**Al Jalila Foundation Application Form**

**The Rosalynn Carter Fellowships for Mental Health Journalism**

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| **Applicant personal details** | |
| Full name: |  |
| Gender: |  |
| Date of birth: |  |
| Marital status: |  |
| Emirate of residency: |  |
| UAE passport number: |  |
| UAE nationality document (Khulasat AlQayd) Number (if applicable): |  |
| UAE ID number: |  |

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| **Applicant contact details** | |
| Mobile: |  |
| E-mail: |  |
| PO. Box & Emirate: |  |

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| **Education/Training Information (most recent first)** | | | | | |
| Date (m/y) | Degree (if applicable) | University/Institution | Specialty/Area | AGPA or percentage (if applicable) | Country |
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| **Current Employment Information (if Applicable):** | |
| Title of current position: |  |
| Organization: |  |
| Start date of your current employment: |  |

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| **Complete Employment History (Most Recent First):** | | | | | |
| Date from | Date to | Position | Department | Organization | Country |
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| **Journalism Experience Information** | | | | | | | |
| Name(s) of current journalism organization(s) |  | | | | | | |
| Number of years in professional journalism experience |  | | | | | | |
| Website (personal or organization, if applicable) |  | | | | | | |
| Twitter/ Instagram account |  | | | | | | |
| Media type of experience (you can select more than one if applicable) | **TV** | **Radio** | | **Film** | | **Photography** | **Blogs** |
| **Print** | **Magazine** | | **Digital** | | **Newspapers** |  |
| **List of representative publications (preferably relevant to mental health – if available)** | | | | | | | |
| Article title/name | | | Publication year | | Source (i.e. website, newspaper, etc.) | | |
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| **Membership in professional journalism organization(s)** | | | | | | | |
| Organization | | | Date from | | Date to | | |
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| **Major journalism prizes/awards and/or fellowships**  List any significant awards or fellowships worth noting in the field of journalism | | | |
| Prizes/awards and/or fellowships | Organization | Year | Country |
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**Required Documents:**

**Please provide all of the following documents to complete your application:**

1. Completed Al Jalila Foundation Application Form for The Rosalynn Carter Fellowships for Mental Health Journalism
2. Curriculum Vitae
3. Copy of Emirates ID
4. Copy of valid passport ( with valid Visa page for non-UAE nationals)
5. Copy of UAE nationality document (Khulasat AlQayd), if applicable
6. Copy of latest relevant academic degree (for Bachelor or Master degree)
7. Official academic transcript
8. TOEFL/ IELTS certificate
9. **Objectives for fellowship and project description, (Points A to E -below need to be incorporated in the 1000 word essay and should include the following information:**
10. Describe reasons for applying and how this fellowship could benefit and support your current work in journalism
11. Proposed Topic Title of your project: write one or two sentences stating the topic of your project
12. Clearly outline the proposed project and a plan for completion including the applicant's potential project timeline
13. Explain the significance and timeliness of the topic and explain the feasibility of completing the project
14. Explain the potential impact the applicant's project and fellowship may have on the reduction of stigma surrounding mental illnesses
15. **Samples of professional work, (Please read guidance A to C below)**
16. Submit a total of three samples of your work (at least one of the samples should be in the media form proposed for your project)
17. If you decide to submit articles, these should be in the original format they were published (e.g., digital scans of originals; direct link to the article). Please do not submit an item that cannot be replaced – mailed materials cannot be returned and are not encouraged
18. It is not required that submitted samples be related to mental health. We suggest submitting your highest quality work
19. **Recommendation letters (Two):** must be written by the recommenders you list in the table below
20. **If you work at an established media organization:**

* **Letter 1:** must be written & signed by your organization's publisher / editor / manager / producer who can write a letter of support for your application ( This individual does not have to promise publication of your project, but rather they must state that they are aware of your application and that they support it)
* **Letter 2:** must be written & signed from someone who is familiar with your work and can comment on your abilities and potential as a journalist

1. **If you are self-employed/ independent/ freelance**:

* You must submit details and both recommendation letters from someone who is familiar with your work.

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| **Recommenders:**  People you list below must be the same people who write your recommendation letters | | | | | |
| Name | Occupation | Organization | Telephone | Email | Briefly indicate how you know this person |
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**Signature (Applicant):** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Submission:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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