



2010 Scholarship Application

*Please see the back of this form for eligibility and application requirements.
Please print or type.*

Complete Name: _____
Street Address: _____
City, State and Zip Code: _____
Permanent Address: _____
(If different, from address above.)
Home Phone Number with Area Code: _____
Cell Phone Number with Area Code: _____
E-mail Address (required): _____
Social Security Number (required): _____
Current High School or College: _____
Name of college the applicant will attend during the 2010-11 academic year: _____
High School Graduation Date (if High School Student) or Anticipated College Graduation Date (if College Student): _____
Select *one* category: Print Communications
(Print Journalism, Public Relations, Advertising)
 Broadcast
(Television or Radio)
 Visual Arts/Multimedia
(Photojournalism, Graphic Design, Web Site Design)

The statements I have made in this application are true, accurate and complete.

Signature

Date

Deadline: Application must be postmarked by Friday, May 14, 2010.

**Return this application form, along with the required items, in one envelope or package to:
SAAHJ 2010 Scholarship Chair
P.O. Box 120334
San Antonio, TX 78212**

Eligibility and Application Requirements for the SAAHJ 2010-11 Scholarship

All students who meet the eligibility requirements listed below are encouraged to apply, especially students of color.

Eligibility Requirements:

The applicant must

- * Attend a San Antonio college/university OR have a permanent residence in San Antonio or Bexar County,
- * Be a journalism or communications major or commit to pursue a career in the communications industry, (broadcast, print, advertising, public relations, photojournalism, graphic arts, multimedia or online journalism)
- * Enroll in college full-time (12-hour course load or more per semester) during the *entire* 2010-11 academic year, (current high school seniors or college students may apply), and
- * Demonstrate financial need.

The immediate families of SAAHJ members are not eligible for consideration.

Each application, regardless of category, must include:

- Copy of 2009 Income Tax Form** – A parent/guardian's tax form must be submitted if the applicant is a dependent, including W-2 form(s). The applicant's tax form must be submitted if the applicant is financially independent.
- One-Page Resume** – Include education, work history, internships, awards, other scholarships, volunteer work, language proficiency and any journalistic or communications work.
- Autobiography** – Limited to 500 words, include any special circumstances related to financial need.
- Two Reference Letters** – Letters must be printed on letterhead and be submitted from individuals who are familiar with the applicant's journalistic or academic work. *Letters may be mailed under separate cover.* Letters from family members will *not* be considered.
- Transcripts(s)** – Include transcripts from each school, unless grades from previous school(s) appear on current transcript. *Transcripts may be mailed under separate cover.*

Applicant must submit the appropriate work samples for the category selected:

- Print** – Print Journalism—Two writing samples. Published work is preferred but journalism classwork *may* be considered.
- Communications** – PR or Advertising—PR plans, news releases, ad campaigns, etc. Journalism classwork *may* be considered.
- Broadcast TV** – Script *and* DVD, five-minute maximum, written or produced by the applicant. Music videos will *not* be considered.
- Broadcast Radio** – Script *and* audio tape, five minutes maximum, written or produced by the applicant. DJ work samples will *not* be considered.
- Visual Arts** – Two samples of photographs, graphic design, multimedia or Web site design. Web site links may be provided in lieu of hard copy. Photojournalists should submit a DVD, five minutes maximum, photographed and edited by the applicant.

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Applications become the property of SAAHJ.

Shipping instructions:

**Submit the application with required items in one envelope/package to:
SAAHJ 2008 Scholarship Chair, P.O. Box 120334, San Antonio, TX 78212.**

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Questions? Call 210.250.3234 or e-mail jzarazua@express-news.net.