

2017 POMC Conference Scholarship Information

SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE FOR HOTEL ONLY!

The DEADLINE to apply for a scholarship for the POMC National 2017 Conference is May 20, 2017. If awarded a scholarship for hotel expense it will be on a reimbursement basis of \$80 per night with a maximum of \$240 only! It is only available for the nights of the conference from Thursday, August 3 - 6, 2017.

The scholarship is for Conference hotel only! You must be 18 to apply! Also your registration must be into the National Office before applying! (No exceptions)

The purpose of the scholarship award is to assist Crime Victim Survivors of homicide who find it financially difficult to attend, or who otherwise could not attend the conference. Consideration for scholarships will be based on several criteria: financial need, emotional need, involvement in POMC on a local and/or national level, outreach to other survivors of homicide victims, and references.

Applications must be sent to: POMC, 4960 Ridge Ave., Suite 2, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45209. Attention: Scholarship Committee. Applications may be faxed to POMC at (513) 345-4489 or emailed to Bev at bwarnock@pomc.org. Applications are available on the POMC website at www.pomc.org.

Eligibility criteria for ALL Scholarship awards:

1. Applicants must be a survivor of a homicide; and have volunteered at least one year of direct victim services to other victims/survivors.
2. Applicants must submit their name and address, a daytime phone number (including area code), and email address if available.
3. **Application must be filled out completely or it will not be accepted.**
4. Applicants must describe what they hope to gain from or bring to the conference.
5. Applicants must describe their involvement in POMC, i.e., Chapter Leader, serves on a local board, belongs to a local Chapter, attends local Chapter meetings, volunteers in Chapter events; serves as a National POMC Contact Person, writer for the Anniversary Program.
6. Applicants should include other ways in which they assist survivors of homicide victims.

Note: The Scholarship Committee will award recipients with scholarships based on each individual application. In the event that there are more applicants than available scholarships, the Committee may give extra credit to those who have contributed most to survivors of homicide victims, may seek diversity in terms of geography, and may employ a first come, first serve criterion.

2017 National POMC Conference Scholarship Application

(Please print clearly – or type)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Daytime number (area code): () _____ E-mail: _____

Name of victim(s): _____ Age: _____ DOD: _____

Your relationship to victim(s): _____

Number of POMC Conferences you have attended: _____

Do you subscribe to National's newsletter *Survivors*: _____ yes _____ no

Did you receive conference scholarships in ___2004___2005___2006___2008
___2009___2010___2011___2012___2013___2014___2015___2016

You must have a financial need to be eligible. Please describe your financial need for the scholarship:

Briefly describe your victimization, include the nature of the victimization, city, state and year.

You must have at least one year of volunteer or advocacy service to other victims of crime. Please describe the service that you provide:

Please describe how you plan to implement the skills and knowledge acquired as a result of attending the conference in your ongoing work with crime victims.

Return your completed application, to POMC, Attention: Scholarship Committee, 4960 Ridge Ave., Suite 2, Cincinnati, Ohio, 45209, fax to (513) 345-4489 or email to bwarnock@pomc.org . Applications must be received no later than May 20, 2017. No Exceptions!

Scholarship recipients if accepted will be required to fill out a survey to Office for Victims of Crime. It will be attached along with your recipient award letter and again when you turn in your receipts. This must be sent directly to them and the address will be on the survey.

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