



AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter CFRE Certification Bursary 2016

The AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter and AFP Foundation for Philanthropy – Canada recognizes the importance of creating opportunities for fundraising professionals and volunteers to access development opportunities. To support the career growth of professionals new to the field, we are pleased to offer bursaries to support your professional development.

This bursary is intended to cover a portion of the certification fee to obtain your Certified Fund Raising Executive (CFRE) credential. The bursary will be paid directly to the successful applicant following their written exam. Successful applicants are responsible for all aspects of their CFRE application.

Application Criteria

In order to be considered for this bursary, applicants must:

- ✓ Be a member in good standing of the **AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter**;
- ✓ Provide proof that their exam has been scheduled;
- ✓ Not received an individual Bursary from AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter in the last calendar year (2015);

Successful applicants will:

- ✓ Serve on an AFP Golden Horseshoe volunteer committee for a one-year term.
- ✓ Receive their bursary after they have written their exam.

The application form is below. When you have completed the form please e-mail to Marnie Helmy, AFP Chapter Bursary Chair, at marnie.helmy@hsc.on.ca by **5:00p.m. on Monday, May 2, 2016**.

If you have any questions, please contact Marnie Helmy at [:marnie.helmy@hsc.on.ca](mailto:marnie.helmy@hsc.on.ca).



Applicant Name _____

Job Title _____ **Employer** _____

Business Address _____

City _____ **Province** _____ **Postal Code** _____

Business Phone Number (____) _____ **E-mail** _____

AFP Membership ID #: _____

Supervisor's Name _____ **Title** _____

Supervisor's Signature _____ **Email** _____

Please give responses to the following questions – point form is acceptable.

1. What percentage of your time do you spend on fundraising activities?

2. Why did you decide to pursue your CFRE designation?

3. Briefly describe the value and impact of your current organization's charitable mission.

4. Describe a maximum of three highlights of your career achievements.

5. a) What are your personal short-and long-term career objectives?

b) What is your plan for accomplishing your personal career objectives?

6. Describe your commitment to the profession through activities such as volunteer services and mentoring of colleagues.

7. List the dates and brief descriptions of fundraising conferences or workshops you attended in the last 2 years and whether your organization funded your attendance.

8. Please list other sources of funds available to you for your certification.

9. Volunteer Interests:

Successful applicants are required to serve a one-year term as a volunteer for the Chapter. Please indicate a minimum of two chapter activities you would be most interested volunteering with should your application be successful:

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| Education | Volunteer Management |
| National Philanthropy Day | Marketing/Communications |
| Membership | Government Relations |
| Finance/Treasury | Bursaries/Scholarships |
| Revenue Development | Every Member Campaign |

By completing and signing this form, you are confirming the following statements:

- *I am employed as a full-time fundraising professional or spend at least 20% of my time fundraising for my employer.*
- *I understand that I am responsible for completing and submitting my CFRE application, and must schedule and write the exam before receiving the bursary.*
- *I understand that a requirement of receiving the bursary is serving on an AFP Golden Horseshoe Chapter volunteer committee for one year.*

(Applicant's Signature)

(Date)