



NCSMA LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Student candidates will run for six NCSMA offices during the summer Institute. These students should be rising juniors or seniors who are active on their school's publications staffs and are interested in the improvement of scholastic media throughout the state. They should be able to attend both the 2012 and 2013 summer Institutes. To apply, please e-mail or mail this form with a photo and at least one paragraph stating your journalism experience and campaign platform. Voting will take place during the first class Tuesday, June 19.

Officers' Duties

NCSMA's president presides at the opening and closing sessions of the Institute, works closely with the director during the year, and serves on the Institute Planning Committee. He or she must attend two policy-making sessions during the year. The student president will lead all student activities. Vice presidents serve on the Institute Planning Committee and work with the director and the president to carry out Institute activities. They must attend two policy-making sessions during the year. Officers will conduct the elections for the next year. In the event the president is unable to perform his or her duties, the vice presidents will divide those duties among themselves. Officers will contribute articles for the NCSMA Scoop and give an Institute activities report. Running for an NCSMA office is a serious decision. Please consider whether you will be able to fulfill all requirements during the year before deciding to run.

Institute Campaign Rules

All candidates must complete this form and e-mail or mail it to the director by May 25. All candidates must write paragraphs stating their journalism experiences and their campaign platforms and send pictures to be used on a candidate flier designed by NCSMA. Only one person from a school may run for an NCSMA office. There will be no nominations taken from the floor at the Institute. Each candidate may be asked to address Institute participants in a five-minute speech addressing goals for NCSMA.

CANDIDATE/STUDENT NAME

SCHOOL NAME

Office sought?

- President
- Vice President for Literary Magazine
- Vice President for Newspaper
- Vice President for Yearbook
- Vice President for Electronic Communication
- Vice President for Visual Communication

Are you now on a journalism staff? Yes No

Will you be in a journalism class next year? Yes No

CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE

ADVISER'S NAME

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PARENT'S NAME

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Email or mail application
postmarked by May 15 for priority consideration
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