



## Media Activity, 2008-2009

### July, 2008

1. 07/02 Champaign News-Gazette, "UI economic index gives some good news" (J. Fred Giertz)
  2. 07/02 WICD (J. Fred Giertz)
  3. 07/23 Champaign News-Gazette, "Most players voicing belief that con-con in '09 is a no-no" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
  4. 07/25 Rockford Register Star, "Candidates lend themselves a hand" (Christopher Mooney)
  5. 07/25 Naperville Sun, "Housing slump persists" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  6. 07/24 Chicago Public Radio, "Illinois Home Sales Grow" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  7. 07/24 Chicago Sun Times, "Home sales in Chicago drop sharply" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  8. 07/23 The Morning Call, Allentown, Pa., "Manion's war-focus campaign is new approach" (Michael Cheney, IGPA)
  9. 07/22 The Southern Illinoisan, "Money may show who's interested in being Illinois' next governor" (Jim Edgar)
  10. 07/21 Crain's Chicago Business, "Chicago homes more affordable but still out of reach for many" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  11. 07/20 Trading Markets, "A few Central Illinois towns show growth in latest Census estimates" (J. Fred Giertz)
  12. 07/16 United Press International, "Chicago reels in brewer for \$20 million" (David Merriman, IGPA)
  13. 07/16 The Morning Call, Allentown, Pa., "Facebooking for votes" (Michael Cheney, IGPA)
  14. 07/16 Chicago Tribune, "Beer giant to locate in Chicago" (David Merriman, IGPA)
  15. 07/15 Bloomington Pantagraph, "Economy doesn't appear to slow down campaign giving" (Kent Redfield)
  16. 07/10 Chicago Public Radio, "Eight Forty Eight" (IGPA)
  17. 07/10 Daily Herald, "Why Madigan, Blagojevich have such a prickly relationship" (Jim Edgar)
  18. 07/06 Chicago Tribune, "Champaign County GOP's pick for candidate? A U. of I. student" (James Nowlan, IGPA)
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### August, 2008

1. 08/03 Champaign News-Gazette, "Calabrese not backing down from 'Goliaths' in election" (James Nowlan, IGPA)
2. 08/03 Peoria Journal Star, "Capital plan: Moving past the hype" (Geoffrey Hewings)
3. 08/04 iStockAnalyst, "University of Illinois Economist Says State's Slowdown is Short of a Recession" (J. Fred Giertz)
4. 08/06 Kansas City Star, "Michelle Obama finds herself in spotlight reluctantly" (Kent Redfield)
5. 08/03 The (Elgin) Courier News, "Oil (price) spill" (Elizabeth Powers)
6. 08/04 Peoria Journal Star, "How many jobs would capital construction plan create?" (Geoffrey Hewings)
7. 08/03 State Journal Register, "Maps of possible county board district changes sparks ire" (Kent Redfield)
8. 08/05 WDWS Podcast, (Rick Winkel)
9. 08/09 Champaign News Gazette, "Parents try to trim back-to-school expenses amid tightening budgets" (Elizabeth Powers)
10. 08/10 Peoria Journal Star, "Communist Party influence felt everywhere in China" (Op/Ed by Jim Nowlan)
11. 08/11 Quad City Times, "Overstepping his bounds? Governor's 'Rewrite To Do Right' effort draws criticism" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
12. 08/15 State Journal-Register, "State's unemployment rate hits 15-year high" (J. Fred Giertz)
13. 08/16 Albany Times Union, "Give tax relief to those most in need" (Richard Dye)
14. 08/18 WILL-AM (Rick Winkel)
15. 08/18 WDWS-AM (Rick Winkel)
16. 08/18 Peoria Journal Star, "Who will succeed Jones?" (Kent Redfield)
17. 08/22 Oak Park Leaves, "Harmon mentioned for state senate President" (Christopher Mooney)
18. 08/18 Quad City Times, "Illinoisans starting to make a choice" (Illinois Opinion Monitor)
19. 08/21 Associated Press, "Governor on sidelines as home-state candidate makes history" (Kent Redfield)
20. 08/19 WICD-TV (Rick Winkel)
