THE CURTIS LEMAR HAIGH SCHOLARSHIP

ABOUT THE AWARD:

The Curtis Lemar Haigh Scholarship honors the memory of an exceptional Communication Studies major who contributed to Northeastern despite a series of daunting physical challenges. Past recipients have been students who have exemplified Curtis’s commitment to Northeastern University, both in the classroom and outside, and who have responded in an exemplary way to the challenges of higher education.

ELIGIBILITY:

All junior Communication Studies majors are eligible to apply. To be considered, applicants must submit five items:

1. A *brief* statement explaining why the applicant should receive the award.
2. A transcript.
3. A resume.
5. A sample of classroom (or extracurricular) work either in written, audio, or visual form.

The Award Committee will base their decision on academic achievement, the quality of the sample, and the recommendation letter. Incomplete and/or late applications will not be reviewed.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 4:30PM ON FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 2017
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ABOUT CURTIS HAIGH:

There are Communication Studies majors who impress through their academic achievements. There are, however, also students who inspire us with their ability to overcome adversity. We are especially touched by those who, despite physical limitations, use everything else they have to become the best at what they do.

Curtis Lemar Haigh was a Communication Studies major who died in 1985. He is remembered as a courageous student who, despite daunting physical challenges, made tangible contributions to the Communication Studies Department and to Northeastern University.

Someone with less character might have been daunted by the obstacles that Curtis confronted on a daily basis. Rather than growing angry or discouraged, Curtis responded with perseverance and good cheer. This was most evident in his steadfast devotion to WRBB, the campus radio station.

Curtis was a friend, teacher, and role model to all who knew him. Although he passed away thirty years ago, Curtis’ spirit and memory lives on through the scholarship that bests his name.

All awards will be presented at the Communication Studies Honors Banquet to be held on SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2017 AT 5:45 P.M. IN THE ALUMNI CENTER
(The winner is required to attend.)
THE CURTIS LEMAR HAIGH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name:
Campus Address:
E-mail Address:
Phone Number:
Expected Graduation Date:
Career Objectives:

Extracurricular Activities:

Application Checklist:
• Personal statement outlining qualifications (not to exceed one page in length)
• Research presentation in written, audio, or visual form
• One letter of recommendation
• Please staple additional sheets if necessary and label with name in top right corner

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