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COMMUNICATION HONOR BANQUET APRIL 23

BALTIMORE, MD – Loyola College in Maryland Communication honor students will be recognized at the 2009 Communication Honors Banquet on Thursday, April 23, 2009, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the Fourth Floor Programming Room of the Andrew White Student Center at the college's Charles Street campus.

Family and friends of the honor students are invited to join the full-time Communication faculty and administrators at this buffet-style dinner at a cost of \$25 per ticket, payable by Loyola College Evergreen Card by Wednesday, April 15, 2009, at the Communication Department office in the DiChiaro College Center, room M014C. For more information, call administrative assistant Celia Aldape at 410-617-2528.

Communication interns will be recognized at the banquet. Fourteen students were nominated by their faculty members to receive 2009 Communication Department Writing Awards at the banquet. The officers of the Loyola College Mu Kappa Chapter of the Lambda Pi Eta National Communication Honor Society will induct 61 new members, including 25 Seniors, 30 Juniors, and six Sophomores. In addition, four Seniors will be inducted into the Loyola College chapter of the Alpha Delta Sigma National Advertising Honor Society. In a special ceremony, Professor Andrew Ciofalo will be recognized for 25 years service to the department.

Delivering the honors address will be Bob Marshall, a staff writer and editor for *The Times-Picayune* of New Orleans. His reporting and writing has earned two Pulitzer Prizes, the most prestigious recognition of outstanding U.S. journalism. Marshall is the Communication Department's 2009 Muriel and Clarence J. Caulfield Memorial Lecturer.

Loyola College in Maryland is a Jesuit comprehensive university comprising a College of Arts and Sciences, School of Education, and The Sellinger School of Business and Management. Established in 1852, Loyola enrolls 3,500 undergraduate and 2,600 graduate students from across the country.

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