National Press Foundation

Annual Report



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Letter from the President

For nearly 50 years, NPF has been "making good journalists better" – and perhaps never has that taken on as much urgency as today. As newsroom pressures mount and budgets shrink, NPF provides no-cost, beat-specific training to journalists to enable them to report with more depth, context and sources at their fingertips.

If the biggest challenge facing journalists in 2024 was how to cover an election in the most polarized environment in our lifetimes, it would be more than enough. But add to that widespread layoffs in already decimated newsrooms; add the nearly 100 journalists killed and 400 imprisoned in 2023. The work journalists do is not merely challenging, it is life changing and, at times, life threatening.

Journalists need support. And it is the great honor and mission of the National Press Foundation to provide it.

As we face a defining year for our democracy, we thank the volunteers and donors who make it possible for hundreds of journalists to receive NPF training and mentorship every year. Each journalism fellowship and award propels new generations of journalists to serve the public and the truth.



Anne Godlasky

President, National Press Foundation



Letter from the Chairman

As my tenure as Board Chair ends, I reflect on the past two years with a deep sense of pride and accomplishment. Our collective journey has underscored the vital importance of quality journalism, reinforcing our mission to train and inspire the next generation of media professionals. The National Press Foundation has remained steadfast in its commitment to these principles, navigating through challenges and emerging stronger.

I am particularly pleased to note the resumption of our annual NPF awards dinner (in-person!) over the last two years. The dinner not only celebrates journalistic excellence but also reinforces our shared commitment to a free and vibrant press. The successful return of this event symbolizes the resilience and enduring spirit of our community.

As I pass the baton to USA Today editor-in-chief Terence Samuel, the incoming Chairman, I am confident that the foundation is in capable hands. Under the leadership of Terry and Anne, I foresee a future filled with even greater achievements and continued growth. The National Press Foundation is poised to reach new heights, building on our solid legacy while innovating for an ever-evolving media environment.

Thank you to the many foundations, corporations and individuals who provide unwavering support to the National Press Foundation.

Warm regards,

Amos Snead

Chairman of the National Press Foundation Board of Directors



About Us

The National Press Foundation encourages excellence in journalism through its awards and fellowships, educating journalists on the complex issues of the day and training them on the latest reporting tools and techniques.

Company Name:

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National Press Foundation

August 5, 1975

EIN:

Nonprofit Status:

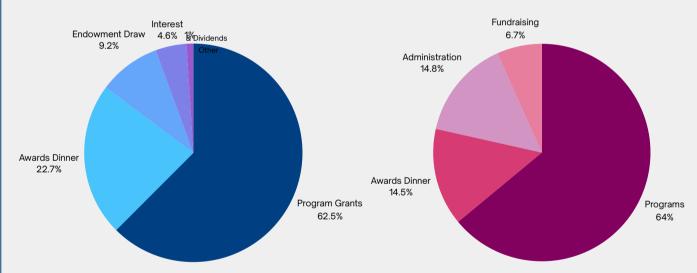
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Financial Snapshot

Revenue

Expenses



NPF strives to diversify funding sources and ensures that no individual source is ever more than one-third of NPF's total revenue.





DONATE

Journalism training is needed now more than ever

The National Press Foundation is heeding the call.

Employment at legacy news organizations is down two-thirds over the past 15 years. More than 1,000 digital newsrooms (non-profit and for-profit) have sprung up to fill some of the gaps. But both legacy and independent organizations share a common struggle: They lack resources for training their staff.

Democracy requires an independent, fact-based press to hold the powerful to account and give voice to the diversity of its communities. Research proves that local journalism leads to a more informed electorate and higher voter turnout – as well as less corruption, polarization and even loneliness.

Yet the journalists needed to perform this society-sustaining mission are too often overworked, underpaid and increasingly threatened. Journalists are a megaphone to the world, but the demands of 24/7, multi-platform coverage put them under unprecedented pressure, compounded by mass layoffs in already lean newsrooms. The media corps is trending younger and expected to deliver more stories in less time. They face an assault of rapidly evolving misinformation, physical and online abuse, and general distrust. High-profile editors are walking away from their jobs, citing exhaustion. Few have the time or reserves to invest in reporters' training and growth.

