SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION HONORS

OUTSTANDING JOURNALISM MAJOR: JUNIOR AND SENIOR AWARDS

Requirements and Nomination Procedure

If you are interested in the Outstanding Journalism Major: Junior or Senior Award, consider the following requirements and submit your name to the School of Communication using the procedure outlined below.

REQUIREMENTS:

- The student should have at least a **3.5 GPA in their major and a 3.25 cumulative GPA**. Students can determine their grade point average using the GPA calculator online: http://www.luc.edu/advising/gpa_calculator.html

- The student should participate in School of Communication activities (e.g., the Debate Society, WLUW IABC, SPJ, Service Learning, Lambda Pi Eta-Beta Rho, PRSSA, Ad Club, Rambler Productions, etc.).

- The nominee should submit a one-page, double-spaced, typewritten statement describing her/his qualifications and explaining why he/she chose Journalism as a major.

- The nominee should also include an original sample of their work with the application. (This can be submitted in written form and other form appropriate to the original work submitted. **Video content must be submitted as a link**.) The sample should be a student's best work representing the culmination of skills and knowledge they have acquired as an undergraduate.

- Please attach an application form and unofficial transcript to your statement and work sample.

- A typewritten faculty support statement (recommendation) should also be submitted. Students should ask a favorite professor or faculty member.

NOMINATION PROCEDURE:

A student may be nominated in one of three ways:

a) By a faculty member within the school. Faculty should notify email scoopergibson@luc.edu to send application form to student;

b) By an established school group; or

c) By self-nomination

**Deadline: March 28, 2014, 12am**

Presentations will be made at the School of Communication Honors Reception as part of the university’s Weekend of Excellence on April 11th, 1pm
SCHOOL OF COMMUNICATION
OUTSTANDING JOURNALISM MAJOR
APPLICATION FORM

NAME______________________________ID#__________________________

ADDRESS________________________________________________________

PHONE___________________________EMAIL_________________________

[ ] JUNIOR (completed 60 or more hours)
[ ] SENIOR (completed 90 or more hours)

Return to: upload.Outstan.npv2nb46b@u.box.com
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[ ] Application form
[ ] One-page essay
[ ] Original work sample
[ ] Unofficial Transcript
[ ] Faculty Letter