

2026 Student Keystone Media Award Winners - DII
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Division	Award	Category Name	College or University	Credits	Entry Title
II	First Place	General News	Grove City College - The Collegian	Matthew Purucker	'Swatting' call prompts lockdown
II	Second Place	General News	Slippery Rock University - The Rocket	Madi Greene	Student groups hope to reach mutual understanding following controversial campus event
II	Honorable Mention	General News	Bryn Mawr and Haverford - Bi-College News	Hannah Epstein & Jessica Schott-Rosenfield	Bryn Mawr's New Protest Guidelines Cause Unease Among Faculty and Students
II	First Place	Ongoing News Coverage	Allegheny College - The Campus	Anna Westbrook, Anton Hodge, Joseph Klepeis & Ben Stavnezer	ASG hears bids for recognition...; ASG recognizes two clubs...; Turning Point USA hosts...; 'Trans Joy Jamboree'...; Allegheny Turning Point USA vice president...; College to adopt External Speakers...
II	Second Place	Ongoing News Coverage	Lafayette College - The Lafayette	Isabella Gaglione, Elisabeth Seidel, Andreas Pelekis & Selma O'Malley	No-confidence vote coverage
II	Honorable Mention	Ongoing News Coverage	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Grace O'Meara	Coverage of the impacts of St. Joe's two mergers
II	First Place	Public Service/Enterprise Package	Lafayette College - The Lafayette	Elisabeth Seidel	Lafayette College posts thousands of photos to Flickr. Strangers use them as porn
II	Second Place	Public Service/Enterprise Package	Bryn Mawr and Haverford - Bi-College News	Rana Rastegari & Hannah Epstein	Private Investigators, Confidential Meetings, and a 'Betrayal of Trust': Inside Bryn Mawr's Probe Into Pro-Palestinian Protests
II	Honorable Mention	Public Service/Enterprise Package	Bloomsburg University - The Voice	Alexandria Rose	Commonwealth University: One of the most financially unstable PASSHE schools
II	First Place	Feature Story	Lafayette College - The Lafayette	Elisabeth Seidel	A feast to climb for: 11 years of Lafayette Outdoors Society's 'LOStgiving'

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II	Second Place	Feature Story	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Hannah Pajtis	Students provide critical wound care at 'the epicenter of the opioid crisis'
II	Honorable Mention	Feature Story	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Charlie Roller & Owen Klessel	Moo-ving Into A-Day: Behind the Scenes at the Dairy Center
II	First Place	Personality Profile	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Andrea Palladino	Philosophy professor Gordon Bearn finds beauty in play before retirement
II	Second Place	Personality Profile	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Cara Santilli	Cooking up 'the magic of love'
II	Honorable Mention	Personality Profile	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Clare Yeatman	A 3,000 mile journey to St. Joe's
II	First Place	Sports Story	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Mia Messina	There were glass ceilings everywhere
II	Second Place	Sports Story	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Lauren Reffue	Faith, family, football: Jadin Nelson upholds key values
II	Honorable Mention	Sports Story	Point Park - The Globe	Makenna Smith	Hard work and perseverance: Sterre Kuijper thrives as dual-sport athlete
II	First Place	Editorial	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Katie Lynn Miller	Unsigned, Lehigh's silence speaks volumes; Wanted, a hiring process that actually works; American hellscape, technocrat heaven
II	Second Place	Editorial	Bloomsburg University - The Voice	Novalea Verno	Pizza, Power, and the President: Inside the Night the Newsroom Was Interrupted
II	Honorable Mention	Editorial	Allegheny College - The Campus	Anna Westbrook, Ben Stavnezer, Aubryanna Snyder & Milo Watson	Letter-from-the-editors: Why The Campus signed an amicus brief in Stanford Daily v. Rubio
II	First Place	Column	Bloomsburg University - The Voice	Alexandria Rose	The Inner Voice
II	Second Place	Column	Haverford College	Jackson Juzang	Haverford Without Its Steady Hands: What Comes After Wendy Raymond & John McKnight; Why is Stephen A. Smith Getting Into Politics?

