
"In sickness and in health ..."
3. **Mike Stark**
Billings Gazette
"My way of paying back"

PERSONALITIES	SHORT FEATURE	ARTS & ARTS CRITICISM
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1. **Thomas Ryll**
The Columbian
"A Christmas letter"
 2. **Brett Oppegaard**
The Columbian
"Impersonator blues"
 3. **Christopher Dunagan**
The Sun
"Salvaging a life"
- HM Justin Carinci**
The Columbian
"Final salute: she didn't let cancer ..."

1. **James Joyce III**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Cheese zombie"
 2. **Margaret Ellis**
The Columbian
"Wounded, but not forgotten"
 3. **Michelle McNeil**
The Wenatchee World
"Man with new heart ..."
- HM Thomas Ryll**
The Columbian
"Monster pumpkins impress"

1. **Scott Morris**
The Herald
"Common wealth: A story about a play ..."
 2. **Tricia Jones**
The Columbian
"Vanillatown vaudevillians"
 3. **Doug Margeson**
King County Journal
"Really, he's writing a song"
- HM Melissa Hoyos**
Tri-City Herald
"Ray's got rhythm"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

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SPORTS NEWS

1. Brian Hendrickson
The Columbian
"Teen sensations"
 2. Mary Hopkin
Tri-City Herald
"Racing into the season"
 3. Brian Hendrickson
The Columbian
"Blazers lose game to Jazz ..."
- HM Nick Dettmann
Post Register
"A win to remember"

SPORTS FEATURE

1. Scott M. Johnson
The Herald
"The best and brightest ..."
 2. Paul Valencia
The Columbian
"Legge up on Danica"
 3. Rial Cummings
Missoulian
"Leadore's gem"
- HM Nathan Joyce
The Sun
"Marvin Williams ..."

EDITORIAL/COMMENTARY

1. Gregg Herrington
The Columbian
2. Barbara Curtin
Statesman Journal
3. Mike Oakland
The Olympian

FEATURE PAGE DESIGN

1. Judy Stanley
The Herald
2. Renee Fullerton
The Bulletin
3. Tonya Ricks
Tri-City Herald

HM Marsha Matta
The Columbian

GENERAL COLUMN

1. Bill Varble
Mail Tribune
2. Brett Oppegaard
The Columbian
3. Heidi Evans
The Sun

HEADLINES

1. Micah Rice
The Columbian
- HM D. Roberts Keenan
King County Journal
- HM Allison Stormo
Tri-City Herald

NEWS PAGE DESIGN

1. Marsha Matta
The Columbian
 2. Marcus Michelson
Yakima Herald-Republic
 3. Tonya Ricks
Tri-City Herald
- HM Anders Ramberg,
Andrew Pritchard
The Bulletin

SPOT NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. David Grubbs
Billings Gazette
"Heater starts house blaze"
 2. Jerry Coughlan
The Columbian
"Wrong turn"
 3. Toni Bailey
The Olympian
"Family reunited"
- HM Steve Bloom
The Olympian
"River rescue"

GENERAL NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Bob Pennell**
Mail Tribune
"Moms for peace"
 2. **Kevin Nortz**
The Herald
"Union on strike"
 3. **James Branaman**
The Sun
"USS Lincoln returns"
- HM Rajah Bose**
Tri-City Herald
"Committed"

SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Don Seabrook**
The Wenatchee World
"Save wins match"
 2. **James Branaman**
The Sun
"Huskies win"
 3. **Steven Lane**
The Columbian
"A day at the park"
- HM Don Seabrook**
The Wenatchee World
"High speed spectacle"

PHOTOGRAPHY PORTFOLIO

1. **Paul T. Erickson**
Tri-City Herald
 2. **Kurt Wilson**
Missoulian
 3. **Rajah Bose**
Tri-City Herald
- HM James Branaman**
The Sun

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Gordon King**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Waiting in Olympia"
 2. **Brian Fitzgerald**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Mud of May"
 3. **Mike Bonnicksen**
The Wenatchee World
"Waiting for contact"
- HM Jim Craven**
Mail Tribune
"Tiger nip"
- HM Troy Wayrynen**
The Columbian
"Underneath the portrait"

