

Bob Young named STC Associate Fellow



"This honor belongs to many who worked cohesively" says Bob Young when it comes to his recently announced achievement of reaching STC Associate Fellow status.

A versatile writer, Robert "Bob" Young has more than 30 years experience, the past 15 writing technical documentation.

Bob spent a decade writing sports for two daily newspapers following graduation from Ohio University with a journalism degree ('78).

He also wrote for ESPN2 and marketing/advertising copy prior to technical writing, where today he works for Rockwell Automation in Mayfield Heights, OH, as an Information Developer.

Active for many years at the NEO STC community level, Bob has served in numerous positions, including president, co-sponsor of a regional conference, and obtaining sponsorship funds for the chapter's annual college scholarship award.

Please join us in congratulating Bob on the achievement of this important recognition.

2012 Scholarship update and call for judges

We are delighted to announce a \$500 scholarship our chapter is offering to a deserving student of technical communication or a technical communication practitioner.

We are offering this scholarship to encourage local academic excellence, provide the profession with educated communicators, and promote greater awareness of and participation in STC.

Financial assistance to attend the STC Summit is excluded from scholarship consideration.

Who can apply for a scholarship?

Applicants must be:

- ◆ Pursuing a technical communication-related degree or certificate at an accredited Ohio educational institution

OR

- ◆ Be a permanent Ohio resident pursuing a technical communication-related degree or certificate at any accredited U.S. educational institution

OR

- ◆ Be a permanent Ohio resident who is a technical communication practitioner.

What is the scholarship's value?

A total of \$500 will be awarded for educational purposes to either of the following:

- ◆ One deserving Ohio graduate, undergraduate, community college, or certificate student

OR

- ◆ One or more technical communication practitioners (awards totaling \$500) seeking financial assistance for recognized professional development or certification opportunities.

How will applicants be evaluated?

Applicants will be evaluated based on their potential to contribute to the profession following attainment of their degree, certificate, or specified professional development opportunity.

What are the important dates?

- ◆ Applications must be postmarked by July 2, 2012.
- ◆ Applicants will be notified of committee decisions by August 1, 2012, via U.S. mail or e-mail.

How do I apply?

Download and complete the application from neostc.org.

Who can I contact if I have questions?

Direct any questions you may have about this scholarship to the Scholarship Manager.

Who were past winners?

Past winners include the following students:

- ◆ 2011 Joshua Palmer
- ◆ 2010 Rachel Thompson
- ◆ 2009 Corwin Briscoe
- ◆ 2008 Katie Marburger

How do I get more information about becoming a judge?

If you are interested in judging, please contact Jeanette Evans.

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