21. 08/19 WCIA-TV (Christopher Mooney)
22. 08/20 The Times of India, "When to send your children to school?" (Darren Lubotsky)
23. 08/21 Illinois Radio Network (Fred Giertz)
24. 08/23 WICD-TV (Brian Gaines)
25. 08/26 Chicago Tribune, "Hints of more activity in U.S. Housing Sales" (Geoffrey J.D. Hewings)
26. 08/27 Stateline.org, "Three governors face possible Senate picks" (Jim Nowlan IGPA)
27. 08/27 Daily Herald, "Obama's biggest challenge: Trying to repeat '04 speech success" (Michael Cheney)
28. 08/29 WBBM 780, "More Politics: Blago Tri-umphant?" (Kent Redfield)
29. Aug/ Sept. 2008 issue, Urbana-Champaign Independent Media Center The Public I (James Kuklinski, Brian Gaines)
30. 08/31 Springfield State Journal-Register, "Grading system draws criticism but company defends work" (Fred Giertz)
31. 08/31 Champaign News-Gazette, "New Jobs" (Darren Lubotsky, Don Fullerton)

## September, 2008

1. 09/02 Peoria Journal-Star, "State's economy improves, but worst may be yet to come" (Fred Giertz)
  2. 09/05 Daily Herald, "Who will be the new stars in Illinois GOP?" (Jim Edgar)
  3. 09/05 WDWS-AM (Rick Winkel)
  4. 09/05 WCIA-TV (Brian Gaines)
  5. 09/08 Galesburg Radio WGIL, "U of I Report Still Suggests Economic Growth in State" (Fred Giertz, IGPA)
  6. 09/09 Chicago Tribune, "With fundraiser's trial over, Illinois Gov. Blagojevich seeks the political spotlight again" (Kent Redfield)
  7. 09/09 New York Times, "Obama Looks to Lessons From Chicago in His National Education Plan" (Stanley Ikenberry)
  8. 09/09 Illinois Business Journal, "Fuel costs, job losses factor into timing of housing market's rebound" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  9. 09/10 Wall Street Journal, "New Research Challenges the Practice of 'Redshirting'" (Darren Lubotsky)
  10. 09/14 Peoria Journal-Star, "Word on the Street: 92nd House race to heat up" (Kent Redfield)
  11. 09/14 Chicago Tribune, "Supremes honor Lincoln, hold court in Mt. Vernon" (Jim Edgar)
  12. 09/14 Daily Herald, "Hot mayoral race in Palatine" (Brian Gaines)
  13. 09/14 State Journal-Register, "Callahan hits a hot button at bad time in campaign" (Kent Redfield)
  14. 09/14 Southtown Star, "Blago stays in the spotlight" (Kent Redfield)
  15. 09/17 State Journal-Register, "Gas prices decline to just below \$4" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  16. 09/17 UIUC News Bureau, "Depression-era failings behind recent Wall Street bailouts, expert says" (Fred Giertz, IGPA)
  17. 09/18 WJBC, Bloomington, "Illinois unemployment at 15-year high" (Fred Giertz)
  18. 09/18 State Journal-Register, "Quotes of note on AIG" (Fred Giertz)
  19. 09/18 State Journal-Register, "Bernard Schoenburg: Dirty politics or fair research? Perspectives differ" (IGPA)
  20. 09/19 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Are the Wall Street sheriffs shooting the real bad guys?" (Fred Giertz)
  21. 09/19 WVON Chicago, "Cliff Kelley Show" (Brian Gaines)
  22. 09/22 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Blago's favorability rating in the tank, new poll shows" (Chris Mooney)
  23. 09/22 UIUC News Bureau, "Only time will tell whether bailout plan can succeed, U. of I. expert says" (Fred Giertz, IGPA)
  24. 09/20 The Southern Illinoisian, "Expert: Today's bailouts may have root" (Fred Giertz, IGPA)
  25. 09/24 Chicago Tribune, "Illinois home sales tumble 27%" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  26. 09/23 Daily Illini, "State Treasurer Giannoulis comes to campus to discuss the current economic situation with students" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
  27. 09/30 WILL AM 580, "The Current U.S. Economic Crisis" (Fred Giertz)
  28. 09/30 Illinois Radio Network
  29. 09/30 WBBM
