



2008 Professional Scholarship Application

Application Deadline: July 2, 2008

Mail Applications to:
NABJ/UNITY Professional Scholarships
8701 Adelphi Road
Adelphi, MD 20783

In response to the large numbers of journalists of color cut from the nation's newsrooms in 2008, the National Association of Black Journalists (NABJ) has established professional scholarships for members affected by the job cuts to attend the quadrennial UNITY: Journalists of Color Convention, July 23-27, 2008 in Chicago, Illinois. The scholarship will cover UNITY convention registration.

This form must be completed and returned to NABJ via **email to iwashington@nabj.org**. Fax or email submissions ARE NOT accepted. **Incomplete application packets will be disqualified.**

Are you a member of NABJ? _____ Yes _____ No
Applicants must be NABJ members prior to the application deadline date.

Member ID# _____

First Name: _____ Middle: _____ Last Name _____

Current Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Present Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

*Mandatory, this is how NABJ communicates with all applicants. List email address most frequently checked.

Application Requirements

- Must be full members of NABJ
- Minimum of two years professional experience
- Must have been laid-off from your media company/organization after June 1, 2008.

Please submit the following (include as three separate attachments):

_____ Completed Application form

_____ Resume (Include 3 references)

_____ Cover letter explaining your career goals and what you will gain from the attending the UNITY: Journalists of Color convention. In addition, explain conditions concerning your most recent lay-off.

For more information, please visit www.nabj.org