PHOTOPAGE

1. **Gordon King**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Low-rent refuge"
 2. **Donna DeCesare**
The Herald
"Heartbreak and hope"
 3. **Steven Lane**
The Columbian
"Impersonator blues"
- HM Brian Fitzgerald**
Yakima Herald-Republic
"Native sons - The men
of the Yakima Nation"

1. **Staff**
The News Tribune
"Gunman hits six"
2. **Helen Jung**
The Oregonian
"Flying around a racetrack ..."
3. **Jake Ellison, Christine Frey,
Athima Chansanchai**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Shooting at mall leaves
7 injured"

- HM Emily Heffter, Mike Carter
Julia Sommerfeld**
The Seattle Times
"Mall shooter: World will
feel my anger"





1. **Steve Suo**,
The Oregonian
"The spread of meth ..."
2. **Staff**
The Spokesman-Review
"West tied to sex abuse
in 70s..."
3. **Doug O'Hara,**
Megan Holland
Anchorage Daily News
"Drift to disaster"

INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING

1. **Luke Timmerman,**
David Heath
The Seattle Times
"Drug researchers
leak secrets ..."
2. **Susan Goldsmith,**
Don Colburn,
Steve Woodward
The Oregonian
"Patel's disturbing record ..."
3. **Jeff Manning**
The Oregonian
"Contractor's failures"

WATCHDOG

1. **David Heath,**
Sharon Pian Chan
The Seattle Times
"Dot-con job: How Infospace
took its investors ..."
2. **Sean Robinson**
The News Tribune
"Driving school mogul ..."
3. **Regina Hackett,**
Michelle Nicolosi
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"State halted inquiry of
art taxes"

HM Joseph Rose,
Noelle Crombie
The Oregonian
"Portland's pawn shops ..."

CRIME AND JUSTICE

1. **Christine Willmsen**
The Seattle Times
"Dangerous sex offenders:
Address unknown"
2. **Staff**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Conduct unbecoming"

GOVERNMENT

1. **Jason Hagey, Kris Sherman**
The News Tribune
"Short circuit in the wired city"
2. **Janie Har, Harry Esteve,**
Dave Hogan
The Oregonian
"High rollers win Salem game"
3. **Betsy Hammond**
The Oregonian
"Historic homes enrich the rich"

EDUCATION

1. **Staff**
The Oregonian
"Education accountability"
2. **Linda Shaw**
The Seattle Times
"Beyond the books"
3. **Paul Nyhan**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"College divide threatens
to keep poor in poverty"

HM Sharon Pian Chan
The Seattle Times
"The admissions obsession"

HM Marc Ramirez
The Seattle Times
"Raw and unconventional
debate team ..."

HEALTH

1. **Susan Kelleher, Duff Wilson**
The Seattle Times
"Suddenly sick"
 2. **Claudia Rowe**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Eastside stunned by
3 teenagers' deaths"
 3. **Carol Smith**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"New orders"
- HM** **Don Colburn**
The Oregonian
"Why am I not dead?"
- HM** **Andy Dworkin**
The Oregonian
"Targeting cancer with hope"

ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY

1. **Wesley Loy**
Anchorage Daily News
"Spill's legacy"
 2. **Maureen O'Hagan**
The Seattle Times
"Eagles slaughtered for
cherished parts"
 3. **Warren Cornwall**
The Seattle Times
"Trying to solve the mystery ..."
- HM** **Karen Dorn Steele**
The Spokesman-Review
"Radiation study set up
as defense ..."

BUSINESS

1. **Rob Carson**
The News Tribune
"China: Its future is our future"
2. **Mike Rogoway,**
Laura Gunderson
The Oregonian
"Move, merge, meltdown"
3. **Shirleen Holt**
The Seattle Times
"Rancher's fight,
worker's plight"

BUSINESS COLUMN

1. **Dan Voelpel**
The News Tribune
2. **Bill Virgin**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
3. **Bert Caldwell**
The Spokesman-Review

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

1. **Sandi Doughton**
The Seattle Times
"Born gay? / Animals exhibit
gay behavior"
2. **Mike Lindblom**
The Seattle Times
"Bridging the Narrows"
3. **Sandi Doughton**
The Seattle Times
"WSU attempts to unlock
mysteries of hibernation"