A generation of newsroom decimation has made it harder for journalists to study a particular subject and learn from experts or peers on the beat. But this is precisely the moment when the public needs nuanced, indepth and accurate reporting.

Against this challenging backdrop, the National Press Foundation remains committed to promoting journalistic excellence, which we pledge to do with increased agility. Leading journalists credit NPF fellowships and awards as pivotal to their careers, setting them on paths of success and better informing audiences across the country and around the world.



Our Mission



The National Press Foundation's mission is to make good journalists better.

Since 1976, NPF has educated journalists on the complex issues of the day. In the next three years, we will pursue this mission with two guiding factors:

2023-2027 Vision

Providing journalism training that is:

Broadly accessible

In the journalism training landscape, NPF stands apart by uniquely providing free, on-the-record training to journalists in the U.S. and abroad. It is how we live up to our values of transparency and accessibility. A journalist's or newsroom's financial situation will never be a barrier to getting an NPF education. Because we secure agreement from speakers in advance to record their briefings and NPF is in no way tuitionreliant, we can provide this content to other journalists and the public at large. From the expertise presented at a program, NPF produces a rich trove of content or "story kits" from each session, including key takeaways and pull quotes, videos, interactive transcripts, photos, speaker slides and bios, and additional resources. This creates a digital curriculum that extends the influence of every training beyond that of the fellowship cohort. Moving forward, NPF would like to further transform our training archives into MOOCs (massive open online courses) to become the "MasterClass" of journalism training - without the subscription fee.

Directly applicable

Because NPF training focuses on specific beats, from statehouse reporting to international trade to caregiving coverage, we provide for many fellows their first opportunity to brainstorm, debate and collaborate with other journalists on the same beat. In a few short days, the fellows form strong bonds, which we cultivate through various methods, including mentorships and curated WhatsApp groups, some of which remain active for years. Diving deep on specific topics, such as rare diseases, or specific skills, such data journalism, gives NPF journalism fellows tactics, lessons and story ideas they can employ immediately upon returning to their newsrooms.

Adapting to Newsroom Needs

NPF has decades' worth of detailed feedback from journalists about what works for them and what doesn't, which has helped NPF to design the intimate, impactful and engaging fellowships we offer today. NPF has been described as the "gold standard in journalism training" and our fellowships have been called "career-defining."

We select ambitious, multi-talented journalists representing diversity of all types (race, gender, age, sexual orientation, news medium, audience, location, experience level). The staff works deliberately to serve journalists of color and journalists from local and nonprofit news outlets. With those important demographics comprising the majority of our trainees, NPF is well positioned to train local journalists at a time when an influx of media funders are heavily focused on local news as a necessity of democracy. NPF staff, with roughly 100 years of combined newsroom experience, also heavily weigh journalists' application essays to determine who will benefit from the learning environment and go on to produce strong, relevant work. Our experience in blending fellowship cohorts has led to high participation rates, incisive questions, and mutuality in learning.

We have heard again and again how important and inspiring NPF workshops are, and the proof is in the stories the journalists produce afterward. Many journalists use the speakers and tools NPF introduces in future reporting.

We know what works – what's next is to help more journalists who need it. To achieve this, NPF will continue to invest in our online offerings through increased and improved multimedia efforts.

What's Next?

NPF already punches above its weight, and it has huge potential to go further. The National Press Foundation's three-year strategy aims to expand how we help journalists and boost awareness of the important work we all do.

Our goal is to utilize our expanded capacity by repackaging NPF's existing (and future) media assets into new curricula.

