



Journalism Scholarships

The Connecticut Society of Professional Journalists Foundation Inc. presents the
Bob Eddy Scholarship Program To Foster Journalism Careers

One award each for \$2,500, \$1,500, \$1,000, \$500, and \$500 *

To apply for a scholarship students must start their junior or senior year in the fall and be enrolled at an accredited 4-year college in Connecticut or be a Connecticut resident enrolled in an accredited 4-year college in any state or country. Winner's checks will be made out to student's account care of their school or bursar's office.

Application checklist:

- Provide registrar-signed transcripts of all academic courses completed in advanced study following high school.
- Fill out an application form.
- Submit writing samples, tapes or related work in any media that shows an interest and competency in journalism.
- Write a 500-word essay, double-spaced and typed. Tell us about a current event that captured your interest. How did you stay up on the latest with the event? Why were you so interested in it? How did it affect you? How could it have been told or presented differently to get people more interested?

This application package must be postmarked and delivered to a committee member by **April 7, 2012**. Awards may not be given if applicants do not meet the competition's standards. For more information, contact Liz Glagowski, Scholarship Committee chairman at lglagowski@ctspj.org. You can also find scholarship information at Connecticut SPJ's website at <http://www.ctspj.org>.

Send application package to:

Elizabeth Glagowski
c/o CT SPJ Scholarship Foundation Inc. Committee
15 S. Kerema Ave
Milford, CT 06460

Or send application package as PDFs to: lglagowski@ctspj.org

*The awards recognize Bob Eddy, the late publisher of **The Hartford Courant**, and founder of the Connecticut SPJ chapter; the late Richard Peck, a veteran news reporter and city editor of **The Connecticut Post**, and the late James Clark, a veteran reporter for **The Connecticut Post**, a longtime member of the Connecticut SPJ Scholarship Committee, and a former president of Connecticut SPJ. A new scholarship recognizes the late Pat Child, former WTNH-TV videographer.*

*Other scholarships may also be available

Please type or print

Date _____

BACKGROUND

Name _____

Date of Birth _____ Class of 20 _____

Name of college or university _____

School's address _____

Student's home address _____

Name of parent(s) or spouse _____

Address of parent(s) or spouse _____

Occupation of parent(s) or spouse (Specify if parents are unemployed and/or if they are not employed outside the home.) _____

Student phone nos. (home and school) (cell) _____

Student's e-mail address: _____

Number of civic organizations in which you are a member and any offices held _____

How did you find out about Connecticut SPJ's Bob Eddy Scholarship Program?

School Journalism Dept. ____ Financial Aid Office ____ Internet ____ Other _____

FINANCIAL

The Bob Eddy Scholarship Program is intended to pay for basic expenses of obtaining a bachelor's degree. It is not intended to pay for exchange programs, optional study abroad or post-graduate work. Please list the amounts and sources of scholarships and loans that you receive now. Also, specify related financial support (i.e., parental contributions).

Have you received a previous scholarship from the Connecticut Society of Professional Journalists?

Y/N _____ If yes, when _____

Estimated expenses for the year? _____ How much is your school's tuition? _____

Names of current full-time or part-time employers and how much you earn weekly.

Names of summer employers and weekly earnings.

ACADEMIC

Names of ALL colleges or universities you have attended and dates of attendance.

Present major area of study _____ Minor concentration _____

Current grade point average _____

College honors, activities and organizations.

JOURNALISM

List work done and offices held at student-run newspapers, radio or television stations.

Internships, length of time and supervisors.

Full-time or part-time professional jobs, work dates and supervisors.
