THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12
5-8 p.m., Registration at Holiday Inn Vanderbilt.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13
8 a.m.-9 p.m., registration on 4th floor, Inman Building, on Belmont campus.

Workshops
9-11:30, Hands-on Multimedia Workshop at First Amendment Center, limited to 24 (nine spots remaining as of 2/4/09)

9-10:15 a.m., concurrent workshops on Belmont campus
• Doug Pierce: “Copyright Concerns for the Newsroom”
• Liberadio(!) Mary Mancini and Freddie O’Connell: “Terrestrial Radio Is Alive and Well and Would Be Delighted to Be Living in Paris”
• Dave Delaney: “Poking, Tweeting and Following. Embracing Social Media.”

10:30-11:45 a.m., concurrent workshops on Belmont campus
• Ray Wong: “News by Design”
• Bill Elsen: “In Tough Times, Top Resumes Still Count”
• Tasha French: “Advocacy Journalism”
• Gene Policinski and Ole Miss and Belmont Students: “Debating the Debate”

11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Best of South Awards Luncheon, Maddox Grand Atrium, Belmont University, featuring live music by the Belmont Bluegrass Trio

1:45-5:30 p.m., Onsite competitions, various locations on and around campus

4-7 p.m., Faculty reception, First Amendment Center
• Onsite competition judging, First Amendment Center

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 14

9-11 a.m. Business meeting (student and faculty delegates)

9:30-10:45, concurrent workshops on Belmont campus
• Nate Baker: “The Internet Is/Is Not Bad for Journalism”
• Don Cusic: “Entertainment Writing”
• Matthew Williams: “Photojournalism: Local and Global”

11 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Keynote luncheon, Onsite and Overall Awards, Neely Dining Room
• Keynote speaker Amy Webb is a strategic, digital product and business consultant to online media companies. While she works in a digital world, she’s committed to solid journalism. Webb says, “The medium may change — from newspapers to radio to television to the Internet to mobile and beyond — but the practice of journalism should not.”