NATIONAL SOCIETY OF NEWSPAPER COLUMNISTS EDUCATION FOUNDATION

Jeff Zaslow College Columnist Award Entry Form

WHO IS ELIGIBLE: Undergraduates (including seniors) who write bylined, general-interest or editorial-page columns that appear in the print or online editions of college newspapers. Specialized columnists, such as movie reviewers and sports commentators, are not eligible. Columns carrying dual bylines are eligible, but only one prize will be awarded.

DETAILS: Send clippings of three columns published between March 1, 2013, and Feb. 28, 2014, in your college newspaper. (A college newspaper is one whose main circulation is on a college campus.) Paste the clippings to 8 ½- by 11-inch sheets of paper. Photocopies of columns are acceptable. If the column was published online only, send a printout. **No entry fee is required.**

TO ENTER: 1. Please print out this form. 2. Fill it out completely. 3. Attach three clippings. 4. Send to NSNC Education Foundation, P.O. Box 411532, San Francisco, CA 94141. You can also email your entry to director@columnists.com.



THE DEADLINE: Entries must be postmarked (or time-stamped if emailed) no later than March 15, 2014.

THE PRIZES: The first-prize winner, determined by judges chosen by the NSNC, will receive a scholarship of \$1,000 and will be the guest of the NSNC at its annual convention in Washington, D.C., June 26-29, 2014 (airfare, hotel, registration paid by the NSNC Education Foundation). Second-prize winner will receive \$500. Third-prize winner will receive \$250.

QUESTIONS? If you have questions, contact NSNC Scholarship Chair Joel Brinkley by email, joelgbrinkley@yahoo.com.

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| College or university: |
| Current year (sophomore, junior etc.) and major: |
| Street address, daytime and nighttime telephone numbers and email address: |
| College newspaper's name: |
| Your title at the newspaper (if applicable): |
| Frequency of your column (weekly, monthly, etc.): |
| Name of your column (if applicable): |
| Date, headline and web address (if any) of entered columns. Web address (URL) must be valid at least to July 1, 2014: |
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| Please provide the name, phone number and email address of the newspaper's faculty liaison or adviser. If the newspaper doesn't have one, please include contact information for your academic adviser. Also, please provide contact information for the chair of your academic department. |
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