



ILLINOIS PRESS FOUNDATION/EIU JOURNALISM WORKSHOP

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The IPF/EIU High School Journalism Workshop is an 11-day residential program that provides students an intimate look at journalism as a career. The goal is to educate students about the journalism profession, including approaches by modern, digital newsrooms. The workshop introduces students to the complete process of publishing news: gathering and validating information, substantiating and using multiple sources, writing news, editing, designing, and production. In addition, students are exposed to the concepts of news literacy and how to differentiate and establish fact from fiction in today's sometimes frenetic, rush-to-report news environment. This year's workshop takes place June 20-30, 2017. No experience is necessary to apply.

NAME _____ AGE _____

STREET _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

HOME PHONE (____) _____ CELL PHONE (____) _____

EMAIL _____ PARENTS' NAMES _____

SCHOOL _____ GRADE IN FALL 2017 _____

GPA IS ____ ON ____ SCALE WORKED ON HS media (circle one) Yes No

ETHNICITY (circle one) African-American Hispanic Asian-American Caucasian Other

SEND THIS FORM TO Joe Gisoni, c/o EIU Journalism Dept., 600 Lincoln Ave., Charleston, IL 61920 or email to jjgisoni@eiu.edu. *Deadline is May 25, 2017.* Submit recommendation letters, writing examples, and personal essay with this application form.