



Colorado Press Women

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Colorado Press Women 2012 College Scholarship

Purpose: To award a \$1,000 scholarship to a deserving Colorado undergraduate student who demonstrates a desire to pursue journalism as a career.

Selection Criteria:

- Applicant must be an undergraduate majoring in journalism or mass communications at a four-year Colorado college or university.
- Applicant must intend to seek employment in journalism or mass communications.
- Applicant must demonstrate a grade point average of 3.0 or above.
- Preference may be given to a student who demonstrates financial need.

Application Process

- Applicant must complete the attached application form.
- Applicant must provide a letter of recommendation from a mass communications/journalism faculty member at the college the student is attending.
- Applicant must provide a 300- to 500-word essay that introduces the candidate and summarizes the candidate's college and/or community projects; published articles, video clips or web postings; awards; and/or internships. The essay must also state the candidate's goals after graduation and may include information concerning the student's financial need.

Application Deadline: April 13, 2012. Award to be announced by May 11, 2012

**Submit application packet by email (preferred) to: gigones@q.com
or contact Barbara Gigone, 303-443-5370 for postal address**

**For more information, contact Barbara Gigone, gigones@q.com:
303-443-5370 (Please note the address has a q.—not a g)**



COLORADO PRESS WOMEN 2012 College Scholarship Application

Candidate's Name: _____

Year in College: _____ GPA: _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____

Candidate's Home Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

University/College: _____

Candidate's Major: _____

College Address: _____

Journalism/Communications Faculty Making Recommendation:

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Application Deadline: April 13, 2012. Applications must be submitted by e-mail or postmarked by that date. If impossible to e-mail, contact Barbara Gigone, CPW scholarship chair, 303-443-5370 or gigones@q.com for postal address or with questions. Application forms will be e-mailed upon request.

Applications must include:

- ✓ ***Application form***
- ✓ ***Application essay***
- ✓ ***Letter of recommendation***
- ✓ ***Current college transcript***