



Georgia Health Sciences Library Association ***Annual Meeting Member Stipend***

Purpose

The Annual Meeting Stipend will provide assistance to members of the Georgia Health Sciences Library Association (GHSLA) in funding participation in the annual meeting. It is designed to encourage involvement in the organization. The stipend will cover registration for the Annual GHSLA meeting, CE courses during the meeting, and one night's lodging (for participants who live more than 20 miles from the meeting location).

Eligibility Guidelines

An applicant must be a member in good standing of GHSLA.

Procedures

The application packet will consist of:

- Application form
- A brief statement (no more than 300 words) explaining how participation in the annual meeting will benefit the applicant's professional development.

Deadline	February 24, 2017
Announcement of recipients	March 3, 2017

Criteria for Evaluation

The Scholarship Committee will evaluate applicants based on the application and the statement. Preference will be given to

- First time attendees
- Applicants who demonstrate active involvement in the organization, such as service on a committee or as an officer
- Applicants whose travel is not funded by their employer

Requirement

Awardees are expected to attend the GHSLA business meeting on Thursday and the program sessions.



Application Form: Member Travel Stipend

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Employer:

Your position:

Have you ever attended a GHSLA annual meeting? (Answer yes or no.)

Does your employer reimburse any of your travel expenses? (Answer yes or no.)

Additional explanation about travel reimbursement:

List committees, offices or other positions or work that you have contributed to GHSLA.

List any other professional organizations to which you belong:

Attach a brief (200-300 words) statement explaining how attending this meeting will benefit your professional development and how you intend to use the information gained from attending this meeting.

Email completed application by **February 24, 2017**, to:

Amy Allison, Chair, Scholarship Committee

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