

UNIVERSITY of WISCONSIN - EAU CLAIRE

**Department of Communication and Journalism Scholarships Spring 2009**

*For complete eligibility criteria visit <http://www.uwec.edu/cj/Scholarships.htm>*

**Marshall B. Atkinson Journalism Scholarship** (One: \$500) For a continuing junior or senior Print Journalism student. This scholarship is funded and awarded by the Eau Claire Press Company.

**Conner Spectator Excellence and Promise Award** (One: \$250) The recipient of this award is a **continuing** *Spectator* staff member with at least one semester of experience. Recipient is **selected** by the editors in chief of the fall and spring semester and the *Spectator* adviser. Special consideration will be given to younger staff members showing promise and commitment to future work on the paper.

**Ann Devroy Fellowship** (One: \$1,400, residency and internship) Recipient must show exceptional promise and ability as a journalist including demonstrated interest in and aptitude for a reporting or editing career. Outstanding contributions to *The Spectator*, a commitment to high standards in reporting and financial need are also requirements.

**Excellence in Communication Award** (One: \$100) Award granted to a continuing outstanding CJ student in organizational communication, public communication, or mass communication-public relations; minimum major GPA 3.2. See application for more criteria.

**James E. Fields Journalism Scholarship** (One: \$300) For a continuing mass communication-advertising, broadcast journalism or print journalism major with financial need and future promise in their respective field. Preference given to nontraditional students.

**Joseph Giordano Memorial Scholarship** (One: \$100) A recipient is **selected** by the faculty of the Department of Communication and Journalism based on criteria found on <http://www.uwec.edu/cj/Scholarships.htm>.

**William S. Cody Hall Memorial Scholarship** (Variable: \$1,000) For a continuing junior or senior communication major or minor active in public speaking, oral persuasion and preparing for a career in teaching speech/communication/forensics/debate or law school. GPA 3.0 minimum requirement. **Application and full details available from the Director of Forensics.**

**William Randolph Hearst Journalism Scholarship** (Variable: \$600) Grants from the Hearst Journalism Awards Program are received based on student entries in monthly journalism competitions. Awarded to continuing journalism majors for outstanding achievement in writing, photo, broadcast and/or multi-media journalism.

**Lee and Esther Sanford Hench Memorial Scholarship** (Two: \$400) For a continuing junior or senior mass communication-advertising, broadcast or print journalism major who exhibits scholarship potential balanced by financial need.

**Catherine and Greg Leaf Public Relations Scholarship** (One: \$500) For a continuing sophomore or junior with declared mass communication-public relations major and minimum 2.75 GPA. Demonstrated financial need and commitment to study and participation in public relations demonstrated by GPA, leadership in student organizations, participation in campus and/or community special projects and pursuit of internship opportunities.

**Henry Lippold Fellowship** (One: \$500 and internship) Awarded to continuing sophomore or junior with declared broadcast journalism major or minor. Candidates must have demonstrated commitment to broadcast news field. Fellowship consists of scholarship funds and three weeks mentoring/shadowing in the news department of KSTP-TV in Minneapolis-St. Paul during 2010 winter break.

**Jill Muenich Organizational Communication Study Abroad Scholarship** (One: \$500) **NEW!** For continuing sophomore, junior or senior Organizational Communication student; minimum resident and major GPA 3.0. Second preference to a student pursuing another Department major. Applicants must have made a serious application to UW-Eau Claire Study Abroad Program. Scholarship award is contingent upon acceptance to study abroad in Fall 2009 Semester and deposits that semester. See application for more criteria.

**Outstanding Journalism Recognition Scholarship** (One: \$350) To recognize an outstanding continuing journalism student, this award is based upon the **recommendation** of the faculty of the Department of Communication and Journalism.

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**Leslie D. Polk Scholarship** (Two: \$200) For a continuing junior **liberal arts major** who has demonstrated service and leadership to the campus/community and shows promise as a future leader. The student should have a broad interest in the liberal arts. Preference given to Communication and Journalism majors.

**Kevin J. Schieffer Scholarship** (One: \$100) For a continuing junior or senior Communication and Journalism student with demonstrated interest and involvement in international communications/relations/travel abroad. Applicants should give evidence of being effective communicators.

**Cindy Schott Humanitarian Award** (One: \$150) For a continuing junior or senior journalism major whose academic performance has exemplified excellence and compassion. This memorial award is to encourage and recognize the qualities of responsibility and honesty, and the exercise of personal conscience in journalism.

**Robert Smith Memorial Scholarship** (One: \$100) Competition award for a continuing Communication and Journalism student to encourage creativity and innovation in graphic design work.

**Sally A. Webb Diversity Tuition Scholarship in Organizational Communication** (One: \$500) For a continuing junior or senior majoring in the Department of Communication and Journalism whose academic performance exemplifies excellence. Minimum resident and major GPA 3.0. First preference given to student of color (African American, Hispanic/Latino, American Indian, or Asian American), or a student with documented disabilities who is an organizational communication major. Second, to a student of color or a student with documented disabilities who is pursuing another Department major.

**Sally A. Webb International Student Tuition Scholarship** (One: \$500) For a continuing junior or senior international student seeking a degree at UW-Eau Claire and whose academic performance exemplifies excellence. Minimum resident and major GPA 3.0. First preference given to international student organizational communication major. Second, to an international student pursuing another Department major.

**Sally A. Webb Organizational Communication Tuition Scholarship** (One: \$1,000) For a continuing junior or senior who is an organizational communication major and whose academic performance exemplifies excellence. Applicants must have a minimum resident and major GPA of 3.2.

**Sally A. Webb Tuition Scholarship for Study Abroad for an Organizational Communication Student** (One: \$500) For a continuing sophomore, junior or senior whose academic performance exemplifies excellence. Minimum resident and major GPA 3.0. Preference given to an organizational communication major. Second, to a student pursuing another Department major. Applicants must have made a serious application to UW-Eau Claire Study Abroad Program. Scholarship award is contingent upon acceptance to study abroad in Spring 2010 Semester and deposits that semester.

**Donald L. and Geraldine T. Wolfarth Scholarship** (Variable: \$1,500) Applicants must be continuing sophomore, junior or senior majoring in communication who has actively participated in programs, activities and work related to the communication field, and demonstrated excellence in public speaking. Financial need is not a consideration for selection. Applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.25.

**Application deadline is April 7, 2009. Applications available from the Department of Communication and Journalism, Hibbard Hall 152 or at <http://www.uwec.edu/cj/Scholarships.htm>.**

**Award recipients are expected to be present at the Department of Communication and Journalism Student Excellence Recognition Reception on May 8, 2009, 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m., Tamarack Room, Davies Center.**

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