



**2013 AFP International Conference on Fundraising**  
**Chamberlain Scholarship**  
***Extended Deadline for Applications: Wednesday, October 17, 2012***

Applications are now open for the **Chamberlain Scholarship** of the **Association of Fundraising Professionals (AFP)** Foundation for Philanthropy and the AFP Genesee Valley Chapter, which **will cover the entire cost of the 2013 AFP International Conference on Fundraising registration fees** (minus \$10) **and an additional \$1,000 towards travel, room and board – for a total of \$1615!** The 2013 conference will be held in San Diego, Calif., from April 7–9, and is a wonderful opportunity for fundraising professionals at all levels to develop their skills and knowledge in fundraising. (For more information about the conference, go to <http://conference.afpnet.org>.)

The Chamberlain Scholarship is named in honor of Ralph E. Chamberlain, CFRE, who had a long and distinguished career of service to AFP, from the 1960s until his death in 1999. Because of his long-time support of the Foundation's annual fund and thanks to a generous planned gift, the AFP Board of Directors renamed its Conference Scholar Program in 2000 to honor Chamberlain's memory and commitment to the association.

The Chamberlain Scholarship is made up of a grant from the AFP Foundation for Philanthropy, which will cover the entire registration fee for the conference (minus a \$10 processing fee) and a \$1,000 scholarship from the AFP Genesee Valley Chapter to cover travel, room and board – all with one easy application!

**The Chamberlain Scholarship will be selected based on the following criteria:**

- Candidate is employed as a fundraising professional or, if an executive director, a substantial amount of time is devoted to fundraising.
- Candidate has never attended an AFP (or NSFRE) International Conference on Fundraising as a registered participant.
- Candidate agrees to complete an online Evaluation Form about his or her experience at the International Conference.
- Candidate need not be a member of AFPGV, but members will receive preference.

An application is attached and also is available at [www.afpgv.org](http://www.afpgv.org).

**Additional information:**

- Application deadline: **Wednesday, October 17, 2012**
- Recipient of the Chamberlain Scholarship will be notified by **Friday, October 26, 2012**.
- All Chamberlain Scholars qualify for the "early bird" conference registration rate, regardless of when they register. A registration fee of \$10 is the responsibility of the recipient.
- Chamberlain Scholars are responsible for registering themselves for the conference and for making all travel and lodging arrangements by using a special Chamberlain Scholar Registration Form which will be provided.
- All scholars must register themselves for the International Conference using the Chamberlain Scholar registration form provided to them by AFP International Headquarters in their notification packets. (The scholarship grant will be paid directly to the International Conference registration.)

Applications must be received by Julie Murawski, Director of Development at Lifespan of Greater Rochester, 1900 S. Clinton Avenue, Rochester, NY 14618 or [jmurawski@lifespan-roch.org](mailto:jmurawski@lifespan-roch.org) *no later than **October 17, 2012***. For further information, contact Julie Murawski at 585-244-8400 x182 or [jmurawski@lifespan-roch.org](mailto:jmurawski@lifespan-roch.org).



Genesee Valley Chapter

Doing Good Things For The Right Reasons

2013 AFP FOUNDATION CHAMBERLAIN SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
to attend 2013 AFP International Conference, April 7-9, 2013 San Diego, California

Deadline for applications: October 17, 2012

Please attach the following documents to your application:

- A substantive, succinct, 100-250 word narrative explaining why the candidate is applying for a scholarship. This may be in the form of a cover letter to the application.
Your organization's most recent Annual Report.
Your resumé.
A copy of your organization's tax-exempt letter.

Personal data

Name \_\_\_\_\_ AFP member # \_\_\_\_\_
(Members take precedence)

Job title \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's name \_\_\_\_\_

Business address \_\_\_\_\_

Business phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Web site URL \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years fundraising with current organization \_\_\_\_\_ Years \_\_\_\_\_ Months

Supervisor's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Background information

Years in Profession \_\_\_\_\_

Previous training in fundraising \_\_\_\_\_
(specify courses, seminars, conferences attended)

Have you ever attended an AFP International Conference? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Professional Reference \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_
(Other than present employer)

I am employed as a full-time fundraising professional and spend at least 50% of my time fundraising for my employer. I have never attended an AFP/NSFRE International Conference on fundraising and understand that only one individual from my organization can be selected for this scholarship. I also understand that this is a partial scholarship and that I am required to find additional funds needed to attend this conference.

Applicant signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Return completed application and attachments to: Julie Murawski, Director of Development, Lifespan of Greater Rochester, 1900 S. Clinton Avenue, Rochester, NY 14618; jmurawski@lifespan-roch.org. Phone: 585-244-8400 x182.