



Wichita Professional Communicators

2012 Scholarship Application Form

As a longtime local communication organization, Wichita Professional Communicators offers scholarships to students at Butler Community College, Friends University, Newman University and Wichita State University. The qualified applicant is a declared communication student in print or broadcast journalism, mass communications, public relations, or advertising with a 3.0 overall grade point average and at least 45 hours of college credit.

The completed application form must be accompanied by one letter of recommendation from a faculty member or professional communicator and three to four samples of the applicant's work, which are either published pieces or work prepared for class credit.

Two scholarships of **\$1,000 each** are being offered to qualified candidates from the four schools listed above. The completed application form, letter of recommendation, and work samples must be **postmarked by February 3, 2012** and mailed to:

Deb Umberger, scholarship chairwoman
Wichita Professional Communicators
12022 W. Autumn Ridge St.
Wichita, KS 67235-9713

Name _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail address _____

College _____ Declared major _____

Anticipated graduation date _____

GPA _____ Number of college credit hours completed _____

Please attach the following information, headed and numbered as shown below. Responses should be brief, generally not longer than a half-page for each topic unless more space is needed.

1. List prior and current work experience.
2. List organizations and activities in which you are involved.
3. Describe your professional goals and objectives in communications.
4. Explain why you have chosen this field.
5. **If work submitted was done in collaboration with others, include a brief statement of your role in project development.** Examples: layout, writing, desktop publishing, photos.
6. **If work does not include your byline, attach an authorization statement from a faculty member or professional communicator.**
7. Please include masthead and date on all published work submitted.

I have included one letter of recommendation and _____ samples of work with this application.

Applicant's signature _____

Date received by committee _____