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## Things to know:

- \* July 8-14, 2017
- \* Application deadline: March 15
- Competitive selection process based on journalistic work and/or potential
- \$25 nonrefundable application fee (waivers available for financial need)
- \* \$675 Workshop Fee (application fee will be applied to this for those selected)
- \* Lodging, 2 meals per day, local transportation for the workshop provided
- \* Travel to Columbia,
   Missouri is the
   responsibility of selected
   participants
- \* Financial Aid is available based on need (additional

Since 1971 the Missouri Urban Journalism Workshop has provided a diverse, inclusive, intensive, hands on workshop for selected participants. We invite you to apply for this experience learning the Missouri Method at the world's first journalism school

## CHECKLIST for application:

✓ Complete application process at:

<a href="https://missouriedu.submittable.com/submit/77286/missouri-urban-journalism-workshop-application">https://missouriedu.submittable.com/submit/77286/missouri-urban-journalism-workshop-application</a>

## WHAT YOU WILL NEED TO PROVIDE:

- 1. Current head and shoulders photo
- 2. List of involvement in extracurricular/volunteer/community activities
- 3. Diversity in Media Essay (see application)
- 4. Minimum of 3 samples of journalistic/academic writing
- 5. Up to 3 more journalistic work samples including broadcast, photo, online, podcasts, etc.
- 6. 3 signed letters of recommendation from people familiar with your journalistic experience and/or potential
- 7. If applying for financial aid based on need, you will need a statement explaining need, and the previous year's federal income tax return or documentation showing no need to file because of income.
- ✓ Submit \$25 nonrefundable application fee to the address above

## Diversity in Media Essay (250-500 words)

It should focus on how diverse people are portrayed in news coverage locally and at the national level, as well as how that coverage can be improved.

\*Consider diversity including different races, ethnicity, disabilities, gender, gender identification, age, sexual orientation, etc.

Also include what you anticipate gaining from attending a workshop that focuses on diversity and inclusion not only in

