

## ***2010 University Journalism Scholarship***

The Ohio Newspapers Foundation will award three scholarships of \$1,500 each to students who are enrolled in an Ohio college or university and majoring in journalism or an equivalent degree program. Applicants are not limited to, but preference will be given to students demonstrating a career commitment to newspaper journalism.

### ***Eligibility***

- Applicant must be enrolled as a sophomore, junior or senior at an Ohio college or university for the 2010-11 academic year.
- A minimum grade point average of 2.5 (C+) is required. The student's college transcript must accompany the application.
- Application form must be typed or printed legibly by the applicant. (The application form on the reverse side may be photocopied).
- Student must demonstrate the ability to write clearly in an autobiography of 750 to 1,000 words describing academic and career interests, awards, extracurricular activities and any journalism-related activities. Emphasis should be given to newspaper or print journalism.
- Application must be accompanied by two letters of recommendation from college or university faculty members familiar with the student's work and career interests.
- Student should provide writing samples or articles that have been published.

### ***Submission of Application***

Submit the application and all other material required to Ohio Newspapers Foundation University Journalism Scholarship, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

***Applications must be postmarked by March 31, 2010***

### ***Notification and Payment***

The scholarship winners will be announced by May 15, 2010. The scholarship checks will be mailed during the summer of 2010 following verification of college enrollment.

### ***For Additional Information:***

Contact Ohio Newspapers Foundation, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215, Tel. 614-486-6677.

**OHIO NEWSPAPERS FOUNDATION**

**2010 University Journalism Scholarship Application**

(This form may be duplicated)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  M  F

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

College or University: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

SSN# \_\_\_\_\_ Dean's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Grade Point Average: \_\_\_\_\_ (Minimum 2.5/4.0 required) Overall GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you participated in any journalism activities? Yes  No

If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

***Verification of Application***

By signing below, the student confirms that the information provided is accurate and that the essay was written by that same student. The student also asserts to his/her intent to continue to study journalism. The school official confirms the major of the applicant and should be a journalism school or communications department faculty advisor.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

School Official: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

***NOTE THESE ITEMS MUST BE RECEIVED WITH APPLICATION FORM:***

- Official College or University Transcript
- 750-1,000 Word Autobiography
- Two Letters of Recommendation

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