

**BOB FISH MEMORIAL**  **SCHOLARSHIP**  
RHODE ISLAND BROADCASTERS ASSOCIATION

## Sponsored by Rhode Island Broadcasters Association

**The application process is rolling and completed applications will be accepted throughout the year.**

RIBA awards (10) \$1,000 (One Thousand Dollar) scholarships to qualifying students each year.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Must be a Rhode Island resident or attending a university/college within Rhode Island
- Cumulative GPA of 2.8 or higher
- Able to demonstrate class standing, employment and extra-curricular activities that compliment a career in TV or Radio?
- Completed or involved with an internship program within a Television or Radio station within Rhode Island that offers you college credit.

### **To Apply:**

You must include all of the following information to be considered as a candidate for any of the RIBA scholarships: (All information must be included within your application by the date specified above)

- **Completed application**
- **Narrative essay** limited to 250 words
- **1 letter of recommendation** from a faculty member
- **1 letter of recommendation** from the General Manager and/or internship supervisor or coordinator of the station where you intern
- Copy of your **most recent transcript**

***Mail complete application packet to:***

***RIBA, 11 South Angell Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02906 Attn: Lori Needham***

***(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY)***

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_  
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: (HOME) \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: (CELL PHONE) \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY ATTENDING/YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_  
CURRENT CUMULATIVE GPA: \_\_\_\_\_  
MAJOR: \_\_\_\_\_  
MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

MOTHER AND/OR FATHER'S NAME (S): \_\_\_\_\_

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

- Describe school, business, community or other outside activities that you are involved in, past or present.
- List all positions held as well as how much time you invested in your activities.

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**NARRATIVE**

Submit a brief narrative describing yourself including the following points: (maximum 250 words)

- 1. Your reasons for seeking a RIBA scholarship
- 2. Family member, friend, colleague or educator that has influenced you in a significant way
- 3. Aspects of a potential career in communications that interest you
- 4. Your long range goals and aspirations

**REFERENCES**

Please indicate one academic, one personal reference and one professional reference from your present intern or employment location that RIBA may contact:

*ACADEMIC REFERENCE:*

NAME, RELATIONSHIP, TELEPHONE

1. \_\_\_\_\_

*PERSONAL REFERENCE:*

NAME, TELEPHONE

1. \_\_\_\_\_

*PROFESSIONAL REFERENCE:*

NAME, COMPANY, TELEPHONE

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By signing below I acknowledge that the information contained herein is true and accurate and I have not in any way misrepresented any information.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, DATE

***All recipients of the Bob Fish Memorial Scholarship will be required to sign and submit a W-9 prior to check being released. Recipients of the Bob Fish Memorial Scholarship will be presented with the award at a scholarship breakfast.***