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2012-2013 J.J. Walter Scholarship in History Scholarship Application

The J.J. Walter Scholarship in History is awarded to one history major at The Ohio State University at Lima each year. The scholarship is sponsored by the Schuler-Walter Foundation, whose mission is to strengthen civil society by supporting public education. The Foundation's co-founder, Stephen C. Walter, is a great-grandson of Judge J.J. Walter and the foundation has named this scholarship in the Judge's honor.

Joseph J. (J.J.) Walter was a lawyer, judge and industrialist. Born to German immigrants in Elizabethtown, NJ in 1837, he moved to Ohio (Greene County) at age three. He then moved to Auglaize County in 1855. During the Civil War, J.J. Walter enlisted in the OVI and marched with Sherman "from Atlanta to the Sea." J.J. graduated from the Cleveland Law School in 1874, and returned to Auglaize County to practice law. J.J., a charter member of the Auglaize County Bar Association, was elected Probate Judge in 1896. Judge Walter died in Auglaize County in April of 1906.

The total yearly value of the scholarship is \$2,250, which is dispersed over two semesters. Past recipients may apply again.

Eligibility requirements include:

- maintain a 3.0 minimum GPA
- complete History 398 with a "C" or better
- be a declared and approved history major
- complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by Feb. 15, 2012
- complete the application and essay responses by May 1, 2012

Scholarship Deadline: May 1, 2012

Name: _____

OSU ID: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Ohio State e-mail: _____