NPF will develop content and curricula around four cornerstones: democracy, diversity, health and climate. These four topics represent areas in which NPF has earned the trust of journalists and sponsors alike through established training fellowships such as the Paul Miller, Widening the Pipeline, Rare Disease Coverage and Biomass and Climate Change programs. Education on these issues will remain urgently needed for years, increasing the likelihood that we'll have strong applicants, productive fellows and happy funders. As more newsrooms dedicate staff to these beats, NPF should be a top-of-mind resource.

While our primary funding is the generous sponsorship of philanthropic foundations and other organizations, we have renewed efforts to reach individual donors. In 2023, the NPF Board of Directors created an alumni outreach group to engage previous fellows, not only for financial support but mutually beneficial networking.

Every time "our" journalists list NPF fellowships on their bios and social media profiles, alert their fellows to a new job in their newsrooms or share with us when they get promoted, the NPF staff beams. That is what success looks like for the National Press Foundation.



2023 NPF TRAININGS

All year Washington, D.C. Paul Miller Washington Reporting Fellowship

Jan.-March Washington/Online Widening the Pipeline Fellowship

Jan. 12-14 San Diego Crime Coverage Summit

Jan. 22-25 McAllen, Texas Future of the American Child

May 7-10 Cleveland Future of the American Child

June 14 Online Generative Al's Impact on Law

July 23-26 Singapore International Trade Reporting

Sept. 12 Online Is Your Covid Shot Covered?

Sept. 18-21 Madison Statehouse Reporting Fellowship

Oct. 1-4 Washington, D.C. AARP Covering Long-Time Care Fellowship

Nov. 13-17 Online Covering Rare Diseases Fellowship



Future of the American Child Fellows visiting the Rio Grande Valley Humanitarian Respite Center in McAllen, TX.



International Trade Fellows visiting the Singapore Sustainability Gallery.

What Journalists Say

"This was a phenomenal training that I have not stopped talking about since returning from it. (I was even sending my editors stream-of-consciousness notes from the flight back!)"

Jenifer Gerson, The 19th
The Future of the American Child Fellowship

"These last three days have left me more inspired, empathetic and empowered. Coming here is this shared realization that all [newsrooms] face challenges and that we could all do better."

Estelle Parsley, WRDW Crime Coverage Summit

"The program was an incredible experience. I had the opportunity to network with talented journalists from all over Asia and their insights were invaluable. The speakers were all experts in their field, and the field trips were well-chosen. I learned so much from this program."

Komeil Soheili, Yooran Film International Trade Reporting Fellowship "This was a great experience, and I can already tell how much this will deepen my reporting and help me prepare for the upcoming election. I also found so much of this program very inspiring and validating. It reminded me why I wanted to become a journalist in the first place."

Lynn La, CalMatters Statehouse Reporting Fellowship

"I appreciated the down-to-earth, realistic, and pragmatic perspectives presented by all the scientific experts. Their discussions went beyond pure science, delving into the tangible impact ... on the community."

Siaw ChanChong, Malay Mail Online Covering Rare Diseases Fellowship

"As we got more into the fellowship, I realized long-term care is everyone's issue ... I'm really excited to bring this information back and package it in an accessible way for the communities I write for."

Ande Richards, NJ Advance Media America's Long-Term Care Crisis Fellowship

SCENES FROM NPF TRAININGS



Georgia elections official Gabriel Sterling and Wisconsin Elections Administrator Meagan Wolfe tell Statehouse Fellows that they're still swamped with 2020 false fraud claims.



Former FBI Director James Comey told Paul Miller fellows that he's still "optimistic about America."



Future of the American Child Fellows in Cleveland, Ohio.



Long-Term Care Crisis Fellow Clavel Rangel of El Tiempo during a Q&A.



Where Our 2023 Fellows Report

In 2023, the National Press Foundation trained journalists working in communities all over the world.



84

32

U.S. Cities

Countries

2023 Widening the Pipeline Fellows



Hiba Ahmad



Sarah AL-Arshani Insider Inc.



