

2021 CMA Student Journalism Award Winners

Best Front Page

First Place

Barry University, The Barry Buccaneer, “Black Lives Matter” by Melissa Manohar, '22 ; Emma James, '22

Second Place

University of Dayton, Flyer News, “Flyer News Front Page” by Griffin Quinn Franchesca Hackworth

Third Place

Loyola University New Orleans, The Maroon, “An honorable struggle” by Rose Wagner

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, The DePaulia, “Here, We Zoom” by The DePaulia staff

Best Use of Graphics with an Article

First Place

Barry University, The Barry Buccaneer, “A Star Too Soon in the Sky” by Melissa Manohar, '22

Second Place

DePaul University, The DePaulia, “A Woman's Recession” by Hannah Mitchell

Third Place

Loyola University New Orleans, Loyola Maroon, “Ending racism is God's justice” by Emilia Cicero

Honorable Mention

Lewis University, The Lewis Flyer, “Illinois to vote on progressive income tax in November” by Anthony Beimal - Graphic Designer, Jill Guzzi – Reporter

Best Presentation of Faith on Campus -Single Article

First Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “The Heart of the Homeless: Father Guillermo Campuzano Returns to DePaul” by Elly Boes, '21

Second Place

Loyola University New Orleans, The Maroon, “Loyola moves ministry, worship online” by Zia Sampson

Third Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “Finding Online Faith Communities Amid COVID-19” by Justin Myers, '20, Yusra Shah, '20

Best Use of Multimedia for Storytelling

First Place

DePaul University, 14 East, "14 East's Virtual Art Gallery" by Patsy Newitt, '20, Yusra Shah, '21

Second Place

Loyola University New Orleans, Loyola Maroon, "Hard Rock cranes demolished, recovery top priority" by Jillian Oddo

Third Place

Neumann University, Neumann Media, "The Little Airplane" by Amaris Manning

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, The DePaulia, "1237 West" by Emma Oxnevad, Ella Lee, Brea Jones, Keira Wingate

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, 14 East, "Ride the Train Like a Chicagoan" by Nikki Roberts, '20, Cam Rodriguez, '21

Best Single Photo**First Place**

DePaul University, The DePaulia, "Chicago Protests" by Jonathan Aguilar

Second Place

Barry University, The Barry Buccaneer, "Live Passionately" by Jimmy Muniz Jr. , '22

Third Place

Lewis University, The Flyer, "Campus Life" by Derek Swanson, Managing Editor

Honorable Mention

Loyola University New Orleans, Loyola Maroon, "Protestors gather near South Carrollton to protest the Black injustices in New Orleans, Thursday, Sept. 24, 2020." by Malik Jamileh

Best Feature Writing

First Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “Northwestern's Asian American Studies Hunger Strike, 25 Years Later” by Meredith Melland, '20

Second Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “Who Are Illinois' 20 Electors, and How Exactly Do Electors Work?” by Cam Rodriguez, '21

Third Place

Barry University, The Barry Buccaneer, “Latino vs. Latinx: Ungendering the Spanish Language” by Suzannah Young, '22

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, 14 East, “Tootsie Roll Industries' Chicago Employees Protest for Hazard Pay Amid Pandemic” by Angelina Davila

Best Writing – Single Story

First Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “Through the Eyes of a Caucus-goer” by Patsy Newitt, '20

Second Place

DePaul University, DePaul University, “How do we trust them now?” by Marcus Robertson

Third Place

Loyola University New Orleans, Loyola Maroon, “Outgoing Loyola director under investigation at Arizona State” by Rose Wagner

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, 14 East, “Beware of the White Gaze” by Malik Pitchford

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, 14 East, “Under Review: How Lisa Calvente's Termination Exposed a Flawed Tenure Process” by Meredith Melland, '20, Marin Scott, '20

Best Writing – Series

First Place

DePaul University, The DePaulia, “Calvente Series” by Cailey Gleeson, Brita Hunegs, Ella Lee, Emma Oxnevad, Keira Wingate

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, 14 East, “Austin Housing Toolkit” by Francesca Mathewes, '21, Justin Myers, '21, Patsy Newitt, '20

Best Example of Teaching of the Church

First Place

Loyola University New Orleans, Loyola Maroon, “Opinion: Pro-Life means supporting the Black Lives Matter Movement” by Zia Sampson

Best Critical Review

First Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “On the Alchemist, Cooking and Getting Roasted” by Julián Martinez

Second Place

DePaul University, 14 East, “Affirming My Faith Through Neon Trees: A Review of “I Can Feel You Forgetting Me” by Justin Myers, '21

Third Place

Barry University, The Barry Buccaneer, “Quarantined Concerts - The New Cool” by Amanda Gonzalez Garcia, '22

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, The DePaulia, “Portrait of a Lady on Fire Review” by Michael Brzezinski

Honorable Mention

Loyola Maroon, “Loyola Maroon, ““The Trial of the Chicago 7” review: A thrilling and timely legal drama” by Ver Lumod

Best University Student Publication

First Place

DePaul University, "The DePaulia" by The DePaulia staff

Second Place

Loyola University New Orleans, "Loyola Maroon" by Rose Wagner

Third Place

University of Portland, "The Beacon" by The Beacon staff

Honorable Mention

Seton Hall University, "The Heart of the Hall" by Emma Newgarden, Jessica Kelly, Bridgette Favale, Thomas Piro, Matthew Forget, Ellen Mangan

Honorable Mention

Northwestern University, "The Review" by The Review Editorial Board and Staff

Hot Topic - Current Events Affecting Student Life - Blog

First Place

DePaul University, The DePaulia, "Election Live Blog" by Lacey Latch, Ella Lee, Emma Oxnevad

Third Place

Stonehill College, The Summit, "Trying to find the light and hope" by Emma-Cate Rapose

Honorable Mention

Stonehill College, The Summit, "Letter from professors spurs Zoom meeting; "Students in Action will lead a sit-in," Sit-in opens discussion on diversity to protest racial injustice" by Abigail Chartier, Anastasia Pumphrey

Honorable Mention

DePaul University, The DePaulia, "CPD Pizza Party" by Lacey Latch, Emma Oxnevad, Ella Lee

Current Events Affecting Student Life - Television

First Place

Spring Hill College, Spring Hill Student Media (Spring Hill Now), "Real World Ready Initiative (Tuition Decrease)" by Olivia McNorton, reporter Carlos Salmoran, videographer

Second Place

Spring Hill College, Spring Hill Now (Badger TV), "Spring Hill Now (episodes "Away From The Hill" and 11/11/20)" by Makayla Paige Chase Brouillette Alexandria Rayford Carlos Salmoran

Third Place

Spring Hill College, SHC Student Media (Badger TV), "Noticiero Con Eduardo Chavarria" by Jose Chavarria