

# 2010 MACUA CUNA GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS CONFERENCE SCHOLARSHIP ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

This scholarship was created to provide financial assistance to Dakota credit union staff and/or volunteers who wish to attend the CUNA Governmental Affairs Conference. Scholarship monies allocated to applicants may reach, but not exceed, the cost of the conference registration, typically between \$450 to \$850.

Please fill out the form in its entirety. Every question is important. Incomplete applications may not be considered for a scholarship. **No funds will be allocated without prior written approval. Application deadline is December 18, 2009.**

**Forward your completed application to:**

Mid-America Credit Union Association  
PO Box 7250  
Bismarck, ND 58507-7250  
or fax to 701.250.3941

For more information, contact Jeff Olson at 701.250.3940, 800.279.6328, ext. 3940, or [jolson@midamericacua.coop](mailto:jolson@midamericacua.coop) Please feel free to copy and distribute.

*Please print or type all information.*

Name of person applying for scholarship \_\_\_\_\_

Present credit union position \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Full-time      \_\_\_\_\_ Part-time      \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteer

If you are a volunteer, what is your full-time occupation? \_\_\_\_\_

Credit union name \_\_\_\_\_

Credit union address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Credit union phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Credit union fax (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Other daytime phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

What chapter does your credit union belong to? \_\_\_\_\_

Is anyone else from your credit union planning on attending the 2010 CUNA GAC Conference?

\_\_\_\_ Not sure    \_\_\_\_ Yes    \_\_\_\_ No

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1. Credit Union Asset Category:

\_\_\_\_\_ Less than \$25 Million \_\_\_\_\_ \$25 Million to \$50 Million \_\_\_\_\_ More than \$50 Million

2. How much financial assistance are you requesting (check all that apply)?

\_\_\_\_\_ Full Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_ Assistance With Registration

*Thanks to a donation from Sioux Falls Federal Credit Union, we will be offering a one-time "sponsored" scholarship in the amount of \$1,750 awarded to one recipient.*

3. Will you receive financial assistance from your credit union? If yes, how much? (i.e., chapter,) \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

4. Will you be receiving funds from other sources? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If yes, where and how much? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Are you currently supporting CUPAC/CULAC? \_\_\_\_\_

6. A) Have you participated in a state "Hike the Hill"? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If yes, what years? \_\_\_\_\_

B) Have you attended a Legislative Social in Pierre or Bismarck? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If yes, where and what years? \_\_\_\_\_

C) Have you attended a Legislative Chapter Night (meeting) \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ NA (Non-applicable, meaning the chapter that I attend does not sponsor a legislative chapter event.)

7. Have you ever attended the CUNA GAC before? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No If yes, what years? \_\_\_\_\_

**(Please attach additional sheet of paper with the answer to the following questions)**

8. Briefly describe why attending this event is important to your professional development.

9. Please list your involvement in the following for the last two or three years: chapter and/or credit union legislative events, PAC fund raising, and any other grassroots advocacy efforts.

10. Explain how attending the 2010 CUNA Governmental Affairs Conference will help you and your credit union better serve your members.

**Applicant signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Credit Union CEO or Board signature** \_\_\_\_\_

Please note: The above signatures are required. Applications without proper signatures will be returned.

