

**WALTER CRONKITE SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND MASS  
COMMUNICATION  
TOM AND HELEN TARBOX SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

The Tom and Helen Tarbox Scholarship is awarded each academic year to one or more qualified students. The award amount is \$25,000. The funds will be distributed equally between the Fall 2010 and Spring 2011 semesters. The application deadline is **Monday, February 1, 2010.**

- To be eligible for this scholarship you must be a full-time graduate student in the Cronkite School at the time of the award. You must have applied for financial aid and filed a FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) form. You will find more information about the FAFSA at: <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>.
- To apply please submit: 1) this completed application form, and 2) an essay addressing the following:  
Displayed prominently on each floor of the Cronkite School building is the First Amendment: “Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press, or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances. “  
In 1,000 words or less, write an essay on your thoughts on this founding principle of our free society and its relevance to current U.S. affairs.
- Your transcript, personal statement and 3 letters of recommendation from your application to the Cronkite School will be attached to this application.
- You will receive an e-mail confirmation acknowledging receipt of your scholarship application.

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you applied for aid through the ASU Financial Aid Office? \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Applications may be mailed to:  
Graduate Studies  
Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication  
555 N. Central, Suite 302  
Phoenix, AZ 85004-1248

Applications may be submitted as a pdf attachment with an electronic signature sent via e-mail to:  
[Lisbeth.dambrowski@asu.edu](mailto:Lisbeth.dambrowski@asu.edu).

Applications also may be delivered to the Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Mass Communication, 555 N. Central, Graduate Studies, Room 222, Phoenix, AZ 85004.

**Applications must be received by the Cronkite School by 5 p.m. Monday, February 1, 2010**