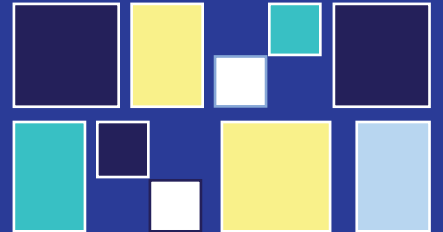
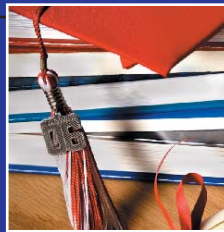


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Winthrop student Nicole Smith spent her 2009 summer interning at the Anderson Independent-Mail. Smith, a senior mass communication major, spent 10 weeks honing her reporting and editing skills with various staff members, including City Editor David Williams. She even made the front page within her first few weeks on the job!

... the Foundation was able to provide two summer internships worth \$6,000 and the Mundy Scholarship valued at \$3,500.

... we can raise the approximately \$23,000 needed to fund scholarships and internships for our deserving students in 2010.

... we can host several more free regional summer workshops for SCPA members. During the summer of 2009, more than 100 newspaper staff members from across the state attended nationally recognized advertising trainer Susan Pryce's advertising coaching events at no charge to members.

... we can help offset the costs of training for newspaper professionals pursuing business educational opportunities like graduate school.

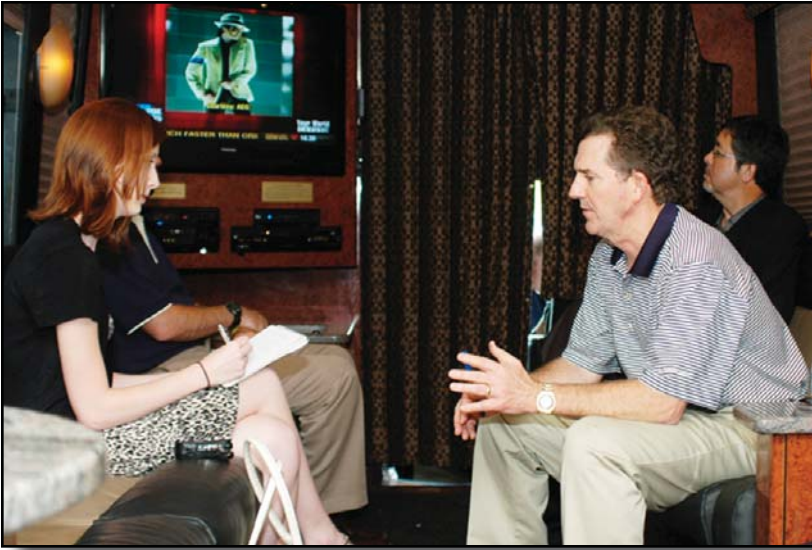
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What your donations mean

“There is still so much life left in newspapers. I feel so much more confident with my skills as a writer and reporter.”

– *Nicole Smith*
2009 Foundation Intern

A Win~Win for students, newspapers



Among 2009 SCPA Intern Tiffany Barkley's reporting assignments was a one-on-one session with Sen. Jim DeMint. Barkley was also among a handful of media to become the first to tour BMW Manufacturing's state of the art, high-tech paint shop – the only one of its kind in the United States.

“Now that I’ve completed this internship, I can handle working under pressure better. I learned how to generate better story ideas, where to find good sources and how to clearly write the story. I’m more confident that a career in journalism is right for me.”

– *Tiffany Barkley*
2009 Foundation Intern

Funding our industry's future

The Foundation's premier scholarship – the Mundy Scholarship – is given in memory of R. Frank Mundy, the late publisher of *The Index-Journal* in Greenwood and the first president of the SCPA Foundation.

The 2009 Mundy Scholar was Nathan Frandino. He will receive a total of \$3,500 during his senior year at the College of Charleston.

“It's a privilege being a journalist. There's something about telling a story that's very self-fulfilling,” Frandino said of a career in newspapers. “I definitely see myself doing this for the rest of my life.”

The Foundation also awards smaller scholarships in the amount of \$500 and \$1,000 to deserving S.C. college students who are interested in pursuing newspaper careers after graduation.



Nathan Frandino
2009 Mundy Scholar
Senior, College of Charleston

As you can see, with your support, the SCPA Foundation can play an important role in improving the future of the newspaper industry in South Carolina. Help support the Foundation's valuable work by sending your tax-deductible contribution today, or indicate on your dues invoice that you would like to deduct your contribution from your statewide classified network payout.

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