Iariel Arvin Vox Media



Janhvi Bhojwani **NBC News**



PrincessSafiva Byers Milwaukee Neighborhood



Robertson NJ Advance Media



Rafael Carranza The Arizona Republic



Mina Corpuz The Clarion-Ledger



Laura Duclos MediaWise



Amanda Gokee **Boston Globe**



Raisa Habersham Savannah Morning News.com



Alexi Horowitz-Ghazi NPR/Planet Money



Acacia James WTOP News



Brittany Johnson KCRA 3 News



Torrance Latham Miami Herald



Belle Lin **Business Insider**



Brian Lopez The Texas Tribune



Diba Mohtasham



Loranzo Austin-American Statesman



Krystal Nurse Lansing State Journal



USA Today



Mabinty Quarshie Sabrina Sanchez ABC10/KCTV



Gabrielle Settles **PolitiFact**



Jeniffer Solis **Nevada Current**



The Columbus Dispact



American journalism is experiencing a severe and systemic diversity crisis, one that was foretold yet long ignored. There are simply not enough reporters and editors of color to inform, engage and accurately and fairly reflect our society.

Many newsrooms have tackled urgent social issues with majority white staffs some more successfully than others. The National Press Foundation is addressing this problem through all-expenses-paid training and monthly virtual webinars to support journalists of color staying in – and leading – the newsrooms of tomorrow.

The first cohort of the Widening the Pipeline Fellowship launched in-person in D.C. March 2022 and completed in March 2023. The fellows said that the program sessions gave them a new take on their career paths and provided them with tools to reset and plan for new opportunities. During the year, seven of the fellows landed new jobs, and others said the advice from their program-assigned mentors helped them navigate career challenges or negotiate pay raises.

2023 Paul Miller Washington Fellows



Mariana Alfaro The Washington Post



Savannah **Behrmann National Journal**



Gillian Brassil The Sacramento Bee



Andrea Castillo The Los Angeles Times



Joseph Choi The Hill



Matthew Choi The Texas Tribune



Cristina Coruio **CBS News**



Hannah Fingerhut Kirstin Garriss The Associated **Press**



Cox Media Group



Jenae Green C-SPAN



Christian Hall Bloomberg News



Arthur Jones II **ABC News**



James Levison **Fox News**



Naomi Lim Washington Examiner



Hugo Lowell The Guardian



Bryan Metzger Insider



Eleanor Mueller Politico



Mini Racker TIME



Riley Rogerson Anchorage Daily News



Jackie Wang CQ Roll Call



For more than 30 years, the Paul Miller Washington Reporting Fellowship has introduced rising Washington reporters to the city they have been assigned to cover. The fellowship gives print, online and broadcast journalists from top news organizations an intensive and lively overview of reporting in the capital.

The fellows met once a month to learn more about the Pentagon, the Supreme Court, the Capitol and other key Washington institutions. They reviewed politics and policy with regulators, lawmakers, experts and the best reporters in the business. And they networked with colleagues who help them grow personally and professionally.

Future of the American Child - McAllen

Hibah Ansari | Sahan Journal
Anna Bauman | Houston Chronicle
Chandra Bozelko | The National Memo
Adam Echelman | Modesto Bee
Maria Gardner Lara | WNIJ News/ WNIJ Hola
Henry Gass | The Christian Science Monitor
Cayla Harris | San Antonio Express-News and Houston Chronicle
Krista Johnson | The Courier Journal
Madison Lammert | The Post-Crescent
Rory Linnane | Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
Meghan Mangrum | The Dallas Morning News
Eliza Relman | Insider Inc.
Kaela Roeder | Street Sense Media
Catherine Shoichet | CNN
Aziah Siid | Word in Black

Future of the American Child - Cleveland

Madi Alexander | Politico
Jennifer Brookland | Detroit Free Press

Princesssafiya Byers | Milwaukee Neighborhood News Service
Eli Cahan | Capital and Main
Erin Chan Ding | Youth Today
Jen Christensen | CNN
Rachel Cohen | Vox
Jennifer Gerson | The 19th
Jackie Hendry | South Dakota Public Broadcasting
Piper Hutchinson | Louisiana Illuminator
Evan Moore | The Charlotte Observer
Bonnie Petrie | Texas Public Radio
Mary Pflum | NBC News
Rania Soetirto | NBC News
Anna Spoerre | The Kansas City Star

NPF Fellows (cont.)

