

Don Browne scholarship:

The University of South Carolina School of Journalism and Mass Communications has established a scholarship in honor of Don Browne, the visionary journalist who led Telemundo, WTVJ in Miami and held senior positions with NBC News.

The Don Browne Scholarship will benefit first generation, underrepresented students in the School of Journalism. Preference will be given to students with financial need. Browne attended the university and was a lifelong supporter of the school, where he once lettered in football.

“I knew Don for almost 50 years. This scholarship reflects the importance he placed on mentoring young journalists, especially women and minorities,” said Randy Covington, the special projects director for the USC College of Information and Communications, which includes the journalism school.

Just days before he died, Browne said the scholarship would be “an honor of a lifetime.” If you would like to support the Don Browne Scholarship, there are several ways.

For checks, make them out to the University of South Carolina and put Don Browne Scholarship in the subject line. Checks should be sent to:

University of South Carolina
Office of Gift Processing
1600 Hampton Street, Suite 736
Columbia, SC 29208

Contributions can be made online here:

<https://donate.sc.edu/direct-your-gift>.

Scroll down the page to the “search funds” box and type in Don Browne. His scholarship will pop up and it is easy to pay via credit card.

Finally, credit card donations can be made by phone on weekdays between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. (Eastern time). The number is (803) 777-6297