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The Pendulum and Elon Local News Merge to Create Elon News Network

Elon University student news organizations unite to increase community coverage

The Pendulum and Elon Local News, Elon University's two student-run news organizations, will come together beginning in August 2016 to create, Elon News Network, a daily, multiplatform news outlet. ENN is dedicated to sharing news about Elon University and the surrounding community.

"The formation of Elon News Network gives us the opportunity to deliver news to the Elon community in a more timely, effective manner," said Tommy Hamzik, director of Elon News Network. "We'll be able to tell more stories across all platforms, providing you, our audience, with coverage like you've never seen it before. I believe ENN is a terrific step forward for Elon's student media, and I know it'll make great impact across our community."

ENN will emphasize a web-and-mobile first approach to newsgathering and presentation, while also continuing to produce a newspaper, nightly newscast, morning show and radio show. ENN will retain The Pendulum name for its weekly newspaper released on Wednesdays and the Elon Local News name for its weekly 6 p.m. Monday show.

Students will continue to tell the investigative, personal and emotional stories that impact the Elon University community delivering the news immediately via its website, elonnewsnetwork.com, which launches Aug. 24, and social media channels.

All stories will be available at elonnewsnetwork.com beginning in late August. To stay informed, follow ENN on Twitter (@[elonnewsnetwork](https://twitter.com/elonnewsnetwork)), Facebook (facebook.com/elonnewsnetwork) and Instagram ([elonnewsnetwork](https://instagram.com/elonnewsnetwork)).