CONSUMER

1. **Candace Heckman**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Playing the parking game"
2. **Candace Heckman**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Here's a tip: Restaurants may
be padding the bill"
3. **Jolayne Houtz**
The Seattle Times
"Scamming the cradle"

MINORITIES

1. **Jeff Wright**
The Register-Guard
"The eXit files"
2. **Ray Rivera**
The Seattle Times
"Suspicion in the ranks"
3. **Inara Verzemnieks**
The Oregonian
"Street of new beginnings"

HM **Marc Ramirez**
The Seattle Times
"Life after death"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

CIRCULATION 25,001 - 65,000

SOCIAL ISSUES

1. **Ruth Teichroeb**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Public protection,
private abuse"
 2. **Jonathan Martin**
The Seattle Times
"What's best for Baby M?"
 3. **Claudia Rowe**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"The youngest profession"
- HM Maureen O'Hagan**
The Seattle Times
"Mental illness scars
three generations"

PERSONALITIES

1. **Inara Verzemnieks**
The Oregonian
"Art Honeyman hits the streets"
2. **Carol Smith**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Learning to heal"
3. **Joel Gray, Erik Hill (TIE)**
Anchorage Daily News
"Yukon River journey"

Richard Seven (TIE)
The Seattle Times
"On Portland's edge"

LIFESTYLES

1. **Debbie Cafazzo**
The News Tribune
"Cheer for the Majestics"
2. **Tom Hallman, Jr.**
The Oregonian
"My dad, a chaperone?"
3. **Marc Ramirez**
The Seattle Times
"In the aroma of fresh brew ..."

LONG FEATURE

1. **Mark Baker**
The Register-Guard
"A beautiful mind"
2. **Tom Hallman, Jr.**
The Oregonian
"Courage of his convictions"
3. **Beth Kaiman**
The Seattle Times
"Coming of age in time of war"

SHORT FEATURE

1. **Marc Ramirez**
The Seattle Times
"Gourds and glory"
2. **Therese Bottomly**
The Oregonian
"A parent's gift ..."
3. **Matt Misterek**
The News Tribune
"It's a battle for hearts
and minds"

- HM Larry Bingham**
The Oregonian
"At once, the heart remembers"

ARTS & ARTS CRITICISM

1. **Richard Seven**
The Seattle Times
"Critical choices"
 2. **Inara Verzemnieks**
The Oregonian
"Drawn to the truth"
 3. **Misha Berson**
The Seattle Times
"An ever-relevant 'Wrath'"
- HM Moira Macdonald**
The Seattle Times
"Swing time, Ginger and me"

SPORTS NEWS

1. **Larry Stone**
The Seattle Times
"The changing face of baseball"
 2. **Greg Bishop**
The Seattle Times
"Changing your genes"
 3. **Greg Bishop**
The Seattle Times
"Snap decisions"
- HM** **Mark Baker**
The Register-Guard
"Punching in at 50"

SPORTS FEATURE

1. **Greg Bishop**
The Seattle Times
"The longest run"
 2. **Katy Muldoon**
The Oregonian
"A life off course"
 3. **Greg Bishop**
The Seattle Times
"On the rebound"
- HM** **Larry Stone**
The Seattle Times
"Vanni, the dean of Seattle baseball"

EDITORIAL/COMMENTARY

1. **Rick Attig (TIE)**
The Oregonian;
Doug Bates (TIE)
The Oregonian
 2. **Patrick O'Callahan**
The News Tribune
 3. **Susan Nielsen**
The Oregonian
- HM** **Jackman Wilson**
The Register-Guard

GENERAL COLUMN

1. **Susan Nielsen**
The Oregonian
 2. **Danny Westneat**
The Seattle Times
 3. **Robert Jamieson**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
- HM** **Doug Clark**
The Spokesman-Review

NEWS PAGE DESIGN

1. **Rob Romig**
The Register-Guard
 2. **Mark Friesen**
The Oregonian
 3. **Kurt Schlosser**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
- HM** **Denise Clifton**
The Seattle Times

FEATURE PAGE DESIGN

1. **Erin Jang**
The Seattle Times
 2. **Tracy Loeffelholz Dunn**
The Seattle Times
 3. **Susan Jouflas**
The Seattle Times
- HM** **Reed Darmon**
The Oregonian

