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Ads run free for members & students for six weeks. **Deadline is Wednesday 10:00 a.m.** Numbers in parenthesis indicate weeks ad has run. Email ads to nancy@arkansaspress.org or fax to 501.374.7509.

COPY EDITOR/PAGE DESIGNER

COPY EDITOR/PAGE DESIGNER: Seeking copy editor with page design skills! *The Northwest Arkansas Times*, a 20,000-circulation newspaper in Fayetteville, Ark., has a great group of reporters covering our local community. What we need is a copy editor who loves working their stories, who enjoys making their reporting and writing better, who can encourage their good work and engage them in the process of being better tomorrow than today, and who is self-motivated to help our staff keep the newspaper readable and informative. This copy editor will need Adobe InDesign skills to pitch in as needed with page design work. Speed, accuracy, great news judgment, knowledge of AP Style, libel issues, spelling, punctuation and grammar are critical. The position requires night work. We offer competitive pay, 401(k) and profit-sharing plans, health benefits and a good vacation program as well as an opportunity to work in a great university town with high quality of life in the heart of a growing region. **Applications with work samples and resume may be sent to Greg Harton, executive editor, Northwest Arkansas Times, P.O. Box 1607, Fayetteville, AR 72702 or emailed to editor@nworktimes.com. Applications are available at <http://www.nwanews.com/extras/application>.** (6)

COPY EDITOR/PAGE DESIGNER: The Northwest edition of the *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette* has an opportunity for a copy editor/page designer to join the night news desk. We're looking for an energetic, self-motivated editor with a passion for newspapering and a keen eye for errors of style and substance. Candidates must have experience with InDesign and with Macintosh computers. Candidates with two years' experience preferred, but recent college grads are encouraged to apply. We offer a competitive benefits package, and we are an equal opportunity employer. **Send a cover letter, resume and work samples or a link to your online portfolio to James Gilzow, Senior News Editor, Arkansas Democrat-Gazette, 515 Enterprise Drive, Suite 106, Lowell, AR 72745, or email to jgilzow@arkansasonline.com.** (6)

REPORTER

REPORTER: The *Pine Bluff Commercial* is seeking a reporter to cover the city beat. The ideal candidate must have strong reporting and investigative skills, a good command of the English language and Associated Press style. **If you are interested, call Kersh E. Hall, associate editor, The Commercial, (870) 543.1426, or email khall@pbcommercial.com.** (3)

GENERAL ASSIGNMENT REPORTER

GENERAL ASSIGNMENT REPORTER: The award-winning *Paragould Daily Press*, a 5,100-circulation daily newspaper in Paragould, Ark., is looking for a top-flight general assignment reporter. Writing education or experience with at least the equivalent of a high school education, college degree preferred. InDesign and PhotoShop computer program experience a plus. Writes news and feature stories, and shoots photographs relating to, but not limited to business and industry, agriculture, health care and medical matters, church and other religion-related matters, and other subjects as assigned or as opportunities present themselves. Compensation will be based on experience and skill. **Please send resume and at least six writing samples to: Paragould Daily Press, P.O. Box 38, Paragould, AR 72450, Attention: editor. Email: editor@paragoulddaily.com** (4)

REPORTER

REPORTER: The Pine Bluff, Ark., Commercial is seeking a reporter to cover the City Hall beat. The ideal candidate must have strong reporting and investigative skills, a good command of the English language and Associated Press style. Circulation covers an eight-county area. Pine Bluff is the hub of Southeast Arkansas located approximately 40 miles south of Little Rock. Abundant hunting and fishing opportunities are just short drives away. Pine Bluff is home to the University of Arkansas/Pine Bluff and SEARK College. **If you are interested, call Larry Fugate, editor, The Commercial, (870) 543.1426, or email Lfugate@pbcommercial.com.** (3)

CIRCULATION DIRECTOR

CIRCULATION DIRECTOR: Immediate opening for Circulation Director in one of the fastest growing markets in the country. We are looking for an experienced Circulation executive with strong marketing skills to lead readership growth efforts for our small daily newspaper. The Circulation director is responsible for the development and implementation of subscriber and single copy sales and retention strategies. The CD also oversees distribution operations, ensuring safe, timely and accurate delivery of the daily newspaper and non-daily products. This is an exceptional opportunity for a sales oriented circulator. The *Benton Courier* is published 7 days a week with paid circulation of 6,100 daily. Located in beautiful central Arkansas, Benton offers the advantages of a small town atmosphere only 20 minutes from Little Rock. We offer a competitive salary with an incentive plan and benefits package. Ideal candidate will have experience with paid and free-product carrier distribution. **Please email resume, cover letter and salary history to: Jim Perry, Publisher, The Benton Courier, 321 N. Market Street, Benton, AR 72015 or email to jimperry@bentoncourier.com.** (5)

