

Each year, the IJEA honors an individual or group that has demonstrated outstanding commitment to scholastic journalism. In selecting honorees, IJEA seeks to recognize those who have:

- Assisted IJEA and/or its advisers/members in promoting high standards in scholastic journalism and in elevating the status of media programs in secondary education.
- Supported opportunities for interaction of student staffs, teachers and those in the professional media whenever possible.
- Served as an exemplary model for students in secondary media programs.

The award is presented at the annual IJEA Fall Conference held at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Past recipients include the Illinois Press Foundation, the Illinois High School Association, newspaper publishers and association directors. Advisers who are members of IJEA are encouraged to submit nominations for this award. **The deadline for applications is May 1, 2016.** 

## Section 1: nominator's information

NAME:	EMAIL:	
SCHOOL NAME:		
SCHOOL ADDRESS:		
	PHONE NUMBER:	
Section 2: nominee's information		
NAME:	EMAIL:	
PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION:		
ADDRESS:		
	PHONE NUMBER:	

Please include a typed letter of recommendation for this nominee, in which you state your reasons for nominating and provide examples of why this nominee deserves recognition with this award.

Mail the application and letter to:

Sarah Doerner 229 N. Maple Du Quoin, IL 62832

## Applications and letter must be received no later than May 1, 2016.