Society of Professional Journalists, Virginia Pro Chapter and
Virginia SPJ, SDX Educational Foundation
2014 Journalism Scholarships

The Virginia SPJ, SDX Educational Foundation annually awards two scholarships of $1,500 each, available to rising juniors or seniors attending a Virginia college or university, with support from Society of Professional Journalists, Virginia Pro Chapter. Applications will be due in spring 2014 and will be available to download at www.spjva.com/scholarship.

Applicants are not required to be journalism majors, but they must demonstrate intent to pursue a career in journalism (print, broadcast and/or online media). Both winners will be recognized at the annual George Mason Award Banquet, held in the Richmond area each May to honor a person who has supported freedom of the press and contributed significantly to Virginia journalism.

The foundation and the chapter have awarded scholarships to aspiring journalists annually since 1971. Previous scholarship winners now work at the highest levels in national, state and local journalism. This scholarship award on a resume distinguishes an applicant as one of the most talented students entering the profession.

Please encourage students from your college or university to apply by posting and distributing photocopies of this letter and application on your campus. Information and applications also can be downloaded below. However, applications must be completed on paper and submitted by postal mail. For more information, visit www.spjva.com/scholarship or email virginiaprospj@gmail.com.