



## NACKEY S. LOEB SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATIONS

### **Vice President Biden to Appear at Loeb School First Amendment Event**

Vice President Joe Biden will deliver keynote remarks at the Nackey S. Loeb School of Communications First Amendment Award Event on Nov. 10<sup>th</sup>, 2011.

The 9<sup>th</sup> annual event honors the First Amendment and New Hampshire residents who strive to exercise and protect the essential rights of free speech and free press. The Loeb School is a non-profit organization, which has been offering free media and communications classes and low-cost workshops in Manchester for more than a decade.

Vice President Biden's remarks will precede presentation of the Nackey S. Loeb First Amendment award at the Capitol Center for the Arts in Concord.

Past recipients include former state Attorney General Philip McLaughlin, former Keene Sentinel Executive Editor Thomas F. Kearney, The Laconia Citizen, former legislator Daniel Hughes, Dover City Councilor David Scott, Londonderry High School Journalism Advisor Mary Lukas, First Amendment attorney William Chapman and ConVal School Board member Gail Pierson Cromwell.

Nackey S. Loeb, the late president and publisher of the New Hampshire Union Leader, founded the nonprofit school in 1999 to promote understanding and appreciation of the First Amendment and to foster interest, integrity and excellence in journalism and other forms of communication.

More than 5,000 people have participated in school-sponsored events, including free classes and low-cost workshops for students of all ages on topics including the First Amendment, journalism, photography, broadcasting, social media and public speaking.

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