



UNIVERSITY *of* WASHINGTON

26th Annual Principles of STD/HIV Research Course
July 23 – August 2, 2018
Seattle, WA

Letter of Institutional Support

The Principles of STD/HIV Research Course is able to offer a limited number of full and partial scholarships each year to help cover the costs of course tuition, travel, and/or accommodations for highly qualified students. Information about the different scholarship levels can be found on our website: <https://pshrcourse.org/scholarship-application/>. Scholarship selection is very competitive. Recipients will be selected by Course Directors and are awarded based on evidence of merit and commitment to STD/HIV research, with consideration of the country of origin and type of organization.

We request the following information from applicants' employers/organizations: 1) permission for the applicant to attend the course, if awarded a scholarship, and 2) the amount of financial support the employer/organization is able to contribute to help cover the cost of the applicant's attendance.

Name of Applicant: _____

- As the employer/organization, I agree that if a Principles of STD/HIV Research Course scholarship is awarded to the applicant, he/she will be granted the necessary leave to attend the entirety of the course from July 23 to August 2, 2018, plus sufficient time to travel to and from Seattle, WA, USA.

Please state below the amount of financial support your institution is able to offer in conjunction with a course scholarship.

Name of Organization: _____

Print Name: _____ **Title:** _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Form submission

This form must be completed and submitted by the applicant's employer/organization and emailed directly to course organizers at pshr@uw.edu with the subject line: *LOIS – Applicant's Name*.