International Trade Fellowship

Manash Pratim Bhuyan | Press Trust of India Selina Cheng | Wall Street Journal Anton L. Delgado | Southeast Asia Globe Hannah Fernandez | Eco-Business Matt Haldane | South China Morning Post Shagun Kapil | Down To Earth Shumaila Khan | BBC News Lin Kuang | 2CK Media Ramesh Kumar | Himal Khabar / Himalmedia Pvt. Ltd. Sushanta Kumar Singha | Ekattor Television Wen-Yee Lee | Business Weekly Magazine You Li | The New York Times Liza Lin | Wall Street Journal Dylan Loh | Nikkei Asia Anggi M. Lubis | The Conversation Pradipta Mukherjee | Forkast News Monira Begum Munni | The Financial Express Xiaoyan Qian | China Business News Andrea E. San Juan | BusinessMirror Komeil Soheili | Yooran Film Jamille Tran | The Business Times Izhar Ullah | The Independent Urdu Hanh Vu | Tuoi Tre Newspaper Chia-Peck Wong | Channel NewsAsia

Statehouse Reporting Fellowship

Trisha Ahmed | The Associated Press Haley BeMiller | USA Today Network Ohio Bureau Randy Billings | Portland Press Herald - Maine Sunday Telegram Lonyae Coulter | The Kansas City Defender Alex Degman | Chicago Public Media / WBEZ Ben Giles | KIZZ 91.5FM Samantha Gross | The Boston Globe Monica Harkins | WDRB | Kentucky Clara Hendrickson | The Detroit Free Press Raga Justin | Albany Times Union Jack Kelly | Wisconsin Watch Jahd Khalil | VPM News Lynn La | CalMatters Sanya Mansoor | TIME Magazine Sarah Mearhoff | VTDigger William Melhado | The Texas Tribune Blair Miller | Daily Montanan (States Newsroom) Maggie Mullen | WyoFile Sophie Nieto-Munoz | New Jersey Monitor (States Newsroom) Maya Prabhu | The Atlanta Journal-Constitution Ryan Suppe | Idaho Statesman Dawn Vaughan | The News & Observer JC Whittington | Politico Hannah Wiley | The Los Angeles Times

Randy Yohe | West Virginia Public Broadcasting

Long-Term Care Crisis Fellowship

Clara Bates | The Missouri Independent Marquita Brown | Freelance Ambar Castillo | Epicenter-NYC Heidi de Marco | Freelance Whitney Downard | Indiana Capital Chronicle Kate Giammarise | 90.5 WESA, Pittsburgh's NPR News Station Jessie Hellmann | CQ Roll Call Liz Howard | WEAA Thomas Hughes | Bay City News Nina Keck | Vermont Public Alex Lo | NBC News Sara Luterman | The 19th* Naydeline Mejia | Women's Health Clavel Rangel | El Tiempo Latino Ande Richards | NJ Advance Media Kathy Ritchie | KJZZ News Emily Schabacker | The Billings Gazette Matt Sedensky | The Associated Press

Covering Rare Diseases Fellowship

Swarup Acharya | Kantipur Daily Taiwo Adebulu | TheCable Jazmín Bazán | elDiarioAR Manuela Callari | Cosmos Magazine Rupsa Chakraborty | The Indian Express Crystal Chow | The Xylom Namaloba Olivia Elunya | Uganda Broadcasting Corporation Valeria Guzmán | Alharaca Ahm Abdul Hai | Our Voice Online Meghan Holohan | Today Oleksandra Horchynska | New Voice Sarah Jones | New York Magazine Pascalinah Kabi | Uncensored News Saadega Khan | Deutsche Welle Urdu Service Eskedar Kifle Lamma | Zare Journal Mohamed Mansour | Nature Julia Métraux | Mother Jones Thomas Mwiraria Murithi | Talk Africa Jean de Dieu Ndikumasabo | Burundi News Agency Buu Nguyen | Dan Viet Camila Saccomori | Freelance Chong Siaw Chan | Malay Mail Online Nadima Umar Uthman | GHOne TV Karen Weintraub | USA Today Faisul Yaseen | Greater Kashmir

