



2017 Scholarship Application Form

The Washington Low Income Housing Alliance offers a limited number of scholarships to our annual Conference on Ending Homelessness. This year, the conference will take place on May 10 and 11, 2017 at the Greater Tacoma Convention and Trade Center in Tacoma, Washington. Priority will be given to people living on low incomes, and then to people who work for organizations with limited training budgets. We have several types of scholarships available:

- Registration scholarships (covers conference registration cost and breakfast and lunch at the conference)
- Room and board scholarships (covers 1 or 2 nights hotel stay, meals outside of conference hours)
- Travel stipends (assists with travel costs, like bus fare or gas and parking)

Scholarship applications will be accepted until 5:00pm on Wednesday, April 05, 2017.

We are unable to accept additional applications after this date due to the large number of interested scholarship applicants. Applicants will be notified of their award status by 5:00pm on Tuesday, April 11, 2017.

To apply for a scholarship, please complete this application form and submit it to alouise@wliha.org, or fax it to 206.467.4522, or mail it to this address:

Washington Low Income Housing Alliance
1411 4th Ave, Suite 850
Seattle, WA 98101

You may also complete this application online at surveymonkey.com/r/COEHfunds2017

Name:

Agency (if applicable):

Mailing Address (if applicable):

City, State, ZIP:

Phone Number/Voicemail:

Email:

1. How would you describe yourself? Choose any that apply. Responses to this question will not be shared.

- Currently or Formerly Homeless
- City, County or State Employee
- Low-Income Tenant
- Nonprofit Board Member
- Nonprofit Staff Member
- Resident Action Project Member
- Emerging Advocates Program Participant/Graduate
- Other (please describe):

2. The Housing Alliance is assessing which communities our work reaches. Please provide any information you would like to share. How do you identify regarding race, ethnicity, gender, sexual identity/orientation, age, and ability? Responses to this question will not be shared.

3. Which type of assistance do you need?

Registration-only scholarship (covers registration costs and breakfast and lunch at the conference).

Conference registration, plus additional costs (please specify in questions 4-8)

4. Do you need lodging assistance? Yes No

If you checked yes, which nights would you need lodging? May 9 May 10

Are you willing to share a hotel room with a specific conference attendee? Yes No

If you checked yes, what is the name of the conference attendee?

Are you willing to work with us to arrange to share a room with another unspecified conference attendee?

Yes No Yes, with this condition _____

5. Do you need travel assistance? Yes No

Departing from (city):

5a. Are you willing to ride in a carpool to the conference? Yes No

5b. Are you willing to drive a carpool to the conference? Yes No

5c. If you need travel assistance, please specify what travel costs you would need covered:

Gas & parking (gas at a rate of \$.14/mi, parking covered in full for carpools)

Local transit

Long-distance bus

6. Do you need assistance covering the cost of meals outside of conference hours (knowing that breakfast and lunch are included in conference registration)?

Yes No

If you checked yes, what dates would you need the cost of an evening meal reimbursed?

May 9 May 10 Travel meal May 11

7. We are working to make the conference as accessible as possible. Please identify accessibility needs that we should note to help support your attendance.

8. Is there anything else you would need in order to attend the conference?

9. Statement of Interest

In 1-3 paragraphs, please describe how you will benefit from attending the conference and how you will use the information you gain from the conference in your community. You may use the space below or attach an additional sheet if needed. You may also provide this information over the phone by calling Alouise Urness at 206.442.9455 x 203.