

1. <http://www.spj.org/>

The Society of Professional Journalists is one site that I could certainly benefit from visiting. SPJ has a ton of information related to the field of journalism and also has training pages which journalists, or those attempting to become a journalist, are able to look over and hone their skills.

2. <http://www.rcfp.org/>

The Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press provides many tools for journalists including a Freedom of Information Act letter generator and information on state laws regarding open records and public meetings.

3. <http://www.nppa.org/>

The National Press Photographers Association allows the user to meet, network and learn from some of the top photojournalists in the world. You are able to see world-class work on learn from it.

4. <http://www.sej.org/>

The Society of Environmental Journalists is dedicated to more and better coverage of environmental-related. I am interested in stories related to the environment so this site would be an excellent place to get in contact with others that share my passion.

5. <http://asne.org/>

The American Society of News Editors site has many resources essential to becoming an excellent editor including a 10-step plan to doing social media the right way. This is important because social media as a very popular way to get information out.

6. <http://www.ire.org/>

The Investigative Reports and Editors has thousands of reporting tips and other materials through its resource center and hosts conference and specialized training throughout the country.

7. <http://journalists.org/>

The Online News Association is a resource for journalists seeking guidance and growth in the ever-changing world of online news reporting.

8. <http://www.snd.org/>

The Society for News Design is an excellent place to enhance your communication skills through visual journalism. This site would be very beneficial to those that want to create print, web, and mobile publications and products.

9. <http://newsombudsmen.org/>

The Organization of News Ombudsmen investigates complaints from newspaper readers, listeners and viewers. This would be an excellent place to listen to what consumers are actually saying, figure out what works and what doesn't.

10. <http://www.magazine.org/asme/index.aspx>

The American Society of Magazine is an excellent source for those that want to work for a magazine company. It gives tips for magazine writing and also can connect individuals with magazines that are hiring.