

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Year: _____ Major: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Please indicate your interest in the following positions by ranking your top choices in order. Please place an X next to any position for which you do not want to be considered.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Managing Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Layout Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> News Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Development Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Opinions Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Online Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Focus Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Advertising Manager |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Copy Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Assistant _____ Editor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Photography Editor | <input type="checkbox"/> Staff writer for _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

Will you be here in the summer? (YES / NO) If no, will you be available up to three weeks before school starts to work on the Freshman Issue? (YES / NO)

Please answer the following in the format of your choice:

1. List your experience and positions held with the Technique. Do you have additional publications experience or any other special abilities or traits that would make you more qualified for this position?
2. Briefly explain your feelings and thoughts about the role on campus of the Technique and how your position aids the newspaper's mission.
3. What are some of the ethics that you consider to be most important for a journalist?
4. What do you see as the the shortcomings of the Technique as a whole, or of the positions for which you are applying? How would you address these deficiencies if you had the opportunity to affect widespread change? Discuss your goals, ideas, and innovations.
5. Why do you want to be appointed to this position?

All applicants should be familiar with the libel information presented in the staff manual and policies of the Technique, as well as the information on libel presented on the Student Press Law Center website, www.splc.org.

If selected to a staff position, I promise to uphold all applicable laws and adhere to the Technique's constitution, staff manual, and additional staff policies.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Place your completed application in the editor's mailbox in room 137 of the Flag Building (Technique office) by TUESDAY, APRIL 8 by 5:00 p.m., and schedule an interview on the sheet located on the door of the editor's office. If you have any questions, contact the Editor-in-Chief at editor@nique.net.