

Reporter Application
The California Aggie

If you enjoy a friendly group environment, the fast-paced nature of journalism and would like to gain some valuable experience, then becoming a reporter for *The California Aggie* is for you. *The Aggie* is one of the few remaining collegiate broadsheet newspapers in the country, and one of the top three in the state. We publish four days per week with a circulation of 8,000.

Reporters are responsible for writing at least one assigned story per week and meeting with desk editors weekly for meetings and editing. To apply for a reporter position, please answer the questions below on a separate sheet of paper and hand deliver the application to:

25 Lower Freeborn Hall, *The California Aggie* newsroom, attn: Claire Tan

In addition, please include at least three samples of your non-fiction writing (no more than 5 pages). The samples can be newspaper articles you have previously published or scholastic work. If you wish, you may also attach a resume, although it is not required. If you have any questions, contact Claire Tan, The Aggie's Managing Editor, at 752-9891 or managing@theaggie.org.

Name:

Major:

Class Standing:

Units this quarter:

Phone number(s):

E-mail:

Have you ever applied to work at *The Aggie* before?
If yes, for what position? When?

Yes No

How did you hear about job openings at *The Aggie*?
Advertisement Friend Employee Other

Questions (please use another page):

1. Why would you like to be a reporter for *The California Aggie*?
2. What skills, and/or experience do you have that may be of benefit to *The Aggie*?
3. What do you feel is the role or function of *The Aggie* with the campus and community?
4. To what goal do you think a journalist or newspaper strives to attain?
5. For which desks (top three) would you prefer to work: campus news, city news, arts, features, sports, science/technology? Why?