HEADLINES

1. **Tony Augusty**
The Seattle Times
 2. **Greg Adams**
The Oregonian
 3. **Cole Cosgrove**
The News Tribune
- HM** **Veronica Villarreal**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer

SPOT NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Drew Perine**
The News Tribune
"Life is worth preserving"
 2. **Mike Siegel**
The Seattle Times
"Fire ruins landmark"
 3. **Karen Ducey**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Bloody sneakers"
- HM** **Joshua Trujillo**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Prayers for the Pope"

DAILY NEWSPAPERS

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GENERAL NEWS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Greg Gilbert (TIE)**
The Seattle Times
"Seafair from up there";

Mike Siegel (TIE)
The Seattle Times
"All the love that can fit into a hug"
2. **Meryl Schenker**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Fundraising, double time"
3. **Christopher Anderson**
The Spokesman-Review
"Hospital vows"

HM Alan Berner
The Seattle Times
"Praying for the Pope"

FEATURE PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Grant M. Haller**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Swirl of sound"
2. **Paul Joseph Brown**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Love of frisbees unleashed"
3. **Karen Ducey**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Smoking gun: The Blue Angels"

- HM Jamie Francis**
The Oregonian
"Cheerleader dog"

PHOTOPAGE

1. **Thomas James Hurst,**
Fred Nelson
The Seattle Times
"Embracing a sister village ..."
 2. **Mike Siegel**
The Seattle Times
"What's best for Baby M?"
 3. **Meryl Schenker**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Governor's first 100 days"
- HM Joshua Trujillo**
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
"Seattle Americans"

SPORTS PHOTOGRAPHY

1. **Christopher Anderson**
The Spokesman-Review
"Crunch time"
2. **Alan Berner**
The Seattle Times
"Eight seconds to glory"
3. **Drew Perine**
The News Tribune
"Get in there"

- HM Bruce Ely**
The Oregonian
"Face plant ..."

- HM Chris Pietsch**
The Register-Guard
"Wreck at the Pre"

PHOTOGRAPHY PORTFOLIO

1. **Chris Pietsch**
The Register-Guard
2. **Alan Berner**
The Seattle Times



GRAPHICS

1. *Steve Cowden*
The Oregonian
2. *Eric Baker*
The Oregonian
3. *Staff*
The Seattle Times

ILLUSTRATIONS

1. *Barry Nichols*
The Columbian
 2. *Marsha Matta*
The Columbian
 3. *Julie Notarianni*
The Seattle Times
- HM *David Badders*
Seattle Post-Intelligencer

EDITORIAL CARTOONS

1. *David Horsey*
Seattle Post-Intelligencer
2. *Jack Ohman*
The Oregonian
3. *Eric Devericks*
The Seattle Times



1. *Staff*
KPLU
"KPLU's Morning Edition/
All Things Considered"
2. *Staff*
*Alaska Public
Radio Network*
"Alaska News Nightly"
3. *Derek Wang*
KUOW
"Morning News"

SPOT NEWS

1. *Ian Cope*
Grays Harbor Radio
"Selmers Furniture fire"
2. *Austin Jenkins*
Northwest News Network
"Legitimate governor?"
3. *Cathy Duchamp*
KUOW
"Students shut down
military recruiters"

GENERAL NEWS

1. *Austin Jenkins*
Northwest News Network
"Welfare workers race
the clock"
2. *Keith Seinfeld*
KPLU
"Smoking ban
challenges addicts"
3. *Austin Jenkins*
Northwest News Network
"Gay marriage debate
draws thousands"

FEATURE NEWS

1. *Derek Wang*
KUOW
"First ever Arab-American
comedy night"
2. *Samantha Wright*
Boise State Radio
"An Idaho icon"
3. *Tom Banse*
Northwest News Network
"Listening to the private
lives of wolves"

RADIO

INVESTIGATIVE

1. **Austin Jenkins**
Northwest News Network
"Public defender system
maxed out"
2. **Kirsten Kendrick,**
Jennifer Wing
KPLU
"Private money in public
education"

DOCUMENTARY

1. **Jyl Hoyt, Peter Thomson**
Boise State Radio
"Legacy and lessons of
Lewis and Clark"
2. **Keith Seinfeld,**
Paula Wissel,
Bellamy Paitthorp
KPLU
"Company towns, then and now"
3. **Marcie Sillman**
KUOW
"Seattle's big ditch"

