

KENT STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION 2018-2019 AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS FOR INCOMING FRESHMEN

The deadline for submitting an application is **5 p.m. EST, February 16, 2018**. Applications can be delivered to the School of Journalism or Mass Communication Office, 201 Franklin Hall, mailed or e-mailed (contact info at the bottom of this page). If mailed, applications must be postmarked by the Feb. 16, 2018 deadline. All applicants will be notified by mail or e-mail of the award committee's decisions.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for any of the Kent State JMC incoming freshmen scholarships and awards, applicants must:

- + Have applied for and been admitted to Kent State University Kent Campus and selected a major in the School of Journalism and Mass Communication.
- + Commit to attending Kent State no later than May 1, 2018.

IN ADDITION, FOR THE INDIVIDUAL AWARDS LISTED BELOW APPLICANTS MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

	GPA	ACT / SAT	Other Requirements
JMC Promising Scholar Awards	3.7 cumulative high school GPA	26 ACT or 1200 SAT	--
JMC Honors College Scholarships <i>Includes the Helen Carringer Scholarship, the Carringer-Cable Scholarships and the Herb Kamm Scholarship</i>	3.6 cumulative high school GPA	27 ACT composite or 1280 new SAT score	Applied for and been admitted to the Kent State University Honors College. <i>(For more information on the Honors College go to www.kent.edu/honors)</i>
Ohio Scholastic Media Association Scholarship	3.25 cumulative high school GPA	--	Served on the student media staff at an OSMA member high school during the 2017-18 school year.
Wallace J. Hagedorn Photojournalism Scholarships	2.7 cumulative high school GPA	--	Selected journalism as a major.

TO APPLY FOR ANY OF THESE SCHOLARSHIPS OR AWARDS, PLEASE SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING:

1. The attached application.
2. An official high school transcript.
3. A résumé emphasizing your journalism and mass communication and leadership experiences in high school and/or the community.
4. A 500-1,000-word essay that describes why you are choosing an education in journalism and mass communication, how you have demonstrated leadership in high school and/or the community, what drives you to excel and your professional goals.
5. Three to five original work samples, which can come from high school student media or other academic or extracurricular activities. Applicants for the Hagedorn Photojournalism Scholarship should provide a URL to examples of their photography work online and may include as many samples of work as desired. Applicants for other scholarships may provide a URL for work samples as well.
6. At least one letter of recommendation from an individual who can speak to your potential for success in a journalism or mass communication field. To be considered for the OSMA Scholarship, one recommendation letter must be from your high school media adviser. Letters should be directed to Incoming Freshmen Scholarships and Awards Committee and be mailed or e-mailed to the School of Journalism and Mass Communication at the address below.

SUBMIT APPLICATION BY MAIL OR EMAIL:

Incoming Freshmen Scholarships and Awards

School of Journalism and Mass Communication | Kent State University | P.O. Box 5190 | 201 Franklin Hall | Kent, OH 44242-0001

Phone: (330) 672-2572 Email: jmc@kent.edu

For details of all School of Journalism and Mass Communication Scholarships for incoming freshmen, see the JMC website: www.kent.edu/jmc/scholarships-future-students

APPLICATION FOR 2018-2019 JMC INCOMING FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Submit by mail or email:

Incoming Freshmen Scholarships and Awards
School of Journalism and Mass Communication
Kent State University
P.O. Box 5190, 201 Franklin Hall, Kent, OH 44242-0001
Email: jmc@kent.edu

FULL NAME: _____

KENT STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT ID: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: / / _____

PHONE: () _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE: _____

ZIP CODE: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

(ALL NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS ADDRESS)

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED: _____

CITY/STATE: _____

DATE OF GRADUATION: / / _____

1. SELECT THE SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS FOR WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE CONSIDERED.

- JMC PROMISING SCHOLAR AWARD
 JMC HONORS COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

- WALLACE J. HAGEDORN PHOTOJOURNALISM SCHOLARSHIP
 OHIO SCHOLASTIC MEDIA ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

2. WHAT IS YOUR INTENDED MAJOR AND CONCENTRATION? (CHECK ONE)

- ADVERTISING DIGITAL MEDIA PRODUCTION JOURNALISM PUBLIC RELATIONS
 DIGITAL FILM
 TELEVISION

3. HAVE YOU BEEN ADMITTED TO THE KENT STATE HONORS COLLEGE?

- YES NO

4. SEMESTER IN WHICH YOU WILL BEGIN STUDIES AT KENT STATE: _____

I AFFIRM THAT ALL STATEMENTS MADE IN MY APPLICATION FOR THE PROMISING SCHOLAR AWARD ARE TRUE AND AUTHORIZE VERIFICATION OF SUCH INFORMATION. I UNDERSTAND THAT ANY FALSE STATEMENTS PROVIDED IN MY APPLICATION MATERIALS MAY RESULT IN THE CANCELLATION OF ANY AWARD I MAY RECEIVE.

SIGNED: _____

DATE / / _____