

# The 2013 Robert P. Knight Multicultural Recruitment Award

## Invitation to Apply

Nominations are now being accepted for the **2013 Robert P. Knight Multicultural Recruitment Award**. The Knight Multicultural Recruitment Award is presented to any individual or media organization that has made significant contributions to promoting diversity in scholastic media programs.

The award is named for Robert P. Knight, a professor in the University of Missouri School of Journalism who served as director of the Missouri Interscholastic Press Association from 1965 to 1992. Knight received the award in 1990.

### To nominate a person or organization for the award, please do the following:

- E-mail or mail a **nomination letter of one or two pages** to Cheryl Pell at the address below.
- Include at least one, but no more than three letters from others who support the nomination.
- Please include the form below with this information: **full name and title of nominee (or organization), email address, phone number, address, nominator's name, school or organization, email address and phone number,**
- In addition, **send a document or a link to a document that lists the nominee's achievements** (i.e., a CV or résumé, a website link, or other appropriate information).

### If sending materials by mail, please send them to:

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Communication Arts & Sciences  
404 Wilson Road, Room 302  
Michigan State University  
East Lansing, MI 48824-1212

**Email:** [pell@msu.edu](mailto:pell@msu.edu) Phone: (517) 884-4487

The deadline for materials to be submitted is April 1, 2013.

The award recipient will be chosen by an independent selection committee of AEJMC Scholastic Journalism Division members and will be notified within two months of the award deadline by email. The award will be presented at the 2013 AEJMC Convention in Washington, D.C., Aug. 8-11.

### Past Recipients

2012 - Illinois Press Foundation/Eastern Illinois University High School Jrn. Workshop  
2011 - Joseph Selden, Pennsylvania State University  
2010 - University of Arizona School of Journalism  
2009 - Philadelphia Daily News  
2008 - June O. Nicholson, Virginia Commonwealth University  
2007 - Edward Mullins, University of Alabama  
2006 - Ted Stanton, University of Houston  
2005 - Chris Strudwick-Turner, Los Angeles Times  
2004 - Diana Mitsu Klos, AEJMC High School Journalism Senior Project Director  
2003 - Vanessa Shelton, University of Iowa  
2002 - Walt Swanston, Radio and Television News Directors Foundation  
2001 - Doris J. Giago, South Dakota State University  
2000 - Linda Shockley, Dow Jones Newspaper Fund  
1999 - Marie Parsons, University of Alabama  
1998 - Lucy Ganje, University of North Dakota  
1997 - San Diego Chapter, California Chicano News Media Association  
1996 - Barbara B. Hines, Howard University  
1995 - Diane Hall, Florida A&M University  
1994 - Mary Arnold, The University of Iowa  
1993 - Alice Bonner, The Freedom Forum  
1992 - Richard Lee, South Dakota State University  
1991 - Thomas E. Engleman, Dow Jones Newspaper Fund  
1990 - Robert P. Knight, University of Missouri- Columbia  
1989 - George Curry, Chicago Tribune  
1988 - Craig Trystad, Youth Communication  
1987 - Pittsburgh (Pa.) Black Media Federation

## Nomination Form for The Robert P. Knight Multicultural Recruitment Award

Name and title of nominee/organization

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Email address of nominee

Phone number (      )

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Address

City

State

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Name of nominator

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School or organization

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Email address of nominator

Phone number (      )

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