THE 2020 DOTTIE ROBERTS FOUNDATION PUBLISHING SCHOLARSHIPS

DEADLINE: MARCH 30, 2020



The Dottie Roberts Foundation is pleased to announce the 2020 competition for scholarships to support a college education for young women who have demonstrated an interest in and commitment to publishing. The typical award will be for one year but may vary based on financial need; present holders are eligible to reapply for future years. Eight scholarships were awarded in 2019, varying from \$5,000 to \$10,000/year.

The late Dottie Roberts was a leader in Colorado's magazine publishing industry. These scholarships, endowed by her generosity, are intended to support entrepreneurial young women who embody her characteristics of hard work, self-discipline, and integrity in their preparation for careers that relate to the creative or business aspects of publishing.

We are seeking applications from entrepreneurial women, who are

- Colorado residents age 18-26;
- enrolled or will be enrolled as a student in a college or university, any level, anywhere;
- in need of financial support to attend college;
- with an interest in publishing or a publishing-related career.
- There are no restrictions as to major.

Applications for these scholarships must include the following:

- a curriculum vitae or resume, not to exceed two pages in length
- a personal statement, not to exceed 500 words
- a scanned copy of the most recent official academic transcript of college or university coursework bearing the institution's seal; high-school transcript acceptable if the student has not yet begun college-level work
- a copy of the FAFSA with federal Student Aid Report (SAR), documenting financial need, or equivalent, along with a statement regarding financial need
- up to two letters of recommendation, including at least one from the student's academic advisor, that address the quality of the candidate's academic work and interest in the publication of print materials

All application materials must be submitted <u>electronically</u> by **March 30, 2020** to dottie.roberts.foundation@gmail.com. Finalists will be scheduled for personal interviews, tentatively scheduled for April 2020, in Denver.