**RADIO REPORTER**

**SPRING 2018**

*Radio reporters for* The Wire *serve as middle ground between the newspaper and KWCW, Whitman College’s radio station. They will produce primarily podcast-style pieces that will be edited before the show and then uploaded to Mixcloud for online sharing.*

*Radio Reporters will be responsible for creating and executing stories. These stories can have a connection to the content of the print and online newspaper but they can also cover independent topics. To listen to past radio shows visit* [*https://www.mixcloud.com/WhitmanPioneer/*](https://www.mixcloud.com/WhitmanPioneer/) *.*

Pleaseemail a word document with your responses to [wire@whitman.edu](mailto:wire@whitman.edu). Applications accepted on a rolling basis; final deadline is January 19th at midnight**.** Returning staff: Please fill out the contact/payroll information and answer the following questions **only**: Why do you want to continue working for *The Wire*, and/or what is a goal you have for the coming semester?

Name:

Graduating year:

Phone number (cell preferred):

Email address:

(These questions are for payroll purposes only and will not affect your application.)

Whitman ID:

In-state: yes no

Work-study yes no

The following questions need only be completed by new applications.

1. Why are you interested in working for *The Wire*?
2. Please pitch 3 ideas for radio shows. Include the theme (eg. Board of Trustees), as well as the two (or more) stories you may cover that are related to this theme.
3. Do you have any previous radio or journalism experience that you can bring to the position? If so, explain.
4. Please describe your ability to meet deadlines and work under pressure.
5. What other activities will you be involved in this semester, and how much of a weekly time commitment are these activities? How heavy is your academic course load for this semester? How much time are you willing to devote weekly to *The Wire?*