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El Camino College Journalism Students Win Three National Awards

El Camino College journalism students recently won three national "Apple Awards" from the College Media Associates annual convention.

The ECC journalism department's student newspaper, the *Union*, won first place in the Best Newspaper, two-year school, more than 7,500 enrollment category. The student magazine, *Warrior Life*, won two awards: first place for Best Magazine Spread two-year school category and third place in the Best Magazine Cover two-year school category.

ECC students competed against about 320 other entries, representing colleges and universities nationwide. The awards represent competition against the best of the best in each category on a national level.

The College Media Association is a professional association that serves collegiate student media programs and their advisers. The convention drew more than 1,500 student journalists for networking, training, and the opportunity to attend sessions on topics such as social media, First Amendment knowledge, and landing a job.

Earlier this academic year, the El Camino College journalism department collected 31 awards at the Journalism Association of Community Colleges Southern California conference.

El Camino College journalism advisers are Kate McLaughlin and Lori Medigovich. For more about the El Camino College journalism program, or to read the *Union* online, go to www.elcamino.edu/academics/humanities/journalism/.