HM Phyllis Fletcher
KUOW
"Marriage in Washington State"

NEWS SERIES

1. **Sarah Neal,**
Jennifer Edwards
KUAC
"Alaska's pipe dreams"

2. **Patricia Murphy**
KUOW
"Methamphetamine: A home
cooked threat"
3. **Andrea Smardon**
KUOW
"When a parent calls collect"

SPORTS

1. **Phyllis Fletcher**
KUOW
"Parkour"
2. **Libby Casey**
KUAC
"The white silence"
3. **Elizabeth Wynne Johnson**
Northwest News Network
"Kid rodeo"

NATIONALLY EDITED STORY

1. **Elizabeth Wynne Johnson**
Northwest News Network
"Fisher poets (NPR version)"
2. **Andrea Smardon**
KUOW
"When a parent calls collect"
3. **Colin Fogarty**
Oregon Public Broadcasting
"Oregon elderly suicide"

TELEVISION

MARKETS 210 TO 161

NEWSCAST

1. **Staff**
KPAX
"KPAX 10 PM Newscast"
2. **Staff**
KTVQ
"Q2 News"
3. **Staff**
KECI
"KECI-TV-13 News at Ten"

SPOT NEWS

1. **Kathy Weber Bates**
KPAX
"Truck in river"
2. **Jake Whittenberg,**
Paul Humphrey
KTVQ
"Storm damage"
3. **Keagan Harsha**
KULR
"Worden train derailment"

GENERAL NEWS

1. *John Langeler*
KPAX
"Plains fire"
2. *Ryan Coleman*
KECI
"Pitbull attack"
3. *Keagan Harsha*
KULR
"Problems on the range"

FEATURE NEWS

1. *Keagan Harsha*
KULR
"Hot paving"
2. *Dianne Baker, Jesse Kester*
KTVQ
"Lisa Marie Kimmel"
3. *Kathy Weber Bates*
KPAX
"Faces of meth"

INVESTIGATIVE

1. *Jenny Kuglin,*
Christin Ayers, Dan Foy
KECI
"Libby vs W.R. Grace ..."
2. *Kathy Weber Bates*
KPAX
"Cold case series"
3. *Robin Catterton,*
Erik Hedlund
KECI
"Small town murder mystery"

DOCUMENTARY

1. *Staff*
KPAX, KTVQ and KXLF
"Methwatch: Montana"
2. *Mark Cossen*
KUAC
"Klondike Alaska -
A rail history"
3. *Ian Marquand*
KPAX
"Under the Big Sky:
April 2005 special report"

SPORTS

1. *John Langeler*
KPAX
"Osprey cheap seats"
2. *Ian Marquand*
KPAX
"Under the Big Sky: Return to
John's golf course"
3. *Doug Andersen*
KPVI
"Simplot sprinter"

NEWS PHOTOJOURNALISM

1. *Nate Petersen*
KPAX
"Plains fire"
2. *Dan Foy, Shawn Fagan*
KECI
"Sawmill fire"
3. *Paul Humphrey*
KTVQ
"Medical mistakes"

FEATURE PHOTOJOURNALISM

1. *Mark Holyoak*
KPAX
"St. Mary's Peak"
2. *Ian Marquand*
KPAX
"Under the Big Sky:
Salish Bitterroots"
3. *Jesse Kester*
KTVQ
"Laurel Drive-in"

TELEVISION

MARKETS 160 TO 101

SPOT NEWS

1. **Staff**
KTVB
"Caldwell flooding"
2. **Carla Castano, Joel Kempff**
KVAL
"Icy roads"
3. **Carla Castano, Loren Ruark**
KVAL
"River drowning"

GENERAL NEWS

1. **David Gale, Troy Colson**
KTVB
"Bear cubs"
2. **Cathryn Stephens,**
Alan Dale
KVAL
"WIC food"
3. **Alyson Outen,**
Gary Salzman
KTVB
"New pope"

FEATURE NEWS

1. **Mike Vogel, Troy Colson**
KTVB
"Base jumper"
2. **David Gale, Troy Colson**
KTVB
"Cowpoke kids"
3. **Rhonda McBride,**
Phil Walczak
KTUU
"Mary Schallert's dream"
- HM **Robbie Johnson,**
Brian Holmes
KTVB
"Losing locks"