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II	First Place	Review	Lafayette College - The Lafayette	Selma O'Malley	I survived a day at Lehigh
II	Second Place	Review	Lafayette College - The Lafayette	Isabella Gaglione & Elisabeth Seidel	A hearty Valentine's meal with Lafayette Dining
II	Honorable Mention	Review	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Sailor Anderson, Aubrey Ennis, Owen Klessel, Charlie Roller, Ryan Rawls & Travis Loewe	Students reflect multiple perspectives capturing video of Doylestown's Mercer Museum
II	First Place	Cartoon/Graphic Illustration	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Stephanie Savela & Cara Halligan	Tracing the history of women at St. Joe's
II	Second Place	Cartoon/Graphic Illustration	Saint Joseph's University - The Hawk	Luke Sanelli	Spot the difference, Government shutdown, Trump comes in like a wrecking ball
II	Honorable Mention	Cartoon/Graphic Illustration	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Andrew Snowden	Online Gambling: The Hidden Risks for Young Adults
II	First Place	Sports Photo	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Travis Loewe	Rain & Shine, Bucks County Classic returns to the streets of Doylestown
II	Second Place	Sports Photo	Point Park - The Globe	Chris Denver	Home opener results in a draw for women's soccer
II	First Place	Feature Photo	Grove City College - The Collegian	Mara Brak	Homecoming parade 2025
II	Second Place	Feature Photo	Eastern University - The Waltonian	Jason Karch	Move-In Day
II	Honorable Mention	Feature Photo	Point Park - The Globe	Thomas Speranza	Monte Carlo begins welcome week
II	First Place	News Photo	Point Park - The Globe	Thomas Speranza	'No Kings' demonstrations bring thousands to Downtown, North Side
II	Second Place	News Photo	Bloomsburg University - The Voice	Eric Wood	Downtown May Day Protest Reaches Over 200 Protestors
II	Honorable Mention	News Photo	Seton Hill University - Setonian	Elisabeth Gallagher	Turkey Vulture Joins Soccer Practice

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II	Second Place	Photo Story	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Griffin Sawyer & Sara Eleissawy	Lehigh secures Patriot League title against Lafayette at 161st Rivalry Game
II	Honorable Mention	Photo Story	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Griffin Sawyer	FUSION brings culture, dance to Baker Hall
II	First Place	Layout and Design	Seton Hill University - Setonian	Evelyn Swanson	Equestrian Team Reflects on Fall Season
II	Second Place	Layout and Design	Messiah University - The Swinging Bridge	The Swinging Bridge Staff & Mia Roca	Baila
II	Honorable Mention	Layout and Design	Point Park - The Globe	Staff	The Globe, Issue 14 Dec. 3, 2025
II	First Place	Website	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Nina Weiland, Owen Klessel, Charlie Roller, Aubrey Ennis & Hannah Hoffman	https://full360delval.blog/
II	Second Place	Website	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Brown and White Staff	https://thebrownandwhite.com/
II	Honorable Mention	Website	Slippery Rock University - The Rocket	Rocket Staff	http://www.theonlinerocket.com
II	First Place	Video Story	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Owen Klessel	An Interview with the Bug Man
II	Second Place	Video Story	Point Park University	Robert Fortunato	Gymsport
II	Honorable Mention	Video Story	Lebanon Valley College - La Vie Collegienne	Lily Gleeson & Chris Timasonravichkit	Process and Production Studio
II	First Place	Podcast	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Nina Weiland, Rebecca Worthington, Hailey Cylinder, Jake DiBlasio, Aubrey Ennis, Andrew Snowden & Rich Bagala	Tea Talks: AI, Online Gambling & More
II	First Place	Excellence in Reporting on Diversity- Equity and Inclusion	Lehigh University - The Brown & White	Brown and White Staff	Covering diversity at Lehigh University and in the surrounding community

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II	Honorable Mention	Excellence in Reporting on Diversity- Equity and Inclusion	Eastern University - The Waltonian	Josh Steen	Josh Steen's Coverage of Eastern Embracing Diversity, Equity, and Belonging
II	First Place	Best Newscast (Broadcast)	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Owen Klessel, Charlie Roller, Jake DiBlasio, Lauren Caruvana, Nina Weiland & Hannah Citron	Full360 Newscast Delivers Student-Lead News, Entertainment
II	Second Place	Best Newscast (Broadcast)	Messiah University - Yellow Breeches Television	Yellow Breeches TV Staff & Dani Johnson	Presidential Townhall
II	First Place	Best Feature (Broadcast)	Elizabethtown College (broadcast)	Sal Salomone	No Kings Protest
II	Second Place	Best Feature (Broadcast)	Messiah University - Yellow Breeches Television	Yellow Breeches TV Staff, Connor Zody & Dani Johnson	Sustain-a-fest
II	Honorable Mention	Best Feature (Broadcast)	Elizabethtown College (broadcast)	Matthew Stern	Rail Fans
II	First Place	Best Public Service (Broadcast)	Delaware Valley University - Full 360	Owen Klessel, Charile Roller, Ryan Rawls, Saylor Anderson, Christian Ley & Dante Campana	DelVal Students Spotlight Health Concerns in 'One Health' Public Service Announcements