# 2025 Inform USA Scholarship Application

## Section 1: Applicant Info

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## Applicant Type (required)

- ☐ I am applying for myself or on behalf of a co-worker as an Inform USA member agency representative.
- ☐ I am applying for myself as an Individual Member.
- ☐ I am applying for myself as an Individual Member currently between employers.

If you are unsure if you fit in one of the above descriptions, please reach out to [info@informusa.org](mailto:info@informusa.org)

**Full Name of Candidate** (required)

**First Name** (required)

**Last Name** (required)

**Candidate Email Address** (required)

**Candidate Position/Title** (required)

**Organization Name and/or Program Name** (required)

## Section 2: Grant Type

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**Grant Type Requested** (required)

☐ Scholarship for conference attendance (ticket price only)
☐ Scholarship for Certification (Core or Micro)

**Certification Requested** (required)

☐ Community Resource Specialist
☐ Community Resource Specialist - Aging/Disabilites
☐ Community Resource Specialist - Database Curator
☐ Micro-Certification - I&R Coaching
☐ Micro-Certification - Supervision

## Section 3: Supporting Information

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**Have you or your organization previously applied for this scholarship?** (required)

- Yes
- No

**What new skills, knowledge, or insights do you/the candidate hope to gain that will be applied to your current or future work?** (required)

Limit: 500 words

**How will you/the candidate demonstrate the value of this experience to others (e.g., through presentations, reports, training)?** (required)

Limit: 500 words

**Are you/the candidate willing to share your experience with Inform USA through a report or follow-up?** (required)

- Yes
- No

## Section 4: Financial Need

**Why do you/the candidate require financial assistance to attend this conference or obtain this certification?** (required)

Limit: 500 words

**Are there any other funding sources you are applying to or have been awarded?** (required)

Limit: 250 words

**Please upload your current year program/department budget OR professional development funds budget.** (required)

Acceptable file types: .csv, .doc, .docx, .pdf, .xls, .xlsx

NOTE: This is not an actual application form. It is intended to help you prepare. If you would like to submit an application, it must be done at this link: https://informusa.submittable.com/submit