

QUARTERLY ISSUES REPORT APRIL 1 – JUNE 30, 2018

STATIONS:

WWME-CD (23.2), WCIU-TV (26.4)

Sunday NOW.Chicago 5:30-6am

Now.Chicago is a weekly Public Affairs program hosted by Jon Hansen. The show focuses on public affairs and local issues from a Chicago neighborhood-specific perspective, as described below.

APR 7

NOWC1808 - CHICAGO REFUGEES

Jon Hansen discusses how various organizations are working to help refugees coming into Chicago access the resources they need. Guests: Suzanne Sahloul – Syrian Community Network, Ariana Erickson, REFU-SHE Chief Of Staff

APR 14

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APR 21

NOWC1726 - CHICAGO REPORTERS (orig aired 11/18/17)

In the wake of the sudden shut-down of the local news website DNAinfo, Jon Hansen discusses the impact losing such a resource will have on the journalism landscape as well as what lies ahead for the dozens of local reporters now out of work. GUESTS: Patti Welti – Reporter, Andrea Watson – Reporter, Stephanie Lulay – Reporter

APR 28

NOWC1809 - SCHOLARSHIP/MENTOR PROGRAMS

Jon Hansen discusses the Link Unlimited program which connects economically disadvantaged African American high school students with mentors, resources, and foundational skills...not only to get them through high school, but into college and the real world. Guests: Jonathan Swain, Stephen Hackney, Aisha & Jonathan Lavinier – Link Unlimited

MAY 5

NOWC1809 - SCHOLARHIP / MENTOR PROGRAMS (orig aired 4/28/18)

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MAY 12

NOWC1810 - WALKING WITH WARRIORS

Jon Hansen discusses programs that support the efforts of veterans working to revitalize communities. Guests: Sean Easton & Frank Uhler – Walking With Warriors

MAY 19

NOWC1810 - WALKING WITH WARRIORS (orig air 5/12/18)

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MAY 26

NOWC1811 - WORKING IN SCHOOLS

Jon Hansen discusses programs aimed at increasing student literacy and building strong communities by empowering young readers. Guest: Brenda Langstraat – Working In The Schools

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NOWC1812 - CHICAGO INFLUENCERS

Jon Hansen discusses how local influencers are changing the landscape of news and entertainment media. Guest: Dometi Pongo WGN Radio host & founder Pongo Strategy Group LLC

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JUN 16

NOWC1813 - CHICAGO SCHOLARS

Jon Hansen discusses programs that support student achievement in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (S.T.E.M.). Guests: Charles Johnson & Antonia Winfrey – F.H. Paschen, Gustavo Sanchez – Student, Westinghouse College Prep

JUN 23

NOWC1803 - INCLUSIVE CHICAGO (orig aired 2/10/18)

Jon Hansen celebrates the many accomplishments of African Americans throughout our history as well as reflecting on the current state of race relations in our country. GUESTS: Veronica Appleton – Author / Diversity Advocate; Kenyatta Scott – CEO, Let's Talk; Kelly Cambry & Rachel Williams – Paige & Paxton

JUN 30

NOWC1812 - CHICAGO INFLUENCERS (orig aired 6/2/18)

Jon Hansen discusses how local influencers are changing the landscape of news and entertainment media. Guest: Dometi Pongo WGN Radio host & founder Pongo Strategy Group LLC