

Illinois Press Association/Eastern Illinois University

High School Journalism Camp Application

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BOUT THE PROGRAM: The IPF/EIU High School Journalism Camp is a 7-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 camp 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 26-July 2, 2022. Graduating seniors are eligible to participate.

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**EMAIL** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **PARENTS’ NAMES** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**SCHOOL** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE IN FALL 2022** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**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** Betsy Jewell, c/o EIU Journalism Dept., 600 Lincoln Ave., Charleston, IL 61920 or email to cejewell@eiu.edu. Deadline is June 8, 2022. Don’t forget to also submit a personal essay (reasons for wanting to attend this camp and future goals) with this application. Recommendation letters can be sent afterward – so long as they are received by the deadline above.

 