

APPLICATION INFORMATION
UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA COLLEGE OF JOURNALISM AND COMMUNICATIONS
2019-2020 UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIPS

DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 4TH, 2019, 4PM IN THE KNIGHT DIVISION, 1060 WEIMER HALL

Submission of this application places you in consideration for all scholarships that you qualify for, offered through the Knight Division in the College of Journalism and Communications. Please read all items thoroughly, as incomplete or ineligible applications will not be reviewed.

ELIGIBILITY

- Have a College of Journalism and Communications major declared as primary major
- Be enrolled full-time at the University of Florida (12 semester hours) when the award becomes effective
- Some awards are restricted to students with demonstrated financial need
- Some scholarships are major restricted. A change in major may result in a loss of award.
- 3.0 minimum grade point average (GPA) for most awards, unless otherwise specified
- *Renewal applicants must submit an updated application and meet all requirements.
**Renewals are not guaranteed.*

INSTRUCTIONS

To be considered for undergraduate scholarships awarded by the College of Journalism and Communications at the University of Florida, please submit the following:

- The attached application, typed or written clearly and neatly
- A typed 1 page statement of your reasons for pursuing your major and career goals, as well as your achievements in the college/field and any obstacles you've overcome.
- Resume. It should include media-related experiences and activities, leadership activities, volunteer experiences, and technical skills
- Letter of recommendation. Letters should indicate your potential for success in your chosen major/career field. 1 letter is required, but a max of 3 will be accepted. Address to the Knight Division and mail or email to the Knight Division Director at kgraham@jou.ufl.edu.
- Submit completed packets to the Knight Division via drop-off, fax, or email (see below)

All applicants will receive an email acknowledgement that their application has been received and will be notified by email of the scholarship committee's decisions before April 30, 2019.

For more information or if you have any questions, contact:

University of Florida
College of Journalism and Communications
Knight Division
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P.O. Box 118400, Gainesville FL, 32611.
Phone: (352) 392-0289 Fax: (352)846-2484
Email: pwilkerson@jou.ufl.edu

For a complete listing of scholarships, please visit www.jou.ufl.edu/knight

8. Select career areas of interest. Check only those that apply:

- Journalism-Editing
- Journalism-Magazine
- Journalism-Online Media
- Journalism-Photojournalism
- Journalism-Reporting
- Public Relations
- Newspaper
- Non-Profit Organizations
- Sports Broadcasting
- Political Journalism
- Newspaper Advertising
- Telecommunication-Management
- Telecommunication-Media & Society
- Telecommunication-News
- Telecommunication-Production
- Graphics/Design
- Radio
- Environmental Journalism
- Media Ethics/Diversity
- Public Interest
- Health Care/Public Health
- Advertising Sales

This box is for students applying directly from high school or another college/university

High School (If Freshman): _____

College/University (If Transfer): _____

City/State _____

FINANCIAL RESOURCES

Financial need is **not** a requirement for all scholarships; however, there are several scholarships which require documentation of financial need. **(Complete a FAFSA or Determination of Financial Need Form).**

9. Do you have financial need for a scholarship? Yes ___ No___

Please disclose any information you feel should be considered regarding your financial status?
This section is required to be eligible for need based aid. (State below or attach statement)

I hereby affirm that I have read and understand all of the requirements for eligibility of the College of Journalism and Communications Scholarship as outlined on the header page. In addition, I affirm that all statements made on this application are true and authorize verification of such information. I affirm that any funds received under this award will be used only for expenses related to my enrollment at the University of Florida. I understand that any false statements may result in the cancellation of any scholarships/assistantships I may receive.

Signed: _____ Date _____

For Admin Use Only:

GPA _____ Awarded: Y or N Award: _____

Fund # _____ Amount _____ Date _____