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Will you be joining us in person in October?



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Share your thoughts in our two-minute survey

Members of America's Newspapers are asked to take just two minutes to complete a brief survey asking for their thoughts about meetings, trainings and conferences to be held this year.

We are planning a return to in-person meetings in October and need your input to help us build a conference that is right for you.

AMERICA'S NEWSPAPERS VIRTUAL CONFERENCE
PIVOT 2021
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How to Work in the Rain: Leadership in Times of Change



While the newspaper industry has been changing for a decade, the rate of change accelerated significantly in 2020, with publishers and managers finding new challenges in leading their teams.

This session at the America's Newspapers Spring Virtual Conference will explore the core principles that every leader needs to know to be ready to lead their team in 2021.

Our presenter is **John Streitmatter**, director of The Leadership Research Institute. He specializes in building leader credibility in the midst of turbulent market and organizational dynamics.

He serves as an executive coach, trusted strategic adviser, and facilitator to leaders to enable them to clearly articulate a future vision and strategy, and then engage their followers to achieve it.

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Registration fees are \$99 for members and \$150 for non-members.

Make plans to join us May 11-12.

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Significant discounts are available for newspapers or newspaper groups that register multiple attendees.

Daily Herald executive dies rescuing children

Pete Rosengren, vice president of sales and digital strategies for the Daily Herald Media Group in Arlington Heights, Illinois, died Sunday during a family vacation in Florida after he hurried into the Gulf of Mexico to help his sons and other children being carried out to sea by a rip current.

Plans are underway to create a memorial fund to benefit his children.

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Industry people



Rob Walters named editor of Kingsport Times News

Rob Walters, an award-winning journalist with decades of experience, has been named editor of the Kingsport (Tennessee) Times News. Walters joined the Six Rivers Media family from the Bristol Herald Courier, where he had served as managing editor since 2016.

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Former AP executive joins Stacker where he will lead distribution strategy

Ken Romano has joined Stacker as vice president of distribution, where he will focus on growing publisher adoption of Stacker's newswire through the creation of new products and partnerships.

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Registration opens for Family Owners & Next Generation Leadership Conference

May 13 — following Spring PIVOT

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Family owners have a long history of connecting as a result of the common challenges and opportunities that they face.

Programming at the Family Owners & Next Generation Leadership Conference focuses on the familial issues of running a newspaper, as opposed to industry operational issues. Meeting topics range from management strategies, estates and trusts, community obligations, succession strategies, case studies of specific family operations, etc.

Registration fees are just \$50 for members; \$200 for non-members.

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Industry news



North Carolina publishers back bill that would open state, local government personnel records

Last week's introduction of Senate Bill 355 in North Carolina offers one of the most important transparency bills in the state's recent history, write Paul Mauney and Bill Moss in an editorial published Sunday.

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State Journal-Register redesigns print publication to better showcase its content

The redesigned State Journal-Register in Springfield, Illinois, features a custom font called Unify that was designed for Gannett, based on research to refine the typeface so that it would be easy for everyone to read. The new design also allows for more and larger photos.

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"Although the look of the print edition has changed a bit, our commitment to local journalism — covering Springfield and central Illinois — is unwavering."

Leisa Richardson, executive editor



Daily Telegram buildings in downtown Adrian, Michigan, for sale

Gannett has put the three buildings owned by The Daily Telegram in Adrian, Michigan, up for sale. Whether the Telegram moves to new offices depends on if the buyer of its main building is open to a lease-back agreement.

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Provider owned by WEHCO Media to boost internet service in Arkansas communities

White County Cable TV, which is owned by WEHCO Media, will invest \$14.2 million to deliver broadband service to residents in five north-central Arkansas communities by the end of 2022 — essentially doubling its investment in the area.

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PIVOT 2021 - May 11-12

This intensive two-day leadership conference focuses on critical topics for newspapers in 2021, including what's happening with frequency changes, mobile workforces and subscriber revenue. [LEARN MORE](#)

Family and Independent Owners Conference - May 13

Designed for owners of newspapers operated by both multi-generational families and for those that are independently owned. [LEARN MORE](#)

Annual Meeting / Senior Leadership Conference - Oct. 17-19 **Live and In-Person at The Broadmoor in Colorado Springs**

This meeting will focus on charting the future for newspapers and will provide safe settings for discussions and connections with other senior executives from across the industry. [LEARN MORE](#)

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