

Virginia News Photographers Association

APPLICATION

George Smith Memorial Scholarship

Deadline: March 1, 2004

Name: _____

Social Security Number: _____ **Optional: Age** ____ **Sex** ____ **Marital Status**

Campus Address and

Phone: _____

Home Address and

Phone: _____

School: _____

Minor: _____

Major: _____

GPA: (overall) _____ **(major)** _____

Class Standing: _____

Expected Date of Graduation: _____

Do You Plan to Attend Graduate School? _____

If so, where _____

Tuition, room and board: _____

Courses taken in photojournalism, journalism & photography:

1. _____

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2. _____

3. _____

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5. _____

6. _____

Include current transcript (optional)

Do you presently hold a scholarship? If yes, name it and the amount.

What percentage of your education do you pay? Approximately.

Are you presently employed? _____ Full time _____ Part time _____
If employed give name of employer and duties

List any experience you have had in photojournalism. Describe your duties.

List any scholastic or extracurricular activities related to photojournalism.

Give additional information, if you wish, you feel is important in your consideration for the VNPA scholarship.

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Include a letter of recommendation from a faculty member or photojournalism acquaintance. Include his or her phone number.
Describe your ambitions, goals and career plans in photojournalism. Why are you interested in a photojournalism career? Use the back of this page if necessary.
Enclose a portfolio of at least 20 slides (no originals, please). These will be returned to you. Your portfolio should show a variety of skills and subject matter and will be given top priority in application consideration. Although the scholarship will be considered and annual award, the VNPA Council reserves the right to postpone presentation if no worthy recipient is found.
The awards luncheon will be held as part of the annual VNPA convention. If selected, would you attend? _____

Falsification of this application is grounds for rejection.

Signature _____ Date _____

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