  30. 09/30 WBEZ
  31. 09/30 Medill Media Service
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1. 10/02 Medill News Service, "Economists say presidential candidates' tax plans reflect broader philosophies" (IGPA)
2. 10/02 Champaign News-Gazette, "UI forum panelist dissects causes of economic crisis" (IGPA)
3. 10/02 Daily Illini, "Experts weigh in on economy" (IGPA)
4. 10/02 WCIA-TV, "The Morning Show" (Fred Giertz)
5. 10/09 The Emporia Gazette, "No TIF for Christie, Lowe's" (IGPA)
6. 10/07 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Spotlight is on McCain" (Brian Gaines)
7. 10/01 Daily Herald, "Why some kind of bailout may be needed" (Fred Giertz)
8. 10/05 Illinois Radio Network, "Illinois Economic Growth at a Snail's pace" (Fred Giertz)
9. 10/10 Science magazine, "Do Voter Surveys Underestimate the Impact of Racial Bias?" (Maria Krysan)
10. 10/12 Kankakee Daily Journal, "New book explore's former governor's career and legacy" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
11. 10/09 Pekin Times, "Business as usual? Not in this economy" (Fred Giertz)
12. 10/09 Medill News Service, "Rising power of the Web may give minor-party candidates electoral traction" (Chris Mooney)
13. 10/08 State Journal-Register, "Paperwork steady at county election office" (Kent Redfield)
14. 10/10 Daily Journal, "Dahl, Gordon build large war chests" (Kent Redfield)
15. 10/13 Plenty Magazine, "Coal and clear skies: Obama's balancing act" (Kent Redfield)
16. 10/13 Daily Herald, "Suburban races could decide if Dems keep control in Springfield" (Chris Mooney)
17. 10/14 Peoria Journal-Star, "State House axes half of veto session" (Chris Mooney, IGPA)
18. 10/14 Medill News Service, "How minority groups can get politicians' attention" (Chris Mooney)
19. 10/14 Medill News Service, "Experts say Wednesday's debate is McCain's last chance to break out" (Brian Gaines)
20. 10/14 Peoria Journal-Star, "Timing isn't good for Schock" (Brian Gaines, IGPA)
21. 10/15 Rockford Register-Star, "Many young voters not picking political parties" (Brian Gaines)
22. 10/16 Medill News Service, "Early voters on track to set record" (Brian Gaines)
23. 10/17 Modesto Bee and others, "Presidential Energy plan Op-Ed" (Andrew Morriss)
24. 10/18 Champaign News-Gazette, "Calabrese has uphill battle with Jakobsson for 103rd district" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
25. 10/19 State Journal-Register, "State Capitol Notebook: Motivation for shortening session unclear" (Chris Mooney)
26. 10/27 Small Newspaper Group, "Illinois Senate president hopefuls wield great power" (Jim Nowlan, Kent Redfield, IGPA)
27. 10/20 Daily Herald, "Governor's toxic touch?" (Kent Redfield)

28. 10/23 State Journal-Register, "Blagojevich stays out of election" (Kent Redfield)
29. 10/23 Associated Press, "GOP leaves Hare unopposed" (Kent Redfield)
30. 10/23 Elgin Courier News, "Monthly home sales report gloomy again" (Geoffrey Hewings)
31. 10/25 Arlington Heights Daily Herald, "Illinois in recession?" (Fred Giertz)
32. 10/26 Peoria Journal-Star, "If we're lucky, recession won't give way to panic" (Fred Giertz)
33. 10/26 Small Newspapers Group, "Senate leader hopefuls give campaign cash" (Jim Nowlan, Kent Redfield, IGPA)
34. 10/25 Kankakee Daily Journal, "Mixing church, state could prove costly" (Fred Giertz)
35. 10/19 Billings Gazette, "Guest Opinion: McCain's right to support more energy from all sources" (Andrew Morriss)
36. 10/22 State Journal-Register, "Power shift moves campaign funds away from senate president" (Chris Mooney)
37. 10/29 Daily Illini, "Is this the biggest election of our lifetime?" (Brian Gaines)
38. 10/28 UI-7, "Polling Accuracy" (Brian Gaines)
39. 10/29 WDWS, "Con-Con" (Brian Gaines, Jim Nowlan)
