

## Hugo Young Award Terms and Conditions

1. The Guardian Foundation Hugo Young Award is open only to students 18 and older, with a valid NUS or student card and admitted on an MA journalism course at any UK University.
2. The Award is not open to employees or agencies of Guardian News & Media Limited (“GNM”), its group companies or their family members, or anyone else connected with the creation or administration of the Award.
3. All applicants should submit their entries in PDF format [to this form](#). The deadline for all entries is 11.59pm on Sunday 3 February 2019. Entries received after this deadline will not be processed.
4. No responsibility is taken for entries that are lost, delayed, misdirected or incomplete or cannot be delivered or entered for any technical or other reason. Proof of delivery of the entry is not proof of receipt.
5. The Guardian Foundation reserves the right to not process entries with illegible application forms or those that do not include the correct amount of entered material.
6. Entries must be the original work of the person responsible for the publication. Any evidence of plagiarism may result in the entrant being disqualified.
7. By submitting an entry, you confirm that you have the right to enter and have obtained all and any consents, permissions and authorisations that may be necessary (whether from your institution of higher education or otherwise) in order for you to enter.
8. Entrants may submit only one entry per year.
9. Entries on behalf of another person or organisation will not be accepted.

### **Judging and the prizes:**

10. The list of people acting as judges for the Award and the criteria to be applied is set out on the website at:  
[https://uploads.guim.co.uk/2018/12/14/Hugo\\_Young\\_Award\\_guidelines\\_Dec2018.pdf](https://uploads.guim.co.uk/2018/12/14/Hugo_Young_Award_guidelines_Dec2018.pdf).  
From the entries the judges will select a shortlist of no more than 10 finalists.
11. Only shortlisted entrants will be contacted by The Guardian Foundation. Shortlisted entrants will be contacted by email by 15 March 2019.
12. The judges’ decision is final and no negotiations or correspondence with entrants will be entered into.
13. The winner will receive a price of £500, have their piece published in the Guardian and have the opportunity to shadow a leading Guardian political journalist.



14. The runners up will receive a place to attend a Guardian masterclass on journalism.
15. At the Award event the winner will be given a letter notifying them of how to arrange the shadowing of Guardian's political editor. The runners up will be provided with the details of how to arrange their attendance to the masterclass.
16. If a winner or runner up is unable to attend the shadowing or otherwise rejects the prize, the prize will be forfeited.
17. Reasonable expenses will be covered for travel to the Award ceremony for shortlisted attendees.
18. The Guardian Foundation retains the right to substitute the prize with another prize of similar value in the event the original prize offered is not available due to circumstances beyond its reasonable control.
19. The prizes are non-exchangeable, non-transferable, and are not redeemable for cash or other prizes. The Guardian Foundation accepts no responsibility for any costs associated with the Award Party or the prize which are not set out in the Terms and Conditions.

**Other terms and conditions:**

20. Winner and runners up may be required for promotional activity.
21. Material entered will not be returned to senders.
22. The Guardian Foundation accepts no responsibility for any damage, loss, liabilities, injury or disappointment incurred or suffered by you as a result of entering the Award or accepting the prize. The Guardian Foundation further disclaims liability for any injury or damage to your or any other person's computer relating to or resulting from participation in or downloading any materials in connection with the Award. Nothing shall exclude the liability of The Guardian Foundation for death, fraud or personal injury as a result of its negligence.
23. In consideration of The Guardian Foundation agreeing to consider their entry, each entrant: (a) grants GNM and The Guardian Foundation a royalty-free licence to copy, edit, display, publish, broadcast and make available their entry in any format in connection with the Award or promotion of the Award; (b) agrees that GNM and The Guardian Foundation may publish their name in connection with the use of the entry; (c) warrants that the work submitted with their entry is their own or the relevant team's original work, that it is not defamatory and that it shall not infringe any third-party rights including, without limitation, privacy; and (d) agrees that GNM and The Guardian Foundation may grant to its partners and/or associated companies a sub-licence of the rights licensed to GNM under these terms and conditions on such terms as GNM and The Guardian Foundation shall agree in its sole discretion.
24. The Guardian Foundation reserves the right at any time and from time to time to modify or discontinue, temporarily or permanently, the Hugo Young Award or any feature thereof

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with or without prior notice due to reasons outside its control (including, without limitation, in the case of anticipated, suspected, or actual fraud).

25. The Hugo Young Award and these terms and conditions shall be governed by English law under the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.