



Mission Statement

To create, foster and promote the exchange of thoughts and ideas freely, among photographers, so as to advance the art and profession of photography, for the benefit of our entire membership.

PRESS RELEASE

2012 Student Photographer of the Year

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For Immediate Release

The Professional Photographers of Washington is pleased to announce that applications are being accepted for the 2012 Student Photographer of the Year Award, which is open to all high school seniors in Washington State, graduating in the year 2012. One Student will receive the \$2000 scholarship grant, which will be used to further the applicant's study in the photographic arts.

A panel of professional photographers who are members of the Professional Photographers of Washington will select the finalists. The Student Photographer of the Year will be chosen based upon photographic and scholastic studies, and the student's wish to continue their studies in the photographic arts.

The Application postmarked deadline is March 23, 2012 and the winner will be announced in June of 2012. For more information or to receive an application, contact Anita Weston 425-776-4426. Applications, information, and past Student Finalists are also available on-line at <http://www.ppw.org>.

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