Metrics & Analytics

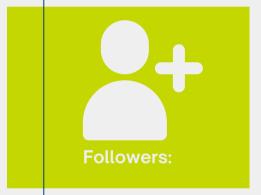
YouTube Views † 32%

Newsletter Open † 07%

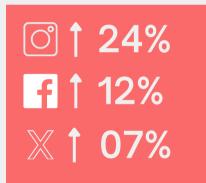
Rate











NPF successfully increased both follower and engagement counts across all social media platforms in 2023. A revamped social strategy prioritizing LinkedIn yielded a 222% year-over-year boost in followers.

INTENSIVE TRAINING

800+ Journalists received in-depth training in the last 5 years training in the last 5 years

56% Journalists trained in 2023 work in local news

133 of 266 Journalists trained in 202 were journalists of color

Journalists trained in 2023



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Crisis and Bereavement

2023 Speakers

Sharon Kayne, New Mexico Voices for Kids Grady Wilburn, NCES Christina Quaranta, Connecticut Justice Alliance Michelle Castillo, Children's Defense Fund Texas Cindy Ji, Children's Defense Fund Texas Manny García, Austin American-Statesman Ruth Rosenthal, Pew Charitable Trusts Dalia Castillo-Granados, ABA Alan Dettlaff, University of Houston Aashish Dhammani, Georgetown University Aimee Korolev, ABA Nirmita Panchal, Kaiser Family Foundation Valerie Jackson, Monarch Children's Services Sr. Norma Pimentel, Catholic Charities Monica Romo, Girasol Program David Schonfeld, National Center for School

Dr. Roy Kim, Cleveland Clinic Thomas Dee, Stanford University Dr. Roopa Thakur, Cleveland Clinic Fred Wulczyn, University of Chicago Rebecca Jones Gaston, HHS Sixto Cancel, Think of Us Leeanne Cornyn, Ohio Governor Mike DeWine Dr. Amy Edwards, University Hospitals Dr. David Miller, University Hospitals Dr. Edward Barksdale, University Hospitals Andrew DeMillo, The Associated Press Jennifer Sherer, Economic Policy Institute Mark Puente, The Marshall Project Rachel Dissell, The Marshall Project Domingo Morel, New York University Morgan Taggart, FARE Dr. Lolita McDavid, UH Cleveland Medical Jordan Javier, UH Rainbow Center



Thank You to Our Speakers

2023 Speakers, Cont.

Cheryl Ingraham, CRS

Serena Liebengood, Capitol Police advocate

Carissa Pastuch, Library of Congress

Jim Comey, FBI/Justice Department

Ben Pershing, Wall Street Journal

Christian Paz. Vox

Seung Min Kim, Associated Press

Matthew Brown, Washington Post

Steve Scully, Bipartisan Policy Center

Katie Mettler, Washington Post

Fatima Hussein, Associated Press

Ashley Murray, States Newsroom

Jen Easterly, CISA

Leigh Ann Caldwell, Washington Post Live

Brad Heath. Reuters

Tammy Haddad, Haddad Media

Steve Ellis, Taxpayers for Common Sense

Liz Avore, Voting Rights Lab

Lalee Ibssa, ABC News

Sonia Rao, The Washington Post

Andrew Bates, White House

Sheila Krumholz, OpenSecrets

Aaron Baird, Protect Democracy

Kristy Parker, Protect Democracy

Peter Baker, The New York Times

Jim Risen, The Intercept

David Weigel, Semafor

Eric Lichtblau, Former NY Times, LA Times

Ashley Saunders, Supreme Court

Heather Dahl, Indicio.tech

Jesselyn Radack, Whistle Blower Source Protection Amitendu Palit, Institute of South Asian