40. 10/29 WICD-TV, "Voters in their 20s and in their 40s" (Brian Gaines)
41. 10/29 WILL-AM, "15th District Congressional Race" (Brian Gaines)
42. 10/30 WCIA/WCFN-TV, "Con-Con" (Brian Gaines, Rick Winkel)
43. 10/30 Daily Herald, "Candidates shower suburban voters with mailers" (Kent Redfield)
44. 10/28 WCIA-TV, "Record numbers hit the polls" (Brian Gaines)
45. 10/30 Chicago Tribune, "Fed trims rates; worries persist" (Fred Giertz)
46. 10/29 The Daily Journal, "Governor, area businesses want roadwork across Illinois" (Jim Nowlan)
47. 10/30 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Durbin vs. Sauerberg is drawing little interest" (Brian Gaines, IGPA)
48. 10/31 Associated Press, "Illinoisans flood polls to vote early" (Brian Gaines)
49. 10/31 Daily Illini, "Third parties may crash elections" (Brian Gaines)
50. 10/31 Chicago Public Radio, "Controversial Campaign Contributions in State's Attorney Race" (Kent Redfield)
51. 10/31 Chicago Tribune, "State's ultimate insider indicted" (Kent Redfield)

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1. 11/02 State Journal-Register, "Illinois' economy stagnant in October" (Fred Giertz)
2. 11/03 Kankakee Daily Journal, "Web exclusive: Incumbents unopposed due to hardship of running" (Jim Nowlan)
3. 11/03 Daily Journal, "Constitutional convention question on Tuesday's ballot" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
4. 11/03 Daily Herald, "Don't skip the undercards on this year's ballot" (Kent Redfield)
5. 11/02 State Journal-Register, "Obama draws spotlight to Illinois' lawmakers" (Chris Mooney)
6. 11/02 Chicago Tribune, "Not every candidate wants the pull of political coattails" (Chris Mooney)
7. 11/04 Champaign News-Gazette, "UI flash index shows state economy flirting with contraction" (Fred Giertz)
8. 11/04 Daily Egyptian (SIU), "McCain hopes success will trickle down" (Fred Giertz)
9. 11/04 Daily Illini, "Why students should/shouldn't vote" (Brian Gaines)
10. 11/05 Time magazine, "Who'll Fill Obama's Senate Seat" (Kent Redfield)
11. 11/02 Peoria Journal-Star, "Business File: Obama or McCain? Which is a better fit for Cat?" (Brian Gaines)
12. 11/03 interviews with student journalists (Brian Gaines)
13. 11/03 WICD-TV, "Early Voting" (Brian Gaines)
14. 11/04 WICD-TV, "Con-Con" (Brian Gaines)
15. 11/04 on-air live commentary on WILL radio (Brian Gaines)
16. 11/05 live interviews on WICD-TV re: election (Brian Gaines)
17. 11/05 Associated Press, "Pending recount in Minnesota Senate race (Brian Gaines)
18. 11/05 USA Today, Obama Replacement (Chris Mooney)
19. 11/05 WAND-TV, Obama Replacement (Chris Mooney)
20. 11/05 Associated Press, "Ill. GOP says it's bucking Democratic wave" (Chris Mooney)
21. 11/06 USA Today, "Victors leave empty seats in Senate" (Chris Mooney)
22. 11/05 WCIA-TV, "Blagojevich on Open Senate Seat" (Kent Redfield)
23. 11/06 State Journal-Register, "Who will replace Obama in the U.S. Senate?" (Robert Rich, IGPA)
24. 11/06 Chicago Tribune, "City walks on air after historic win" (Chris Mooney)
25. 11/06 Daily Herald, "Will U.S. Rep. Mark Kirk run for Senate?" (Jim Edgar)
26. 11/06 Daily Herald, "Former GOP Gov. Edgar lauds Obama win" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
27. 11/06 The Southern Illinoisian, "Edgar impressed by Obama rally, even if he didn't vote for him" (Jim Edgar)
28. 11/06 Peoria Journal-Star, "Hispanic vote vital for GOP, former Gov. Edgar says" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
29. 11/06 State Journal-Register, "Edgar: Loss of Hispanic voters endangers GOP nationally" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
30. 11/07 Chicago Tribune, "Edgar: GOP threatened by loss of Hispanic voters" (Edgar, IGPA)
31. 11/06 Illinois Radio Network, "Edgar: Election day losses for GOP could have been worse" (Edgar)
