

NYU Wagner in the Media: October, 2011

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Date	Media	Headline	Wagner Source	Discipline	Interview/Excerpt
Oct. 1, 2011	 Associated Press	We need a new 'New Deal' [Commentary]	C. Nicole Mason	Inequality	"Not since the Great Depression have the earnings and unemployment numbers been so dismal."
Oct. 1, 2011		Excellence in Government [Commentary]	Paul Light	Governing	"The first round of debt reductions took a rusty meat ax to federal agencies, and the next round will be event blunter."
Oct. 3, 2011		Gov. Chris Christie Stays Mum on Possible Presidential Bid	Rogan Kersh	Politics	"I'll be stunned if Gov. Christie decides to run, even with the GOP establishment in full recruitment mode. He has no staff, hasn't raised funds, and little national profile--and primaries start in two months."
Oct. 4, 2011		NJ Gov. Christie says he won't run for president	Mitchell Moss	Politics	"NJ Gov. Christie has a very amazing skill to come across as the authentic voice of the working people the way no other Republican has. He's a person who doesn't exude GOP Northeastern elitism."
Oct. 5, 2011		Perry Raises More than \$17 Million for Presidential Bid	Rogan Kersh	Politics	"This early in the primary season, with voters months away from heading to the polls or caucuses in any state, perception is everything."
Oct. 6, 2011		Romney, Perry Each Seek Momentum as Next Republican Debate Looms	Rogan Kersh	Politics	"Strong fundraising usually improves attitudes toward a candidate."
Oct. 7, 2011		Anti-Wall St. movement has potential political punch	Paul Light	Governing	"At this point the movement is of undetermined size and strength."
Oct. 9, 2011		The GOP's sad, intolerant 2012 field [Commentary]	Robert Shrum	Politics	"Instead the [Republican] party marches to the tin drums of ideological extremism and angry fantasy, while its stiff and fragile frontrunner compliantly frog-marches to the right."
Oct. 10, 2011		U.S. Gambles With Mortgage Retreat	Furman Center	Housing	In 2009, about 1.5% of home-purchase loans backed by government entities wouldn't have been eligible under the new loan limits, according to a study by the Furman Center for Real Estate and Urban Policy at New York University.
Oct. 10, 2011		Some "Occupy DC" protestors not happy with Obama either	Paul Light	Politics	"[Obama and Biden] may be making a bet that this thing will get real traction among the middle class and young people, who have largely checked out of politics."
Oct. 12, 2011		Obama decides high-profile issues ahead of 2012	Paul Light	Governing	"He [Obama] has no primary challenger and he's in full re-election mode, so he's triangulating, as Bill Clinton would say."

Oct. 13, 2011		Privately Owned Park, Open to the Public, May Make Its Own Rules	Mitchell Moss	Urban Planning	"But until now, no one has thought about the issue of what the rules [for park curfews and behavior] are. This has highlighted one of the gaps in New York's planning system."
Oct. 14, 2011		Jobs/Unemployment	Rogan Kersh	Politics	"At some point, Democrats in Washington will switch from pleading with Republicans for cooperation, and start pointing fingers...and then we're more likely to see legislative action."
Oct. 16, 2012		Jobs Fight	Robert Shrum	Politics	"A little bit of the real Mitt Romney popped out there. This is a cold, metallic guy who doesn't really care a lot about what's happening to ordinary people in this economic crisis."
Oct. 17, 2011		New jobs for New York, by the thousands: Concrete steps we can take, without running up debt [Commentary]	Richard Brodsky	Economy	"The middle class seems out of reach to many, especially young people."
Oct. 17, 2011		On the CUSP of the Next Superhighway, Built by Public-Private Partnerships	Ellen Schall	Leadership	"Collaboration between the public, private and not-for-profit sectors is an important tool for the creation of opportunity in the current economic climate, and for meeting future challenges in fields such as alternative energy, infrastructure, and development."
Oct. 20, 2011		Former Cablevision Exec Lhota Tapped as Next MTA Chief	Mitchell Moss	Transportation	"They'll know he's a serious guy. He's a Republican. The whole culture of transportation will require very different leadership now."
Oct. 20, 2011		N.Y.-N.J. Port Authority OK's Cuomo's Pick, Patrick Foye, For Top Spot	Mitchell Moss	Transportation	"Different times require different sets of skills, and Lhota and Foye are strong finance people for what New York needs today."
Oct. 21, 2011		Google Follows Microsoft Playbook in Boosting Spending	Rogan Kersh	Politics	"When scrutiny arrived, Microsoft chose to ramp up its lobbying presence and let the political professionals handle its concerns...whatever your business model, you have to have an active lobbying presence."
Oct. 21, 2011		We're in the euro now [Commentary]	Robert Shrum	Politics	"They [European leaders] not only have a continent on their hands, but the world and America too -- because like it or not, the U.S. is in the euro now.."
Oct. 22, 2011		We are failing Haiti [Commentary]	Yasmine Abellard [Student]	International Development	"Although we have failed Haiti, it is never too late to move beyond the past and rise above our circumstances."
Oct. 24, 2011		109 Years of American Jewish History Goes Digital	Berman Jewish Policy Archive	Research	The collection traces American Jewish history from the 1910's as Jewish immigrants from Europe pour into the country through the current decade when American Jewry grapples with complex issues of Jewish peoplehood, education, and our connection to Israel.
Oct. 25, 2011		Obama uses executive powers to get past Congress	Paul Light	Governing	"Even presidents sometimes reverse themselves. Generally speaking, it's more symbolic than substantive."
Oct. 25, 2011		For Obama, New Focus on the Piecemeal	Paul Light	Governing	"It might be politically effective because it suggests that he's doing something that Congress isn't, but in terms of actual impact on real policy a lot of it is pretty thin."
Oct. 26, 2011		J-Date study claims more Jewish marriage matches than its competitors	Steven M. Cohen / Berman Jewish Policy Archive	Research	"The study, while promising, doesn't provide enough of the critical details that we need to assess the validity of its claims."

