

THE MARGARET J. HUGHES Memorial Fund Scholarship



Margaret J. “Maggie” Hughes served with distinction as deputy director of the Washington Office of the State of New York, as a special assistant to Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller, and with the Washington Office of the New York State Senate.

Wise, patient, and caring, Maggie was a knowledgeable resource and friend to many interns and young staffers. In Maggie’s memory, a group of friends and associates organized The Margaret J. Hughes Memorial Fund. Every year, the fund awards \$1,000 to the Undergraduate Session Assistant that embodies the values and commitment to public service for which Maggie was known.

Awardees are selected based upon overall performance, written communication skills, and a commitment to serving the public with integrity.



Margaret J. Hughes Memorial Fund Scholarship Awardees

Brittany E. Kilcher

2018

Nicole Finn

2017

Tawnia Provost

2016

Mitchell Lucas

2015

Kelsey Hanson

2014

Robert J. Parker

2006

Jason J. Lansley

2004

Hannelore Smith

2003

James Acuna

2002

Cornelia Jervis

2001

Meredith Dulberg

2000

Richard Reiter

1999

Sharon J. Lee

1998

Kevin C. Schuler

1994

Jacqueline M. Fiore

1992

John V. Danner

1991

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The Margaret J. Hughes Memorial Fund Scholarship Application

The office of New York State Senate Student Program will provide Session Assistants with application due dates. The award recipient will be announced upon the conclusion of the Senate Session Assistant program.

Name: _____
(Last) (First) (MI)

Local Address: _____
(Street & No./Bldg./Apt.) (City) (State) (Zip)

Home Address (if different): _____
(Street & No./Bldg./Apt.) (City) (State) (Zip)

Telephone (Primary): _____ Email: _____

College/University: _____
Major Field of Study: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Senate Office of Placement: _____

Describe Your Office Duties: _____

What are your plans after you graduate? _____

To complete your application, please include the following materials:

- A resume
- A letter or recommendation from your sponsoring Senator or office supervisor;
- An essay, analysis or paper (not to exceed 3000 words) on a public policy issue in the State of New York of interest to you.

Please return your completed application to the program director, or:

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