32. 11/10 Daily Herald, "Voters push change at White House, but not state house" (Chris Mooney)
33. 11/10 Ottawa Times, "Who gets Obama's Senate seat" (Jim Nowlan)
34. 11/11 Utica (NY) Observer Dispatch, "Gas prices continue to plummet, but vary across region and state" (Fred Giertz)
35. 11/12 Daily Illini, "Youth voter turnout: a noticeable increase?" (Brian Gaines)
36. 11/12 Minnesota Spokesman-Recorder, "How Obama won" (Michael Cheney, IGPA)

37. 11/12 Champaign News-Gazette, "Indiana senator extolls bipartisanship in talk at Illini Union" (IGPA)
  38. 11/13 State Journal Register, "Bernard Schoenburg: Obama friend Giannoulis says it's all 'unbelievable'" (Kent Redfield)
  39. 11/12 New York Times, "Picking Obama Successor Puts Spotlight on Governor" (Kent Redfield)
  40. 11/06 Illinois Public Radio, "Edgar Policy Luncheon" (Jim Edgar)
  41. 11/06 WAND-TV, "Edgar Policy Luncheon" (Jim Edgar)
  42. 11/06 WICS-TV, "Edgar Policy Luncheon" (Jim Edgar)
  43. 11/17 Chicago Sun-Times, "Chicago home sales drop 23%" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  44. 11/15 Utica (NY) Observer-Dispatch, "Gas prices down, but residents still cautious" (Fred Giertz)
  45. 11/15 Newsweek, "Corruption in the Land of Lincoln" (Kent Redfield)
  46. 11/17 Crain's Chicago Business, "Chicago-area home sales slide 22% in Q3" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  47. 11/17 Daily Herald, "Home sales in Illinois plummet 21%" (Geoffrey Hewings)
  48. 11/18 Northwest Herald, "County home sales down 27%" (Hewings)
  49. 11/18 WBBM 780, "Chicago Home Sales Drop 23%" (Hewings)
  50. 11/18 WBBM 780, "Group Working to Improve Ill. Public Schools" (Jim Edgar)
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1. 12/01 State Journal-Register, "State's economy flat in November, U of I economist says" (Fred Giertz)
2. 12/02 United Press International, "Growth key to Obama's success, Edgar says" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
3. 12/02 Illinois Radio Network, "Expert: Illinois' Economy Continues Downward Trend" (Fred Giertz)
4. 12/09 Bloomberg, "Illinois Governor Arrested on Corruption Charges" (Chris Mooney, Bob Rich)
5. 12/09 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Who's in charge of Illinois government" (Kent Redfield)
6. 12/09 Chicago Tribune, "Blagojevich arrest could lead to impeachment talk" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
7. 12/09 Huffington Post, "Rod Blagojevich Arrested: The Damage He Could Do" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
8. 12/09 Associated Press, "Edgar: Voters share blame for Blagojevich scandal" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
9. 12/09 Galesburg Register-Mail, "State Capitol Q&A: Gov. Blagojevich's legal woes" (Kent Redfield)
10. 12/10 Chicago Public Radio, "Edgar: Maybe There's 'Just Something Wrong' With Blagojevich" (Jim Edgar)
11. 12/09 Bloomington Pantagraph, "History repeats itself: Blagojevich not first Governor to be charged while in office" (Kent Redfield)
12. 12/10 Ottawa Times, "Lawmakers calling for removal" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
13. 12/10 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Ex-outsider Pat Quinn might run Illinois Government" (Kent Redfield, Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
14. 12/10 Chicago Tribune, "The state of Illinois" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
15. 12/10 Southtown Star, "Lawmakers call for Rod to resign" (Kent Redfield)
16. 12/10 St. Louis Post-Dispatch, "Madigan wants a new law to take senatorial appointment from Blagojevich" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
17. 12/10 Illinois Issues, "A 'new low' and challenge for the future" (Kent Redfield)
