

2025 FASPE Journalism Fellowship Eligibility Requirements

FASPE Journalism applicants must fit into one of the following three categories: 1) have some, but not more than 5 years, journalistic experience (whether in a college newsroom or otherwise) and be enrolled in a graduate program of any kind and planning to work as a journalist; OR 2) have completed an undergraduate degree and be working as a journalist with a maximum of 5 years of professional experience at the time of application; OR 3) have completed a graduate degree and be working as a journalist with a maximum of 5 years of professional experience at the time of application .

Preference will be given to candidates who have journalistic work that has been published or aired by a recognized news organization.

FASPE seeks Journalism Fellows with diverse interests and backgrounds, including those pursuing careers as reporters, editors, photojournalists or documentarians or other forms of storytelling, in local, national, or international contexts.

FASPE seeks Fellows at a formative stage of their professional lives, who are open-minded and self-reflective, demonstrate leadership capabilities, and possess the potential of having influence in their fields. FASPE selects its Fellows on the basis of their academic background, personal and professional experiences, capacity for leadership, and ability to contribute to the Fellowship program and the alumni community. FASPE values and seeks to create inclusive environments, and welcomes applicants of all religious, political, and socioeconomic backgrounds as well as gender identities. FASPE seeks Fellows who are interested in engaging in discussions with their co-Fellows and faculty, and who have the intellectual and emotional maturity to discuss difficult and controversial issues responsibly and respectfully in small group settings. All applications are welcome and reviewed.