Program

Gretchen Schmelzer, Teleos Leadership Institute

Harry Dunn, Formerly US Capitol Police

Kevin Goldberg, Freedom Forum

Tom Vanden Brook, USA Today

Davar Ardalan, National Geographic

Jemele Hill, The Atlantic

Christopher Chávez, University of Oregon

Alex Mahadevan, Poynter

Sudeep Reddy, Politico

Jamila Robinson, Philadelphia Inquirer

Mizell Stewart III, Emerging Leaders

Michael Bolden, American Press Institute

Phoebe Gavin, Better with Phoebe

Emma Carew Grovum, The Marshall Project

Yvette Cabrera, Center for Public Integrity

JC Whittington, Politico

Stacy-Marie Ishmael, Bloomberg

Wesley Lowery, Author and Journalist

Chuin Wei Yap, Hinrich Foundation

Stephen Olson, Hinrich Foundation

Bilahari Kausikan, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

of Singapore

Rebecca Fatima Sta Maria, APEC

Secretariat

Carlos Kuriyama, APEC Secretariat

Aurel Moise, Centre for Climate Research

Syed Mubarak, ASHRAE Singapore Chapter

Cesar Jung-Harada, Singapore Institute of

Technology

Tuang Liang Lim, Ministry of Sustainability

and the Environment, Singapore

Jason Grant Allen, Singapore Management

University

Annie White, Harvard Growth Lab

Tim Cheston, Harvard Growth Lab

Shin Yen Chong, Global PSA

James Crabtree, Lee Kuan Yew School of

Public Policy

Studies

Jing Wu, Chinese University of Hong Kong

Sanjana Goswami, National University

Singapore

Denis Hew, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public

Policy

Su-Lin Tan, South China Morning Post

Wahyu Dhyatmika, Info Media Digital

Deborah Elms, Asian Trade Centre

2023 Speakers, Cont.

Greg Borowski, Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
Josh Kaul, State of Wisconsin
Michael Wagner, University Wisconsin-Madison
Alejandro Verdin, Wisconsin Supreme Court
Felesia Martin, Wisconsin Democratic Party
Meagan Wolfe, State of Wisconsin
Gabriel Sterling, Georgia Secretary of State
Derek Mosley, Marquette University
Charlene Malueg, Wisconsin Executive Residence
Wendy Underhill, NCSL

Anne Sappenfield, Wisconsin Legislative Council Wendy Strout, Human Rights Campaign Melinda Brennan, ACLU Wisconsin

Jessica Katzenmeyer, State Assembly District and State Senate District, Wisconsin

Michael Li, Brennan Center/NYU
Jeff Mandell, Law Forward

Melissa Maynard, Pew Charitable Trusts

Liz Farmer, Pew Charitable Trusts Patrick Marley, Washington Post

Molly Beck, Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Emilee Fannon, CBS Channel 58/Wisconsin

Megan O'Matz, ProPublica

Ricardo Pimentel, Milwaukee Neighborhood News Service

Kathleen Culver, Center for Journalism Ethics

Sandeep Jauhar, Long Island Jewish Hospital Susan Reinhard, AARP Debra Whitman, AARP

Hemi Tewarson, National Academy for State Health Policy

Jason Resendez, National Alliance for Caregiving

Nancy LeaMond, AARP

Ai-jen Poo, National Domestic Workers Alliance

Clare Ansberry, Wall Street Journal

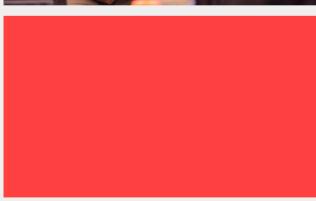
Debbie Witchey, Healthcare Leadership Council

