

January 28, 2010

To Whom It May Concern:

The Illinois News Broadcasters Association [INBA] Honors and Awards Scholarship applications are enclosed.

INBA is offering up to four \$1000 scholarships this year. The money can be used toward the cost of books, tuition or other expenses to be incurred while enrolled as a full-time student or to cover living expenses during an internship at a radio or television station serving an Illinois market.

Based on an application and personal interview, the INBA Honors and Awards Committee will award the scholarships to post high school students who have demonstrated an interest and potential in broadcast news. We will also consider financial need and academic performance.

All scholarship applicants must be a member of the INBA. You can join the organization by going to www.inba.net. Student membership dues are \$20.

The postmark deadline for applications is March 3rd, 2010. Finalists must be interviewed on Friday, April 16th at the INBA Spring 2010 Convention. The convention is at the Oak Brook Hills Marriott Resort in Oak Brook, Illinois. Scholarship winners will be invited to stay through the convention as our guests for the weekend. Semi-finalists are encouraged to stay for the convention but at their own expense.

If you have any questions, call Tanya Koonce at WCBU at (309)-677-2775. Thank you for your interest in INBA.

Sincerely,

Tanya Koonce
INBA Honors & Awards Chair
1501 W. Bradley Ave. Jobst 218
Peoria, IL 61625
(309) 677-2775

Enclosure

Illinois News Broadcasters Association

2010 Scholarship Application Form

Posting Deadline: *March 3rd, 2010*

Name: _____

Current Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Area Code, Phone: _____

Permanent Address: _____

School: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____ Major: _____

Will scholarship money be used for an internship? (Yes/No) _____

If Yes, are intern assignments already made? (Yes/No) _____

Summarize below any relevant work experience and college or high school activities:

On a separate page, submit a typewritten statement of your interest in the award. List your broadcast experience, financial need or other information you feel is relevant to your application. **You must submit an official school transcript.**

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We strongly urge you to submit CDs or DVDs demonstrating your abilities. Tapes are not mandatory.

Mail your application to: Tanya Koonce
INBA Honors & Awards
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SCHOLARSHIPS

The Illinois News Broadcasters Association is offering up to four \$1000 scholarships. The stipends are to be used to cover school related expenses for full-time students, or living expenses for students who are serving internships at Illinois radio or television stations. Students who are interested in and demonstrate potential in broadcast news are encouraged to apply.

The scholarship or internship awards will be based upon the applications and personal interviews with students who are enrolled full-time in post-secondary programs. **Interest and demonstrated potential in broadcast news is important, as is financial need and academic performance.**

You must be an INBA member to apply for the scholarship. Students can join the organization by going to www.inba.net. Student membership dues are \$20.

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Forms are available from:

OR:

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Equal Opportunity Practices Apply in INBA Honors and Awards Selections