EDITOR

EDITOR: The *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette* seeks an aggressive editor to lead weekend coverage in its office in fast-growing Northwest Arkansas. Situated among international business, academic and cultural leaders such as Wal-Mart, Tyson Foods, the University of Arkansas and the soon-to-open Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, the Democrat-Gazette news staff focuses on regional issues that affect our readers in Arkansas, southwest Missouri and eastern Oklahoma. As the leading news source in the region, the Democrat-Gazette needs a versatile editor to work with reporters in developing comprehensive weekend packages that lead the news debate. We are in a competitive news market that demands high-quality work. The right candidate needs at least two years of editing experience on a daily newspaper, has a deft editing touch and thinks ahead on coverage ideas. **If you are interested, please send a letter, resume and examples of packages you have edited to Ray Minor, City Editor-Northwest, Arkansas Democrat-Gazette, 515 Enterprise Drive, Suite 106, Lowell, AR 72745 or email at rminor@arkansasonline.com.** (4)

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EMPLOYEES NEEDED

My name is Wyatt Emmerich. I am president and owner of Emmerich Newspapers, a group of 25 newspapers - four small dailies and 21 weeklies - mostly in Mississippi. We have \$24 million in sales and about 300 employees. We are constantly looking for good people in all aspects of the newspaper business - publishers, editors, ad reps, graphic artists, accountants, reporters. We have a love of small newspapers and seek bright, creative, hard-working, innovative people who share our passion for community newspapers. We want to see happy, healthy employees who can balance work and family, get involved in their community, care about the paper and strive for quality. We believe quality, stability, innovation and dedication will naturally ensure both a reasonable current profit and long-term growth. If you're tired of working for a big company that only sees small newspapers as cash cows to be milked, rather than precious community assets to be nourished, then our company may be a good fit for you. We will respect your confidentiality if you request it. **Email resume and references to: strack@emmerichnewspapers.com or Dan W. Strack, Emmerich Newspapers, P.O. Box 16709, Jackson, MS 39236.** (4)

EDITOR

EDITOR: Award-winning Arkansas paper in Heber Springs is looking for a Managing Editor to work with established news staff. The right candidate will need to balance local news and tourism driven information for this active community in a twice weekly county newspaper and niche products. **If you have an interest, forward a cover letter, resume and salary requirements to David J. Lee, Publisher, Sun-Times, P.O. Box 669, Heber Springs, AR 72543 or email at publisher@thesuntimes.com** (1)

REPORTER

REPORTER: Full-time. The *Arkansas Democrat-Gazette* is seeking an experienced reporter to cover Tyson Foods, the world's largest meat company and other poultry and meat processors. We're looking for a journalist who can develop sources with local ranchers and niche farmers while covering breaking and enterprise news concerning a major Fortune 500 company with holdings worldwide. The beat requires a journalist with a versatile writing style, the ability to produce page 1 stories on deadline, and the skills to turn in-depth feature stories. Business reporting experience is a plus but not a requirement. Our business team has 16 members in two newsrooms. This opening is in Northwest Arkansas newsroom near Springdale-based Tyson's corporate headquarters, in the heart of the scenic Ozark Mountains. The Arkansas Democrat-Gazette is a statewide daily newspaper based in Little Rock with a daily circulation of more than 170,000 and a Sunday circulation of more than 270,000. Minimum requirements include a bachelor's degree and at least two years work experience at a daily newspaper or business journal. **Send your resume and clips to: jmagsam@arkansasonline.com and smckay@arkansasonline.com or mail to: ADG Business editor, 515 Enterprise Drive, Suite 106, Lowell, AR 72745; fax (479) 770-8484.** (1)

REMINDER - Arkansas Press Association will be glad to help you with your job search. All you have to do is email your ad to nancy@arkansaspress.org or fax to (501) 374-7509. Ads are run for six weeks free for APA members and students, and only \$10 for four weeks for non-members. This is an excellent opportunity to get your resume out to a lot of newspapers looking for journalists, photographers, etc.

ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE

ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE -360LittleRock.com is seeking an energetic outside sales person. Must be aggressive self-starter who enjoys working with businesses to help them market and grow online. Previous sales experience is required. Internet sales experience a plus. **Email your cover and resume, including salary history: epicareers@360cpi.com.** (2)

FOR SALE

WEEKLY NEWSPAPER for sale in county seat in beautiful North Central Arkansas Ozark Mountains. Paid circulation of 2,300, with lots of upside for the right person. **If interested send letter of request for non-disclosure form to D. Jeff Christenson, P.O. Box 40, Harrison, AR 72602-0040.** (1)



Mark Your Calendars

July 9-12

APA SuperConvention, Wyndham Hotel, North Little Rock

September 25-28

NNA Convention, St. Paul, Minn.

November 6-7

ArkLaMiss Circulation Conference

attachments:

1. **News Release:** Arkansas Venture Forum slates 6th Annual Venture Conference dates
2. **News Release:** American Legion: New American Legion Commander Elected
3. **News Release:** JCCA: OURTOWN for TEENS