



**IUP CHAPTER
SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISTS
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

Wednesday, April 26, 2017, 4 p.m., CHSS 408

Attendance:

Ethan Brogan, president
Cody Minich, treasurer
James “Jamie” Harrington
Snezana Stefanovska Schultz

Sami Graham, note taker
Alexandra Seibert
David Loomis, faculty adviser

Meeting convened at 4:10 p.m.

President’s report:

- Last SPJ meeting for Spring 2017
- Reminder: If members need money to attend workshops and conferences, or if members need assistance with internship expenses, SPJ’s Bill Harder and Jake Williams scholarship funds exist to support such academic and professional development.
- Elections of new officers today
 - o Candidates for 2017-2018 academic year:
 - For President: Cody Minich
 - Minich’s three-minute campaign speech was recorded for posting on the SPJ website.
 - For Vice President: Snezhana Stefanovska Schultz
 - o Each candidate elected unanimously by acclamation.

Loomis presented the Order of the Ceremonial SPJ Fridge Magnet to outgoing President Brogan for his years of service to the organization and to the community through his commitment to quality journalism.

The award was greeted with lusty applause and huzzahs from the membership.

Next meeting: ~ September 6, 2017

Adjourned 4:50 p.m.

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