18. 12/10 The Olympian, "Hoffman's clout may take a blow" (Kent Redfield)
19. 12/09 Journal-Gazette, Times-Courier, "Edgar: Corruption hits new depths" (Jim Edgar)
20. 12/09 Bloomington Pantagraph, "Former Gov. Edgar 'shocked' by allegations against Blagojevich" (Jim Edgar)
21. 12/09 Champaign News-Gazette, "Former Governor Edgar calls on Blagojevich to step down" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
22. 12/09 Daily Illini, "Edgar insists not all state government is corrupt" (Jim Edgar, IGPA)
23. 12/09 Associated Press, "Edgar: Voters share blame for Blagojevich scandal" (Jim Edgar)
24. 12/10 Champaign News-Gazette, "Frerichs says he'll push for impeachment if governor won't resign" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
25. 12/09 Daily Review Atlas (Monmouth, IL), "Myers, Sullivan call on governor to resign" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
26. 12/09 Huffington Post, "Rod Blagojevich Arrest: Legal and Political Fallout" (Brian Gaines, IGPA)
27. 12/09 Bloomberg, "Blagojevich Arrest Fits Tradition in Illinois, Land of the Plea" (Chris Mooney)
28. 12/11 The (Toronto) Globe and Mail, "It's fun if you don't puke your guts out" (Chris Mooney)
29. 12/11 The Daily Eastern News, "Edgar shocked at corruption" (Jim Edgar)
30. 12/10 Associated Press, "Obama avoids stain of Chicago's political scandals" (Kent Redfield)
31. 12/10 Peoria Journal-Star, "Arrest cripples governor's ability to get job done, observers say" (Kent Redfield)
32. 12/10 Peoria Journal-Star, "LaHood: State's prospects still strong" (Kent Redfield)
33. 12/10 Associated Press, "Ill. lieutenant gov. has battled with Blagojevich" (Kent Redfield)
34. 12/11 State Journal-Register, "Lawmakers must decide on impeachment, election" (Kent Redfield)
35. 12/11 National Public Radio, "Scandal Scrambles List To Fill Obama's Senate Seat" (Jim Nowlan)
36. 12/12 Wall Street Journal, "Blagojevich Thrived by Capitalizing on Connections" (Chris Mooney)
37. 12/11 Associated Press, "Ill. contenders for Senate seat walking a fine line" (Chris Mooney)
38. 12/12 State Journal-Register, "All eyes turn to Quinn in light of governor's arrest" (Jim Edgar, Kent Redfield)
39. 12/12 Associated Press, "'Struggling' governor's salary ranks near the top" (Kent Redfield)
40. 12/14 Chicago Tribune, "The cost of corruption" (David Merriman, IGPA)
41. 12/09 Champaign News Gazette, "Scholar: Impeachment clause wasn't given much thought" (Sam Gove, IGPA)
42. 12/14 Gatehouse News Service, "Illinois GOP hopes to regain some power" (Jim Edgar)
43. 12/16 The New Republic, "State of Disgrace" (Kent Redfield)
44. 12/30 USA Today, "Burris has been free of controversy" (Kent Redfield)
45. 12/17 Peoria Journal-Star, "LaHood set to join Obama team" (Brian Gaines, IGPA)
46. 12/18 Kansas City Star, "Which State is Most Corrupt? It Depends" (Chris Mooney)

47. 12/19 Canada Free Press, "Subsidizing nations to cut emissions is delusional" (Andrew Morriss)
  48. 12/26 Champaign News Gazette, "UI honoring retired Justice O'Connor" (IGPA)
  49. 12/30 National Public Radio, "Blagojevich's Choice For Senate Faces Hurdles" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
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2. 01/09 Champaign News-Gazette, "Scholar: Impeachment clause wasn't given much thought" (Sam Gove, IGPA)
3. 01/12 WCIA-TV Morning Show, "Impeachment process" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
4. 01/06 State Journal-Register, "Economist: Illinois is in a recession" (Fred Giertz)
5. 01/18 Associated Press, "Many Ill. voters resigned to political corruption" (Kent Redfield)
6. 01/15 Associated Press, "Study finds U of I a \$13 billion economic engine" (IGPA)
