



20th IUHPE WORLD CONFERENCE ON
HEALTH PROMOTION
11-15 JULY 2010 | GENEVA | SWITZERLAND



Gesundheitsförderung Schweiz
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Promozione Salute Svizzera

Dear all

As you know, the organisers of the 20th IUHPE World Conference on Health Promotion, which will be held in Geneva, Switzerland, from 11 to 15 July 2010, are trying to raise a small fund for bursary to support the participation of professionals from low and middle income countries or with particular resource difficulties to enable them to attend.

Unfortunately there will only be a very limited number of bursaries, so we recommend all applicants that they should also approach the relevant international development and health agencies with their request for financial assistance to attend the World Conference.

A Bursary Selection Committee, composed of the IUHPE Vice President for the World Conference (Mr. Thomas Mattig), of the Chair of the World Conference Equity and Bursary Committee (Mr. Alok Mukhopadhyay), of the IUHPE's Executive Director (Ms. Marie-Claude Lamarre) and a few other members appointed by the Chair of the World Conference Equity and Bursary Committee is being established, which will undertake the selection of applicants through a consultative process based on the following criteria:

- Youth 18-30: if possible scholarships are awarded to candidates under the age of 30 who have health promotion leadership potential
- Gender: the Scholarship Committee endeavours to achieve a gender balance of 50/50
- Preference is given to applicants who are a member and/or a project worker of a Non Government Organisation (IUHPE or others) or a Community Based organisation
- Preference is given to applicants whose abstract(s) has been accepted
- Allocate 50 % of scholarships to applicants presenting papers and 50 % to delegates having been selected by the International Scientific Committee for one or several sub-plenaries, symposia, panels, etc.
- Candidates will be required a letter of support from their employer
- Candidates will be requested to obtain a recommendation letter from an IUHPE member, if possible
- Attempt to achieve a fair representation from Asia, Africa, Latin America, the Pacific and Eastern Europe. Such selection will be dependent on the number and quality of applications received from these regions.

The bursary selection process will take place on April 16, 2010 and all applicants will be notified of the status of their application by April 30, 2010.

The attached Application Form must be sent to Severin Huber at Health Promotion Switzerland bursaries@iuhpeconference.net by March 31, 2010 the latest.

With best regards
Yours sincerely,

Thomas Mattig
Vice President for the
Organisation of the World
Conference

Alok Mukhopadhyay
Chair of the Equity and Bursary
Committee

Marie-Claude Lamarre
IUHPE Executive Director and
Member of the Equity and
Bursary Committee

Enc. Bursary Application Form

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Health, Equity and Sustainable Development

Bursary Application Form

Applications must be sent to Severin Huber, at Health Promotion Switzerland, by email at bursaries@iuhpeconference.net.

Completed applications must be received by March 31st, 2010 to be considered for final selection process.

1. Title/Name and First Name
2. Email address
3. Date of birth
4. Female Male
5. Nationality
6. Current position
7. Bursary requirements:
 - i. Registration fees
 - ii. Travel (round trip ticket non changeable, non refundable in Economy class – please indicate city of departure)
 - iii. Accommodation – please kindly note that low cost accommodation (University campus and other similar setting) have been booked to accommodate as many bursary applicants as possible.
 - iv. Small per diem
8. Are you involved in programmatic activities of a Non Governmental Organization (IUHPE or others) or of a community-based Organisation? Please specify which ones and in which role.
9. Are you a member of the IUHPE? YES NO
10. Have you submitted an abstract for presentation at the Conference? YES NO

11. Has your abstract(s) been approved for presentation at the Conference?

YES NO

12. Reason for participation in the World Conference - You are requested to enclose a 300 word (maximum) essay, explaining i) the aims and the relevance of your participation in the World Conference; ii) what are the anticipated specific practical outcomes for your work and/or collaboration(s), with other organisations and groups; how will they be produced.

13. Please add a letter of support from your employer

14. Please add a nomination letter from an IUHPE member, if possible

Additional relevant information may be attached to the application form.