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WKU XPOSURE 2017

HIGH SCHOOL JOURNALISM WORKSHOP

JUNE 10-18, 2017
AT WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

High school students from throughout Kentucky and the region have come to learn and practice journalism at Western Kentucky University's Xposure Journalism Workshop, now in its 34th year.

Students who participate in Xposure show an interest in journalism and come to the workshops from a variety of backgrounds, including those under-represented in U.S. newsrooms. The 12 students selected for the Xposure stay on campus, and work in the state-of-the-art newsroom of the award-winning College Heights Herald and WKUHerald.com, Talisman Magazine and WKUTalisman.com.

There is no cost to students attending, as the workshop is funded through grants from Xposure alumni, WKU's School of Journalism & Broadcasting, Office of the Provost and Student Publications, as well as news organizations throughout the region.

Alumni of WKU's Xposure workshops fill newsrooms throughout the country, from Washington to Florida to New York and places in between. They help ensure that news gatherers at media outlets mirror the diverse communities they serve.

For more information, contact Chuck Clark, workshop director, at Chuck.Clark@wku.edu, or Bob Adams, co-director, at Robert.Adams@wku.edu.

Registration deadline: Friday, April 28, 2017

Apply on reverse, or AFTER FEB. 1, 2017, at www.wku.edu/journalism/documents/xposure_application.pdf

Hosted by the WKU School of Journalism & Broadcasting and WKU Student Publications



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APPLICATION

*Application must be returned to the address below
no later than April 28, 2017*

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Name _____ Age _____

Gender: M _____ F _____ Grade you will be in at the start of fall 2017: _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parents/Guardians Names _____

Home Phone: (____) _____ Work Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Your cell phone number: _____ Your email: _____

Journalism Teacher/Adviser _____

School Name _____ School Phone _____

School Address _____

Have you ever worked on a school publication or taken a journalism course? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, what have you done? _____

Have you attended a high school journalism workshop before? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, where and what year? _____

Why do you want to attend the Xposure High School Journalism Workshop?

Name of your hometown newspaper: _____

VERY IMPORTANT

To complete the application process, you must:

- Write a 250-300 word essay on "The Importance of Quality Journalism"
- Provide a copy of your high school transcript
- Provide a photograph of you for use on the workshop Web site and identification cards
- Return the application, essay and transcript by April 28, 2017 to:

Xposure Journalism Workshop
WKU School of Journalism & Broadcasting
1906 College Heights Blvd. # 11070
Bowling Green, KY 42101-1070

- You must monitor your email since that is how we will communicate with you