7. 01/14 Peoria Journal-Star, "How will Americans remember Bush years?" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
8. 01/16 Peoria Journal-Star, "GOT OBAMA?" (Michael Cheney, IGPA)
9. 01/12 Southtown Star, "Panel delays vote on Howe, mental health center; closures on hold" (Kent Redfield)
10. 01/16 WCIA-TV (Kent Redfield)
11. 01/19 Associated Press, "State GOP sees advantage for 2010" (Jim Edgar)
12. 01/20 WDWS-AM, "Inauguration coverage" (Michael Cheney)
13. 01/20 WDWS, "Inauguration" (Rick Winkel)
14. 01/23 Daily Herald, "Finance reform, transparent government top issue of panel" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
15. 01/20 Daily Illini, "UI political expert digs into Obama's address" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
16. 01/23 McClatchy-Tribune News Service, "Commentary: Tapping energy reserves would help speed economic recovery" (Andrew P. Morriss)
17. 01/26 Daily Illini, "Blagojevich trial begins today" (Chris Mooney, IGPA)
18. 01/26 Christian Science Monitor, "Under fire: Blagojevich shuns trial, opens PR blitz" (Chris Mooney)
19. 01/26 Associated Press, "Blagojevich to TV: I considered Oprah for Senate seat" (Kent Redfield)
20. 01/24 Illinois Radio Network, "Expert: Governor's Defiance 'Ridiculous'" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
21. 01/24 WAND-TV, "Blago Trial" (Chris Mooney)
22. 01/23 Illinois Radio Network/ WBBM-AM "Interview" (Bob Rich)
23. 01/28 Inside Higher Ed, "Whither Accreditation?" (Stanley Ikenberry)
24. 01/27 WGN-AM, "John Williams Show" (Jim Edgar)
25. 01/27 Associated Press (Jim Edgar)
26. 01/27 Daily Illini, "Lt. Gov Pat Quinn" (Jim Edgar)
27. 01/29 Bloomberg, "Blagojevich Set to Make Closing Arguments in Illinois Senate" (Andrew Morriss)
28. 01/23 Books & Culture-A Christian Review, "From Moscow to Detroit" (Andrew Morriss, Book Review)
29. 01/29 WBBM-AM (Jim Edgar)
30. 01/29 WLS-TV (Jim Edgar)
31. 01/29 Bloomberg, "Desiree Rogers" (Jim Edgar)
32. 01/30 Christian Science Monitor, "Corruption brings down a governor" (Chris Mooney)
33. 01/29 WCIA-TV (Jim Edgar)
34. 01/30 WLS-AM, "Don and Roma" (Jim Edgar)
35. 01/30 WGN-TV, "Morning Show" (Jim Edgar)
36. 01/29 WILL-AM, (Rick Winkel)
37. 01/29 WICD-TV (Rick Winkel)
38. 01/29 WCIA-TV, "Illinois Law" (Rick Winkel)
41. 01/29 "Illinois Law" (Andrew Morriss)
42. 01/29 "Illinois Law" (Brian Gaines)
43. 01/30 WICD-TV, "Econ, State gov't finances" (Fred Giertz)
44. 01/30 Quad City Times, "Illinois Senate ousts Blagojevich" (Kent Redfield)
45. 01/31 Quad City Times, "No easy answers as Quinn takes office" (Jim Nowlan, IGPA)
46. 01/31 Galesburg Register-Mail, "Housing market is holding up" (Geoffrey Hewings)

## February, 2009

1. 02/01 Christian Science Monitor, "Illinois's Gov. Pat Quinn faces a daunting to-do list" (Chris Mooney)
2. 02/01 Daily Herald, "Who is Pat Quinn and what kind of governor will he be?" (Kent Redfield)
3. 02/02 Associated Press, "Money at root of Blagojevich's rise and fall" (Chris Mooney)
4. 02/02 State Journal-Register, "Report: State's economy continues to slide" (Fred Giertz)
5. 02/04 Illinois Radio Network, "U of I issues 'Illinois Report'" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
6. 02/04 The Daily Journal, "Many not optimistic progress will be made on health care" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
7. 02/09 The Daily Journal, "Hynes: Bottom has dropped out of state's financial condition" (Fred Giertz, IGPA)
8. 02/05 WCIA-WCFN-TV, "News in Depth: Stimulus Package" (Dan McMillen, IGPA)
9. 02/09 The Daily Journal, "Quinn in position to push 'reform' agenda" (Kent Redfield)
10. 02/09 WIUM-WIUW Public Radio, "Illinois Report 2009" (Bob Rich, IGPA)
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