

2020 Applicants: If you have not yet sent your application package, please submit a USB (thumb) Drive to send us video for multimedia samples, NOT CDs or DVDs. If you have already sent your package to us with a CD enclosed, we will contact you to request a USB Drive or link to the media.

THE RICHARD G. ZIMMERMAN JOURNALISM SCHOLARSHIP

The late Richard G. Zimmerman, a National Press Club member of long standing, endowed a significant scholarship in aid of high school seniors who wish to pursue a career in journalism. Recipients will receive a non-renewable award of \$5,000.

The Richard G. Zimmerman scholarship is open to all high school seniors, regardless of gender or race. Applicants must have a 3.0 grade average and plan to attend college this year.

Applicants **MUST** provide the following information in **TRIPLICATE (3 copies of all requested information)**. All information must be included in **ONE PACKAGE, INCLUDING RECOMMENDATIONS**. Newspaper articles must be reduced to 8 ½ by 11-inch sheets. **FAILURE TO INCLUDE ALL INFORMATION IN TRIPLICATE, INCLUDING MULTIMEDIA FORMATS, WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.**

- 3 work samples. These may be print articles (reduced to 8 ½ by 11 size) or multimedia stories on a thumb (USB) drive or file upload service/URL.
- Three letters of recommendation from persons who are not members of your family.
- Your high school transcript.
- Completed, signed copy of the Financial Aid Form (FAFSA) that you submitted.
- A letter of acceptance from the college/university of your choice or some documentation indicating where you have applied.

THE RICHARD G. ZIMMERMAN JOURNALISM SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Please type or print legibly

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 1.
Only the winner will be notified of his/her acceptance.**

Name: _____ **Age:** _____

Home address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

Home telephone: _____

Email address: _____

Name, address and telephone of high school:

College(s) to which you have applied:

URL(s) of work sample files:

**Send completed application, including THREE copies of all requested
information to:**

**National Press Club
Zimmerman Scholarship Committee
529 14th Street, NW, 13th Floor
Washington, DC 20045**