



2019 Application University Journalism Scholarship

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The Ohio News Media Foundation will award two scholarships of \$2,000 each to students enrolled in an Ohio college or university and majoring in a field relevant to our industry, particularly journalism, advertising, marketing, or communications 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 2019-2020 academic years.
- 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 student's course of study as it pertains to the newspaper industry.
- 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, articles or other relevant materials such as web links and PDF files used to display design or advertising content.

Submission of Application

Submit the application and all other material required to Ohio News Media Foundation University Journalism Scholarship, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Or submit your completed application and attachments in PDF format to mwidner@ohionews.org.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY APRIL 19, 2019

Notification and Payment

The scholarship winner will be announced on or around May 30, 2019. The scholarship check will be mailed during the summer of 2019 following verification of college enrollment.

For Additional Information:

Contact The Ohio News Media Foundation, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Telephone number 614-486-6677, extension 1010.

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2019 Application
University Journalism Scholarship

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Name: _____ Sex: _____ M _____ F

Permanent Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

College or University _____

School Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

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: _____

Major: _____ Anticipated date of graduation: _____

Verification of Application

By signing below, the student confirms that the information provided is accurate and the essay was written by that same student. The student also asserts to his/her intent to continue to study journalism or a field relevant to the newspaper industry as noted on the previous page. 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

Applications must be postmarked by APRIL 19, 2019. Submit applications to The Ohio News Media Foundation University Scholarship 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, OH 43215



2019 Application ONWA Annual Scholarship

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The Ohio News Media Foundation will award a \$2,000 scholarship to a student currently enrolled as a junior or senior in an Ohio college or university and majoring in a field relevant to our industry, particularly journalism, advertising, marketing, or communications degree program.

Organized in 1902, the Ohio Newspaper Women's Association worked for women's equality in a largely male-dominated business, to ensure they were not relegated to covering what was then known as "women's" news: subjects pertaining to home, family or social events. Notable members of ONWA included Millie Benson of the Toledo Blade, known to the world as Carolyn Keene, author of the Nancy Drew mystery series. The ONWA scholarship fund was transferred to the Ohio News Media Foundation in 2004 when ONWA disbanded.

Eligibility

- Applicant may be male or female and must be enrolled as a junior or senior at an Ohio college or university for the 2019-2020 academic year.

Include the Following With Your Application:

- A recommendation from one college professor (non-journalism) and one college professor in the journalism or communications department.
- A transcript of college grades.
- Three or four newspaper clippings or other relevant work samples demonstrating applicant's skills.
- Applicant's answers to the following questions (limit of two typed, double-spaced pages per question):
 1. Who or what was your inspiration to get involved in the field of journalism, advertising, marketing or communications and why did you select your chosen field as your area of interest?
 2. Why do you need a scholarship? What do you think qualifies you for a scholarship?
 3. What do you hope to accomplish during your career as a newspaper professional?

Submission of Application

Submit the application and all other material required to: The Ohio News Media Foundation ONWA Annual Scholarship, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Or submit your completed application and attachments in PDF format to mwidner@ohionews.org.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY APRIL 19, 2019

Notification and Payment

The scholarship winner will be announced on or around May 30, 2019. The scholarship check will be mailed during the summer of 2019 following verification of college enrollment.

For Additional Information:

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2019 Application ONWA Annual Scholarship

Name: _____ Sex: ____ M ____ F

Permanent Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

College or University _____

School Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ School Telephone: _____

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: _____

Major: _____

Anticipated date of graduation: _____

Verification of Application

By signing below, the student confirms that the information provided is accurate and the answers to the three application questions were written by that same student. The student also asserts to his/her intent to continue to study journalism or a field relevant to the newspaper industry as noted on the previous page. 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**
- **Two Letters of Recommendation**
- **Three to Four News Clippings**
- **Answers to the Three Application Questions**

**Applications must be postmarked by APRIL 19, 2019. Submit applications to
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2019 Application The Harold K. Douthit Scholarship

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The Ohio News Media Foundation will award a \$1,500 scholarship to a student currently enrolled at an Ohio college or university and majoring in a field relevant to our industry, particularly journalism, advertising, marketing, or a communications degree program. The scholarship is named for Harold K. Douthit, founder of Douthit Communications, Inc., Sandusky, Ohio and a former president of The Ohio News Media Association.