INVESTIGATIVE

1. **Andrea Dearden,**
Xanti Alcelay
KTVB
"Polygamy"
2. **Alyson Outen, Lisa Chavez**
KTVB
"Bus stop investigation"
3. **Dana Rebik, Alan Dale**
KVAL
"Firehouse mold"

DOCUMENTARY

1. **Staff**
Idaho Public Television
"Outdoor Idaho: Silver Valley rising"
2. **Joan Cartan-Hansen,**
Chuck Cathcard,
Ricardo Ochoa
Idaho Public Television
"The social code"
3. **Jim Peck, Alan Austin**
Idaho Public Television
"West of the Basque"
- HM **Jim Peck, Alan Austin**
Idaho Public Television
"Outdoor Idaho:
A taste of Idaho"

SPORTS

1. **Dirk Weishaar**
KVAL
"Dad vs son"
2. **Staff**
KVAL
"2005 Holiday Bowl preview special"
3. **Blair Johnson**
KVAL
"The kicker and the kid"
- HM **Tom Ward**
KVAL
"Pre: 30 years later"

NEWS PHOTOJOURNALISM

TELEVISION

TOP 100 MARKETS

SPOT NEWS

1. **Paul Boehlke**
KTVB
"Wild horses"
2. **Gary Salzman**
KTVB
"Yellowstone snowmobiles"
3. **Doug Schwindt,**
Katie Harlan
KVAL
"Soldier comes home"

FEATURE PHOTOJOURNALISM

1. **Gary Salzman**
KTVB
"Lewis & Clark"
 2. **Joel Kempff, Dana Rebik**
KVAL
"Homeless Christmas Eve"
 3. **Alan Dale, Dana Rebik**
KVAL
"Mormon trek"
- HM Barry Thompson**
KMTR
"4th of July parade"

FEATURE NEWS

1. **John Sharify,**
Jon Knoss, Tri Ngo
KOMO
"Baby photos"
 2. **Grand McOmie,**
Bryon Garvin
KATU
"MSH survivors"
 3. **Laural Porter, Kurt Austin**
KGW
"Where's Molly?"
- HM John Sharify, Doug Pigsley,**
Darrin Tegman
KOMO
"The voice"

GENERAL NEWS

1. **Staff**
KOMO
"Where's Mommy?"
 2. **John Sharify, Tim Griffis,**
Tri Ngo
KOMO
"Lucky ones"
 3. **Susannah Frame,**
Eric Olson, Kellie Cheadle
KING
"Tacoma sidewalks – cracks in the system"
- HM Kirk Hawkins**
KXLY
"Wireless hijacking"

INVESTIGATIVE

1. **Susannah Frame,**
Eric Olson, Kellie Cheadle
KING
"Deals of deception"
 2. **Susannah Frame,**
Eric Olson, Kellie Cheadle
KING
"Trouble on the tarmac"
 3. **Staff**
KATU
"Dan Doyle investigation"
- HM Brian Barker, Beth English**
KATU
"Tsunami: Northwest reality check"



1. **Laural Porter, Kurt Austin**
KGW
"Tale of two boxers"
2. **Ron Carlson,**
Mike Rosborough
KATU
"Child's play, what parents pay"
3. **Katy Brown, Beth English**
Kevin Eyres
KATU
"Pilots win!"

HM **Chris Daniels, Pete Cassam**
KING
"Quann conquers the Sound"



1. **The Academy Times**
Charles Wright Academy
2. **Riptide**
Vashon Island High School
3. **Eye of the Tiger**
Ephrata High School

ENROLLMENT 500 - 1,000

1. **Patriot Press**
Liberty High School

ENROLLMENT 1,000+

1. **The Apple Leaf**
Wenatchee High School
2. **The Peninsula Outlook**
Peninsula High School
3. **Hawkeye**
Mountlake Terrace High School



1. **The Pioneer (Winter 2006)**
Pierce College at Fort Steilacoom.
Dorene Paulson, Editor;
Michael Parks, Adviser
2. **The Pioneer (Fall 2005)**
Pierce College at Fort Steilacoom
Dorene Paulson, Editor;
Michael Parks, Adviser
3. **The Buccaneer**
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