Richard Lui, MSNBC/NBC

Rita Choula, AARP

Joon Bang, Iona Senior Services
Karyne Jones, National Caucus and Center
on Black Aging
Kitty Eisele, NPR
Lauren Miller Rogen, Hilarity for Charity
James Keach, Actor and Filmmaker
Nermin Selimic, RAZ Mobility
Anthony Nunez, INF Care
Robert Felgar, RAZ Mobility
Michelle Singletary, The Washington Post
Sarita Mohanty, The SCAN Foundation





2023 Speakers, Cont.

Eric Sid, NIH NCATS James Levine, Fondation Ipsen Karin Hoelzer, NORD Victoria Gray, CRISPr recipient Portia Gabor, TV 3, Accra, Ghana Stefano Rivella, The Penn Institute Fyodor Urnov, University of California Berkely Charlotte Rodwell, Orphanet Debbie Drell, NORD Linda Goler Blount, Black Women's Health Imperative Anna Greka, Broad Institute of MIT and Harvard Sarita Edwards, E.WE Foundation Sika Dunyoh, Travere Therapeutics Bina Venkataraman, Washington Post Chris Espersen, Iowa Civil & Human Rights Commission **Christopher Porter, Travere Pharmaceuticals** Edward Neilan, NORD Jineta Banerjee, Sage Bionetworks Andrea Thoumi, Duke University Sandra E. Yankah, Duke-Margolis Center for Health Policy Trevan Locke, Duke-Margolis Center for Health Policy Lisa Sarfaty, NORD

Thank you to our expert speakers!

Lindsey Smith, Osmosis from Elsevier

Peter Marks, FDA



2023 ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS

Dinner (reported in 2023, awarded in 2024)

Clifford K. & James T. Berryman Award for Editorial Cartoons
Jen Sorensen | Freelance

The Feddie Reporting Award
Hannah Dreier | The New York Times

Hinrich Foundation Award for Distinguished Reporting on Trade Bloomberg News

Innovative Storytelling Award
The Washington Post

Sol Taishoff Award for Excellence in Broadcast Journalism Al Roker | NBC's TODAY

AARP Award for Excellence in Journalism on Aging
Tara Bahrampour | The Washington Post
Dave Altimari and Jenna Carlesso | The Connecticut Mirror

Everett McKinley Dirksen Award for Distinguished Reporting of Congress The Los Angeles Times

W. M. Kiplinger Distinguished Contributions to Journalism Dorothy Butler Gilliam

Chairman's Citation Award
Evan Gershkovich The Wall Street Journal

Benjamin C. Bradlee Editor of the Year Award Monica Richardson | McClatchy





2023 ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS

Awarded in 2023

Carolyn C. Mattingly Award for Mental Health Reporting Stephanie Foo | Invisibilia, NPR

Stokes Award for Best Environmental Reporting
Eli Cahan | Capital & Main
Gavin Off, Adam Wagner, Ames Alexander | The Charlotte Observer and The Raleigh
News & Observer

Kozik Environmental Justice Reporting Grants
Will Atwater | North Carolina Health News
Kira Kay | Bureau for International Reporting
Lisa Sorg | NC Policy Watch
Ottavia Spaggiari | Freelance
Adam Wagner | The Raleigh News & Observer





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Journalism
Excellence



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AKCG

The Aluminum Association American Beverage Association

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Beer Institute/National Beer Wholesalers Association

Bloomberg

BP

Brunswick

Business Roundtable

-SPAN

CGCN Group

Consumer Technology Association

CQ Roll Call

Christian Science Monitor

CropLife America

Edison Electric Institute

Emergent

Entergy

Freedom Forum

Gannett / USA Today Network

General Motors

Grid News

H/Advisors Abernathy

Hill + Knowlton Strategies

Hinrich Foundation

Honda

Kiplinger Family Foundation

Knight Foundation

Lenovo

Lumina

Marshfield Associates

Mo News

Motion Picture Association

National Association of Broadcasters

The New York Times

Next Solutions Group

Nikkei Asia

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Politico

Powell Tate

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ROKK Solutions

Southern Company

Stand Together

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