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Hillsdale College Student Wins National Broadcasting Award

Junior Emily Schutte won first place for Best Newscast in the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System College Media Awards.

HILLSDALE, Mich. — Hillsdale College student Emily Schutte '26 won first place for Best Newscast in the annual Intercollegiate Broadcasting System College Media Awards. Winners were announced on March 8 in New York City.

“I’m proud of Emily and all of our WRFH students for their work,” said Scot Bertram, general manager of WRFH/Radio Free Hillsdale 101.7 FM. “There were thousands of submissions from college stations across the country, and it is exciting to see one of our students accept top honors in a very important category.”

WRFH had finalists in eight categories, and Schutte’s newscast “Emily Schutte News,” won first place for Best Newscast.

WRFH is the student-run radio station of Hillsdale College. Since its founding in 2016, students have created thousands of hours of content and hundreds of episodes of radio shows on topics from sports and politics to poetry and astronomy. Hillsdale students and WRFH have earned eight first-place awards from IBS, 25 from the Michigan Association of Broadcasters, and seven from Collegiate Broadcasters, Inc.

For Schutte’s winning submission, click [here](#). For a full list of IBS Awards Winners, click [here](#). For information about Hillsdale’s other finalists, click [here](#). For information about WRFH, click [here](#).

For photos of Schutte, click [here](#). For photos from WRFH, click [here](#). For photos of Hillsdale College, click [here](#). For a high-resolution copy of the Hillsdale College clocktower logo, click [here](#).

About Hillsdale College

Hillsdale College is an independent, nonsectarian, Christian liberal arts college located in southern Michigan. Founded in 1844, the College has built a national reputation through its classical liberal arts core curriculum and its principled refusal to accept federal or state taxpayer subsidies, even indirectly in the form of student grants or loans. It also conducts an outreach effort promoting civil and religious liberty, including a free monthly speech digest, *Imprimis*, with a circulation of more than 6.7 million. For more information, visit hillsdale.edu.

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