



ROY HOWARD COMMUNITY JOURNALISM CENTER

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MEDIA MENTORS

Friday, November 14 at 11 a.m.

Stout Hall, Room B

RSVP at rhjcnews.com/mm

SPEAKER DAMIEN RICHARD, KATC

Richard, news director of KATC in Lafayette, Louisiana, has nearly 30 years of experience in local television news. He began his career as an editor and later worked as a cameraman and producer before taking on his current leadership role. He has covered major events including the St. Martin Parish jail hostage crisis, Hurricane Katrina and the Deepwater Horizon oil spill. His work has earned multiple honors from the Louisiana Associated Press as well as national recognition for videography. In addition to his newsroom role, Richard also serves as an NCAA basketball referee.



RICHARD

WHAT IS MEDIA MENTORS?

A learning and development series hosted by the Roy Howard Community Journalism Center at The University of Southern Mississippi, Media Mentors connects students with pros in journalism, broadcasting, public relations and digital media. Each session provides career advice, industry insights and direct Q&A opportunities with media leaders.

ABOUT THE COMMUNITY JOURNALISM CENTER

The Roy Howard Community Journalism Center unites media professionals and students to deliver trustworthy local news and advance media literacy in southeast Mississippi.