**Pulitzer Center Campus Consortium**

**2025 Special Call for Reporting Fellowship Proposals**

**Mental Well-Being in the U.S.**

Thank you for your interest in the Pulitzer Center Campus Consortium Reporting Fellowship!

Pulitzer Center Reporting Fellows at Campus Consortium partners pursue independent journalism projects that cover a wide range of issues in countries around the world and in the United States, including climate and the environment, peace and conflict, migration and refugees, global health, race and identity, and human rights. Reporting Fellows benefit from Pulitzer Center mentorship, networking opportunities, and journalism resources. Most importantly, they become part of a vibrant community. Articles, photo essays, video, audio, and interactives produced by Reporting Fellows are featured on the Pulitzer Center website and in multiple news outlets, such as *The New York Times*, *Miami Herald*, *Politico*, NPR, *The Guardian*, Civil Beat, Grist, The Intercept, and *Yes!*

When applying for this Fellowship, applicants should consider enterprise and underreported stories aimed at promoting mental well-being in the U.S. by working before the point of crisis to give people the tools needed to nurture resilience and enhance protective factors.

Completed applications should be submitted via email to [**reportingfellows@pulitzercenter.org**](mailto:reportingfellows@pulitzercenter.org)

The application deadline is **Friday, November 15, 2024, at 11:59pm EST.**

Name:

Proposed project title:

Phone #:

Email:

(Please list one that you check frequently)

Secondary Email:

(We ask for two so that we can keep up with students using temporary school emails)

Mailing Address:

Name of College:

Major(s)/Minor(s) or Graduate Degree Program:

Graduation Year or Expected Graduation Year:

Please list 3 references (Include at least one from a faculty member. The others can be academic or professional.):

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1) List your anticipated travel dates and proposed reporting location/itinerary. (*Note: The Pulitzer Center does not support Campus Reporting Fellow projects in active conflict zones.)*

2) Provide a preliminary TOTAL budget estimate:

Using the lines below, include a breakdown of the total budget estimate from above. This might include, for example, AIRFARE: $600, FOOD: $300, ACCOMMODATIONS: $500, RECORDS REQUEST: $50 TRANSLATOR: $200

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3) Provide a short description of your proposed project on mental well-being in the United States in the space below (250 words or less). Tell us why this story matters. Tell us about the potential impact of your project. Why should we care?

4) Provide a short description of your project’s capability of being produced across multiple platforms such as a podcast, short video, photo gallery, text, data visualization, interactive graphics, etc.

5) Provide a summary of any existing reporting on your topic.

6) Why are you well-suited to pursue this reporting project?

7) List courses you have taken or are taking that are relevant to your proposed reporting topic. You may also discuss relevant work or research experience.

8) Tell us how the project could be the basis for public engagement such as webinars, campus presentations, online chat with the author, community forums, policy changes, etc.?

9) If you are considering other distribution avenues (media outlets) apart from the Pulitzer Center, please list them here. Other distribution avenues are not required for the application to move forward.

10) Include (via link or attachment) your **resume** and **2-3 recent samples of your work**. We welcome written and/or multimedia examples.

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