



Monday Memo

■ April 17, 2017

April 17:	Disrupting Journalism: Athletes, Fans & <i>The Player's Tribune</i> , 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

"The 100-Yard Reception" will receive the Award for Excellence in Coverage of Youth Sports presented by the **Curley Center for Sports Journalism**. The investigative series, produced by NJ Advance Media, examined the durability of synthetic turf sports fields that play host to thousands of youth sports competitions every year.

Faculty & Staff News

Russell Frank won first place in the non-daily commentary category of the Keystone Society of Professional Journalists Spotlight Contest for his columns written for StateCollege.com.

Krishna Jayakar wrote an opinion piece for the "CityLab" about why broadband internet service should be part of the Trump administration's infrastructure plan.

Student Achievement

Stephanie Orme served on the jury for the Lyn Ward Graphic Novel Prize presented by the Penn State University Libraries.

Alumni

Carolyn Drozynski ('16 Ad/ PR) is a media coordinator at Gatesman+Dave.

Matt Papaycik ('07 Journ) is a producer at WSVN-TV in Miami.