



## The MPI Programs Scholarship Fund

### Category III

This fund is established specifically to help women or men who cannot normally attend MPI programs or events due to financial constraints. Currently, awards will be for tuition and/or fees only.

#### Award Amounts

- Up to \$1,200 per scholarship
- More than one applicant can be awarded the scholarship based on available funding.

#### Application Deadlines

- June 30, 2009
- September 30, 2009
- December 31, 2009
- March 31, 2010

#### Application Qualifications:

- Must be a *planner or supplier* related to the meeting industry and a **member of MPI**.
- Seeks training/education/career development through an MPI program or conference and can document the value of such education to further her/his professional development.
- If applying for **first-time conference attendance** - it is for the registration fee only and the applicant must attest he/she has *NOT* attended an MPI conference in the past and cannot attend now due to financial reasons and can document the success value of such education.

#### How to Apply

- Complete the application prior to the deadline
- Fax all required documents after you have completed the online application

#### Notification

- You will be notified approximately 8 weeks after the deadline submission date via e-mail with instructions of how to claim your scholarship award.