

# The Stody-West Fellowship

## For graduate study in religion journalism

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Offered by United Methodist Communications

**ANNUAL AWARD: \$6,000**

The fellowship is offered in recognition of the professional excellence and inspired service of the Rev. Ralph Stody and the Rev. Arthur West, leaders in public relations and information services in The United Methodist Church.

**CRITERIA:** Must be a United Methodist who intends to pursue a career in religion journalism and enrolled in post-graduate study at a school in the United States. (The term "religion journalism" includes news writing for secular and church media and for church institutions. The committee will consider appropriate news and journalism forms, including electronic and broadcast media, as well as print.)

**APPLICANTS:** One fellowship will be awarded to the best United Methodist candidate.

**PURPOSE:** To enhance the recipients' professional competence and thereby help to perpetuate the standards exemplified by Ralph Stody and Arthur West.

**APPLICATION FORMS FOR THE 2006-07 ACADEMIC YEAR ARE AVAILABLE FROM:**

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

Communications Resourcing Team - UCom

P.O. Box 320

Nashville, TN 37202-0320

Or online at:

<http://www.umcom.org>

E:mail: [scholarships@umcom.org](mailto:scholarships@umcom.org)

Phone: 1-888-278-4862

*Because we administer more than one scholarship/fellowship, please specify the Stody-West Fellowship when requesting application material.*

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Completed applications must be postmarked no later than March 15, 2006. Sorry, incomplete applications will not be submitted to the committee for consideration.

# Basic Information:

**STOODY - WEST FELLOWSHIP  
FOR GRADUATE STUDY IN  
RELIGION JOURNALISM**

**2006-07 ACADEMIC YEAR**

The Fellowship will be awarded each year to the best overall candidate.

The Stooddy-West Fellowship Committee will meet around the first of April to review all

*Employees of United Methodist  
Communications and members of the  
General Commission on Communication  
are not eligible for this scholarship.*

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLYING

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2006-07 ACADEMIC YEAR

Please submit one original and five copies of all materials (only one original is necessary for transcripts and letters of recommendation).

**PROVIDE ALL THE FOLLOWING SUPPORTING MATERIALS:**

- 1) EVIDENCE OF YOUR APPLICATION TO OR ACCEPTANCE BY an accredited and approved graduate



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