**MARQUETTE WIRE NEWS APPLICATION**

-Academic Year: 2016-2017

-Applications should be emailed to Executive News Editor McKenna Oxenden at mckenna.oxenden@marquette.edu. Once the application is turned in you will receive an email to schedule an interview.

Materials to submit by include:

- Attached form

- Résumé

- Typed responses to the questions below

- At least 3 writing and/or multimedia samples

**\*\*\* IS DUE NO LATER THAN JULY 30 AT 11:59 P.M.\*\*\*\***

**NEWS REPORTER JOB DESCRIPTION**

\*\*\*NOTE: THERE WILL BE A SEPARATE APPLICATION FOR THOSE WHO WANT TO BE INVESTIGATIVE REPORTERS\*\*\*

-Reporters write at least two articles and/or make multimedia components (such as video or infographics) a week, typically working within an assigned beat. Duties include researching stories, interviewing sources and covering events if needed. Deadlines vary each week.

-Attend weekly desk and mini-desk meetings.

-Come up with story ideas.

-Will work across mediums including print, radio and television.

- Requires adequate journalism and communication skills

NAME:

ACADEMIC MAJOR:

MINOR (IF DECLARED):

OVERALL GPA:

GPA IN MAJOR:

YEAR IN SCHOOL:

E-MAIL:

PHONE:

CAMPUS ADDRESS:

CITY:

STATE/ZIP:

**APPLICATION QUESTIONS**

1. **What of your previous work has prepared you for this role and what do want to accomplish if chosen?**
2. **How will you come up with story ideas and present the story in a creative format? Please share and develop two story ideas.**
3. **Reporters work with all of the student media branches (newspaper, radio, TV and magazine). Which of those do you have the most experience in? Are you willing to step out of that comfort zone at times?**
4. **Please provide a critique of the Marquette Wire news desk if you have previously worked on it.**