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Sept. 25 - KSPA Fall Conference

Sept. 27 - News and Information Track Meeting

Oct. 3 - 5 - J-School Generations

Nov. 21 - Special lecture "The Kennedy Assassination: The Media and the Moment" 11 a.m., Clarkson Gallery.

### September 23, 2013: Faculty News

**Hyunjin Seo** has been named a Docking Young Faculty Scholar. The Docking Young Faculty Scholar Award was established by former Kansas first lady Meredith Docking to "honor faculty who have distinguished themselves early in their careers at KU."

**Mugur Geana** and the Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation pilot diabetes study was highlighted in the Iowa Tribe of Kansas & Nebraska 2013 Newsletter, 2nd Edition.

**Scott Reinardy's** paper "Depleted Resources Causing Burnout for Layoff Survivors" was published in the Summer 2013 issue of Newspaper Research Journal.

### In Other News:

The Poynter Foundation called the University Daily Kansan last week to discuss how its copy editing processes differ between online and print. The Kansan was one of six college-media outlets Poynter surveyed to find out editing procedures for online stories. Trevor Graff, editor-in-chief of The University Daily Kansan explained the editing process during the telephone interview.

### Join us for J-School Generations - Oct. 3-5

Mark your calendars! The School of Journalism and Mass Communications is hosting the third annual J-School Generations event during Homecoming Week, Oct. 3 - Oct. 5, 2013.

This three-day event includes alumni-led lectures and class visits, a round-robin networking session for students and alumni, and a "Challenge Project," which will provide students the chance to work directly with alumni on a problem-solving project on Oct. 4. A staff,

faculty and alumni reception will take place on Oct. 3, as well as an alumni tailgate event at the Alumni Association's building on the day of the Homecoming football game on Oct. 5.

A full schedule and RSVP information for faculty and alumni can be found on our website.

## Student Opportunities

Alternative Breaks will offer four fall sites in the Midwest and 14 winter sites across the country. Some of the most popular sites include: Teach for America in Chicago, Humane Borders in Tucson, Ariz., and Turpentine Creek Wildlife Refuge in Eureka Springs, Ark. **Fall and Winter Break Applications are due Friday, Sept. 27.** For more information or to apply online, visit [kualternativebreaks.com](http://kualternativebreaks.com).

The Student Lecture Series brings **Jose Antonio Vargas** to campus on Monday, Sept. 23 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in Budig 120. Vargas is a Pulitzer-Prize winning journalist who has written for multiple newspapers and magazines including the San Francisco Chronicle and Rolling Stone. Vargas came out in high school and has been an LGBTQIA advocate through his writing

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