

Monday Memo April 10, 2017

April 14:	College Awards Ceremony, 3 p.m., Nittany Lion Inn
April 17:	Disrupting Journalism: Athletes, Fans & The Player's Tribune, 7 p.m., Foster Auditorium
April 18:	Student Awards Reception, 5 p.m., Nittany Lion Inn
April 22:	Blue and White Student Film Festival, 7 p.m., State Theatre
April 26:	Joe Selden Retirement Celebration, 4 p.m., Carnegie Lobby
May 6:	Undergraduate Commencement, Noon, Bryce Jordan Center
May 6:	Post-Commencement Reception, 2 p.m., Pegula Ice Arena
May 7:	Graduate Commencement, 6:30 p.m., Bryce Jordan Center
May 11:	Bart Richards Award for Media Criticism, 5:30 p.m., National Press Club
June 1-3:	Keystone Multimedia Workshop

Announcement

Full-time faculty members in the college are invited to apply for summer support of up to \$5,000 in direct costs for research or creative projects. Priority will be given to projects that advance understanding of communication in the context of science (including those related to energy, environment, or health); cybersecurity; or issues of media ethics or literacy. Projects with the promise of external support will also be given priority. The deadline for proposals is April 15.

Faculty & Staff News

Joe Selden was one of a group of Penn State academic administrators, staff and students to receive Way Paver Awards from the Council of College Multicultural Leadership during a ceremony on April 5. The award honors individuals who have demonstrated extraordinary commitment to diversity and the creation of an inclusive community at the university.

Student Achievements

Erin McCarthy won third place and **Garrett Ross** won fourth place in the sports writing competition of the Hearst Journalism Awards.

Alumni

Chris Harley ('09 F/V) was named best new artist at Tongal, a crowdsourced film studio.

Valerie Manns Gliem ('97 Journ) is vice president for marketing and communications at Eckerd College.