



RCCongress 2010 Chicago-area Scholarship

Religion Communicators Congress 2010 (RCCongress 2010) brings together more than 1,000 communications professionals to expand their experience and broaden their perspectives on embracing change. This once-a-decade multi-faith forum for all levels of communicators of religion will be held in Chicago, Ill., April 7-10, 2010.

Religion communicators are the purveyors of stories that need to speak in today's world. RCCongress 2010 will ask the question, how do we tell the stories of wonder and longing, resilience and forgiveness, hope and restoration to new audiences? To answer this question communicators will explore ever advancing technology, power shifts in the world of publishing, and new avenues of communication. RCCongress 2010 will ask how do we effectively use the power of communication to effect change in our world?

The scholarship is open to all currently enrolled college/graduate students between the ages of 20-28. The Chicago-area scholarships are open to students in close proximity to RCCongress 2010 (Cook, Lake, Kane, and DuPage counties).

The scholarship students in the Chicago-area includes: Paid Registration (a \$250 value). Travel expenses and additional meal costs are student's responsibility. *Scholarship recipients must be present for the entire event.*

Participation in RCCongress 2010 will include:

- Challenging plenary speakers on timely issues with global impact
- More than 50 skills-building workshops to teach you cutting edge communication
- Expert roundtable interest groups for information sharing among communications pros, and
- Networking and idea exchange with an interfaith, global gathering of communications professionals.

If you would like to attend the RCCongress 2010 and come in contact with communicators from a wide range of faith groups, we invite you to apply for a scholarship. **Please complete the application form** and submit the following materials with the application:

- A description of your work related to communications,
- Two letters of recommendation (from college professors in your field), and
- An essay (approximately 500 words) about your interest in the field of religious communications and why you would like to attend the Congress. Thank you.

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RCCongress 2010 Chicago-area Scholarship Application

DEADLINE: February 15, 2010

Please complete and return the following application along with the required materials to:

Larry Hygh, Jr.
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United Methodist Center
P.O. Box 6006
Pasadena, CA 91102

Or by email: LHygh@cal-pac.org.

For questions or inquiries call Larry Hygh, Jr. at 626-568-7329 or e-mail lhygh@cal-pac.org.

Applicant's Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Daytime Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Religious Affiliation: _____

Age (must be 20-28): _____

College/University: _____

Field of Study: _____

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