Eligibility

- Applicant must be enrolled as a sophomore, junior or senior at an Ohio college or university for the 2019-2020 school year.
- A minimum grade point average of 3.0 (B) 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).
- Students 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. The essay should include reasons for financial assistance.
- Applications must be accompanied by two letters of recommendation from college or university faculty members familiar with the student's work and career interests, with special emphasis on the student's financial need.
- Students are encouraged to provide writing samples, articles, or other relevant work samples that have been published in print or digital formats. (*limit to two, please*).

Submission of Application

Submit the application and all other material required to: The Ohio News Media Foundation Douthit Scholarship, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Or submit your completed application and attachments in PDF format to mwidner@ohionews.org.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY APRIL 19, 2019

Notification and Payment

The scholarship winner will be announced on or around May 30, 2019. The scholarship check will be mailed during the summer of 2019 following verification of college enrollment.

For Additional Information:

Contact The Ohio News Media Foundation, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Telephone number 614-486-6677, extension 1010.

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2019 Application
The Harold K. Douthit Scholarship
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Name: _____ Sex: ____ M ____ F

Permanent Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

College or University _____

School Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ School Telephone: _____

Dean's Name: _____

Major Grade Point Average: _____ (Minimum 3.0/4.0 required) Overall GPA: _____

Have you participated in any journalism activities? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please describe: _____

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 study journalism or a field relevant to the newspaper industry as noted on the previous page.

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

Applications must be postmarked by APRIL 19, 2019. Submit applications to The Ohio News Media Foundation Douthit Scholarship 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, OH 43215



2019 Minority Journalism Scholarship Application

The Ohio News Media Foundation will award a \$1,500 scholarship to a minority high school senior in Ohio who plans to major in a field relevant to the newspaper industry, particularly journalism, advertising, marketing, or a communications degree program. Student applicant must plan to enroll for fall classes at an accredited college or university within the United States.

We encourage you to read the information below and the Asked Questions and Helpful Tips sheet **before** you start the application process so you can be fully prepared. **Please note**, in order to qualify you must plan on majoring in a field relevant to the *newspaper industry*.

Eligibility and Information to gather

- Applicants should be African American, Hispanic, Asian American or American Indian.
- Applicant must be a graduating senior at an Ohio high school. Awardee must be enrolled as college freshman at an accredited college or university within the United States for the 2019-2020 school year.
- A minimum high school grade point average of 2.5 (C+) is required. The student's high school transcripts must accompany the application.
- Application form must be completed legibly by the applicant. (The application form on the reverse side may be photocopied).
- Students 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.
- Applications must be accompanied by two letters of recommendation from high school faculty members familiar with the student's work and media related career interests.
- Students may provide additional information such as samples or articles that have been published (limit to two, please).

Submission of Application

Submit the application and all other material required to: Ohio News Media Foundation Minority Scholarship, 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Scanned completed application materials may be emailed to mwidner@ohionews.org in PDF format.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY APRIL 19, 2019

Notification and Payment

The scholarship winner will be announced on or around May 30, 2019. The scholarship check will be mailed during the summer of 2019 following verification of college enrollment.

For Additional Information:

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2019 Minority Journalism Scholarship Application

Name: _____ Sex: ____ M ____ F

Address: _____ E-mail: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

High School _____

School Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ School Telephone: _____

Principal's Name _____

Grade Point Average: _____ (Minimum 2.5/4.0 required) SAT Score: _____

Have you participated in any high school journalism activities? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please describe: _____

College or university selected: _____ City, State: _____

Second Choice: _____ City, State: _____

Anticipated date of enrollment: _____ Anticipated major: _____

Minority group: ____ African American ____ Hispanic ____ Asian American ____ American Indian

Verification of Application

By signing below, the student confirms that the information provided is accurate and the essay was written by that same student. The student also asserts to his/her intent to study journalism or a field relevant to the newspaper industry as noted on the previous page. The school official confirms the minority status of the applicant.

Student Signature: _____

School Official: _____ Signed: _____

Title: _____ Phone: _____

NOTE THESE ITEMS MUST BE RECEIVED WITH APPLICATION FORM:

- **Official High School Transcript**
- **750-1,000 Word Autobiography**
- **Two Letters of Recommendation**

Applications must be postmarked by APRIL 19, 2019. Submit applications to: Ohio News Media Foundation Minority Scholarship 1335 Dublin Road, Suite 216-B, Columbus, OH 43215