



MEMBER GRANT PROGRAM

About the Grant

Network for Professional and Executive Women (NPEW) has a grant available for members for course study or special certification to continue or enhance their education or professional advancement. The purpose of the grant is to encourage the professional development of our members. Only members of Network are eligible to compete. In order to adhere to privacy laws, it is required for this application to be printed out and submitted to the NPEW organization. Thanks for your cooperation.

How it Works

The grant funds will be sent directly to the accredited college, university, or association of the recipient's choice. Funds will be distributed as billed by the college, university, or association. The funds will be set aside for the recipient's benefit for 12 months following the date of written notice of the award. If the recipient does not exercise the right to use the funds within the 12- month period, the grant shall be forfeited.

Requirements

The recipient...

- must indicate why the award is important to advance professionally;
- must indicate clear, sincere, and attainable career goals;
- use the grant for course study, certification or professional seminar to enhance or further her present or future occupation;
- must demonstrate leadership ability in civic, social, and professional service to the community;
- shall participate in a personal interview by the selection panel.

Selection

Preliminary Application Review – If four (4) or fewer applications are received, all applicants will compete without elimination. If more than four (4) applications are received, the NPEW Scholarship Committee will review the applications and select finalists for the judge's consideration.

Final Application Review – A panel consisting of a minimum of three (3) Board members will be selected by the Scholarship Committee to review the qualified applications. This panel will select the recipient based on education and career goals and leadership abilities in civic, social, and professional services. A personal interview may be requested. These areas have each been assigned a relative value to guide the panel in its selection. Financial need will be considered, but is not a major factor of the scoring system. A member of the Scholarship Committee will be present at the interviews and during the selection of the recipient. The committee member will observe and answer questions about the scholarship, but will only vote if required to break a tie.

Application Deadline: On-going.



Grant Application

Name _____
(First) (Middle Initial) (Last)

Address _____
(Street) (City & State) (Zip)

Social Security Number _____ Phone(s) _____

Age _____ Number of Dependents _____

Previous College(s) Attended* _____
(Name & City) (Degree) (CGPA**) (Dates)

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Civic, Social & Professional Activities and/or Awards _____

Current Job Title/Position _____

Institution or Seminar which you plan to attend _____

Projected Date _____ Cost \$ _____

Are you currently receiving any funding from another source to assist you in reaching this goal? _____

If so, give amount and current status _____

* If applying for grant for course study, please attach transcript from each institution previously attended. Use an additional page if necessary.
**Cumulative Grade Point Average

