

ANNA LEE CHABOT SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

CERTIFIED MEETING PROFESSIONAL (CMP) SCHOLARSHIP

Purpose:

To provide financial assistance to a Canadian MPI member to achieve their CMP designation. It is the intent of this scholarship to support one member from each Canadian MPI chapter.

Through the Certified Meeting Professional (CMP) Program, individuals who are currently employed in meeting management have the opportunity to pursue continuing education, increased industry involvement and industry-wide recognition by achieving the CMP designation. The requirements for certification are based on professional experience and an academic examination.

Directed to: A Junior/Intermediate Canadian MPI Member

Scholarship amount: A maximum of \$600 Canadian

Granting Process:

Candidates meeting the criteria outlined below must complete the Scholarship Application Form, and the completed form must be submitted by May 22, 2009 for the summer exam and by November 13, 2009, along with a copy of the CMP application approval form. Applications will be reviewed by three (3) members of the MPI Foundation Canada Board of Trustees, and the successful candidate will be approved by the Board of Trustees. Applicants will be informed for the summer exam by June 5, 2009 and for the winter exam by November 27, 2009.

Grants will be issued following the successful completion of the CMP exam. The candidate will need to present original receipts and the final certificate in order to receive the funds. These documents need to be submitted within 3 months of writing the exam by October 9, 2009 for the summer exam and April 9, 2010 for the winter exam.

Scholarship Selection Criteria:

In order to submit a scholarship application, you must:

1. Be a member in good standing of MPI at the time of the CMP exam, and a member of a Canadian Chapter for the past 12 months as of January of the year of application submissions, and at the time of submission of receipts for reimbursement
2. Be a participating member of at least one MPI Chapter committee in the past 12 months
3. Have attended a minimum of three (3) MPI Canadian Chapter events in the last year
4. Be involved professionally in the meetings or events industry;
 - Have at least three years of meeting management experience
 - Be currently employed in the industry
 - Have responsibility and accountability for the successful delivery of meetings
5. Meet the requirements outlined in the CMP application form and is accepted to write the exam
6. Pass the exam within the two years of the initial application.

Scholarship Application

Scholarship applying for: <input type="checkbox"/> A maximum of \$600 Canadian for CMP Scholarship		
Name:		Position:
Organization:		
Business Address:		
City, Province, Postal Code:		
MPI Membership No.		Date Joined MPI:
Business Phone:	Fax:	E-Mail:
Years in Present Position:		Years in Profession:
MPI Chapter Affiliation:		
List the chapter committees you have volunteered on in the past year:		
List the chapter activities you have attended in the past year:		
Describe your work experience:		
Attach a copy of your CMP application form:		
Attach proof that you have been accepted to write the CMP exam:		

Thank you for submitting an application

Please email completed form to lwright@mpiweb.org no later than
May 22, 2009 for the 2009 summer exam and November 13, 2009 for the 2010 winter exam