

Video Helpful Tips

When submitting a video, provide the YouTube, Vimeo, Google Drive or other URL and ensure that it is a “**public**” so that anyone who clicks the link can view your video. This is highly important so our judges can properly access your video for grading! BE SURE your video does not exceed the time frame that is listed, most scholarships request a 3-5 minute video.

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You do not need to incur the cost of hiring a professional videographer - there are many free or low-cost options available to you. Some past applicants have used online tools such as: Animoto, WeVideo, Kizoa, Movai, iMovie, Windows Video Maker, among many others. You can absolutely film on a mobile device, we recommend filming horizontally and using some of these mobile applications for editing: Hyperlapse, Slow Fast, Unfold, and InShot. Some applicants have contacted their local university/college's film department and worked with film students to create their video submission, and some have chosen to use the low cost consultant site [Fiverr.com](https://www.fiverr.com) where independent contractors advertise their work to assist with video creation from photos, thoughts and/or ideas.

No matter which tool you choose, your passion needs to shine through! Be sure you answer the question, be sure your message is clear, and make sure that the video is visually appealing - **Would you want to watch your video?**

Here are some of our past winners' submission videos to give you an idea of what our judging panel is looking for with a video submission:

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dJYObEBvDOw&feature=youtu.be>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kEqAPQ8Jqhc&feature=youtu.be>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yzVgq7yNHRU&feature=youtu.be>
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q0c_qcs58RM&feature=youtu.be
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pO8MOP5jaJo&feature=youtu.be>

Be creative, have fun, show the judges that you know what an amazing and life changing opportunity this scholarship is, and let them see how your creativity and passion will eventually be reflected in your professional work.