



2011 Excellence in Journalism Conference

Legal Defense Fund Auction

Sheraton New Orleans | September 25-27



The Society of Professional Journalists collects and distributes contributions for aiding journalists in defending the freedom of speech and press guaranteed by the First Amendment of the United States Constitution.

Each year at the convention, live and silent auctions are held to benefit the Legal Defense Fund. The primary role of the Legal Defense Fund is to initiate and support litigation that enforces public access to government records and proceedings, which can be the most expensive way to defend the First Amendment. Please join us in our efforts by donating an item to the Legal Defense Fund Auction.

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The deadline for submitting auction items is August 26, 2011.

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Legal Defense Fund Auction
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Questions?

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Please note: Auction items will not be accepted on-site. All items must arrive to SPJ in Indianapolis by August 26, 2011.

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