

# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION



## Jim Davidson and Jane Pak College Scholarship

The Gloria Shields NSPA Media Workshop will award the Jim Davidson Memorial Scholarship and the Jane Pak Honorary Scholarship at Thursday's grand awards ceremony. These scholarships are awarded annually to two graduating seniors who plan to further their journalism education at a college or university.

Established in 1994, the \$500 Jim Davidson college scholarship is a memorial to Davidson, one of the founders of the workshop and a former leader in scholastic journalism. Davidson taught at Lake Highlands High School, where his yearbooks and newspapers were consistent award winners.

In 2010, the workshop committee established the \$500 Jane Pak Honorary Scholarship in honor of Pak, a former Hillcrest High School journalism parent who has volunteered hundreds of hours to the workshop. Her dedication and hard work have helped make this workshop what it is today.

These scholarships will be awarded to two graduating seniors who show evidence of ability and merit in the field of scholastic journalism. The recipients must have attended the Gloria Shields NSPA Media Workshop at least once. While the recipients must plan to attend a college or university, they do not have to major in journalism. However, they must plan to continue their study in the field.

Applicants must complete the form at the bottom of this page, attach requirements listed, and have the form completed and turned in by **1:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 26.**

Finalists will be selected by the workshop committee, and they will have an opportunity to give additional information in a personal interview. The winner of the scholarship will be announced at the awards ceremony of the Gloria Shields NSPA Media Workshop.

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING: \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS RANK: \_\_\_\_\_ PUBLICATION ADVISER: \_\_\_\_\_

SECTIONS OF THE WORKSHOP YOU'VE ATTENDED OR ARE ATTENDING: \_\_\_\_\_

JOURNALISM CLASSES YOU'VE TAKEN: \_\_\_\_\_

### SUBMIT THE APPLICATION WITH THESE ATTACHMENTS:

1. A letter/essay explaining why you think you are qualified and deserving of receiving this scholarship. Include your future plans and what you hope to achieve in your career.
2. A brief high school journalism resume.
3. Brief recommendation thoughts from your adviser, though not necessarily a fully developed letter of recommendation.
4. Samples of your journalistic work. Include no more than five. Yearbooks can be tagged and will be returned.

**DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 26 by 1:30 p.m. at the workshop registration desk.**