



bruinlife senior of the year application

about the award

Each year, the Bruinlife yearbook selects a small group of students who exemplify the ideals of the university. We try to highlight excellence in a variety of forms, including academics, community service or activism in school life. You have been invited to apply for the award because you have been recognized as someone who embodies one or more of these ideals.

a word on the application

The written application process is never perfect because it's difficult to convey the intangibles of a person's attributes on paper. Although we ask you to include a resume and letters of recommendations (limit of 2) with this application, we want to learn as much as we can by asking some questions, too. Your activities and achievements are important, but we also want to learn about the kind of person you are.

deadlines and selection

All applications are due by Friday, January 29, at 5 p.m to 118 Kerckhoff Hall. After reviewing the nominations, the BruinLife staff will select finalists to interview with the UCLA Communications Board, the board of directors for UCLA's Student Media, including BruinLife Yearbook. Winners of the award will be featured in the 2010 BruinLife Yearbook.

personal information

Name _____

School address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Telephone (_____) _____ - _____ E-mail _____

Permanent address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone (_____) _____ - _____ Student ID # _____

academic information

Major _____ GPA _____.

Minor (if applicable) _____

essay questions

Please answer the following questions by typing them on a separate sheet of paper. Remember to be concise, but thoughtful. Also, please attach your resume and letter(s) of recommendations to this application.

1. Describe how you have excelled in one or more of the following categories: academics, arts, sports, community service and/or campus service.
2. What is the most important thing you've learned at UCLA?
3. What kind of personal attributes exemplify the ideals of a Bruin? How do you embody these ideals?
4. If you are selected, you will have the opportunity to record your parting thoughts in the yearbook for future generations of UCLA students to read. What would you tell them?

questions?

If you have any questions about the application or the process, don't hesitate to e-mail the BruinLife office at bruinlife@media.ucla.edu or Jennifer at jhwang@media.ucla.edu or call us at (310) 825-2640. You may ask for Jennifer or Alan. If neither is available, please email or contact Student Media, at (310) 825-9898. Thank you for your participation.