



INSTITUTE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR FULL-TIME EDUCATORS

ABOUT THE SCHOLARSHIP:

The Institutes on Academic Diversity staff are passionate about making differentiated instruction philosophy and pedagogy both meaningful and accessible to educators and educational leaders. We also realize that current economic contexts have made former district professional development funds unavailable, placing the fees incurred directly on teacher salaries. Since most of our staff are former public educators, we understand that conference fees are often unavailable when we most want to grow as professionals!

With this in mind, we would like to offer our first, ever, scholarship program for full-time educators. We will select scholarship recipients from all eligible applicants in order to provide the following scholarships:

Five \$165 Fall Symposium scholarships
Five \$200 Best Practices Institute scholarships
Five \$415 SIAD scholarships

REQUIREMENTS:

Full time educators wishing to apply for a partial institute scholarship, must include the following:

- (1) General Scholarship Application Form
- (2) A 500-800 word essay, describing why you feel you qualify for the scholarship; and, if granted, what you will do to ensure the information you gain through the conference is applied to your classroom and school.
- (3) Signed agreement form (attached) indicating that, should you receive the scholarship assistance, you agree to generate one differentiated lesson in an electronic format (i.e. you will email a Word document) no later than one month following the last day of the conference, granting permission to IAD to post it on www.differentiationcentral.com with staff feedback if applicable. The lesson plan must include:
 - Learning goals stated in KUD format;
 - Differentiated content, process, or product;
 - According to student readiness, interest, or learner profile.

SUBMISSION:

Please mail or fax essays and forms to the following address or fax number:

ATTN: Institutes on Academic Diversity
c/o Scholarship Committee
University of Virginia, Curry School of Education
P.O. Box 400277
405 Emmet St., Ruffner Hall Rm. 287
Charlottesville, VA 22904-4277
Fax: (434) 924-1384

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Last Name	
First Name	
Employer	
Position/Grade Level	
Mailing Address	
Email Address	
Preferred Contact Number/s	
Past IAD conferences attended, if any.	
Scholarship for which I am applying (please check <u>one</u>):	<input type="checkbox"/> Fall Symposium <input type="checkbox"/> Best Practices Institute <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Institutes on Academic Diversity

PLEASE NOTE:

If you have any questions concerning application requirements, please email us at siad@virginia.edu

Winning applicants must submit official registration forms and remaining conference fees no later than the submission deadline indicated below, or they will forfeit the scholarship. For conference registration forms, please visit our website at:

<http://curry.edschool.virginia.edu/go/iad>

IMPORTANT SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES			
	<i>Application Submission</i>	<i>Scholarship Recipients Notified</i>	<i>Registration Forms & Final Payment</i>
Fall Symposium <i>November, 2011</i>	Friday, October 21	Friday, October 28	Friday, November 04
Best Practices institute <i>March, 2012</i>	Friday, February 10	Friday, February 17	Friday, February 24
SIAD <i>July 2012</i>	Friday, May 25	Friday, June 08	Friday, June 15

AGREEMENT FORM

I, _____, agree to provide the Institutes on Academic Diversity with one electronic differentiated lesson no later than one month following the last day of the conference for which I am applying for a scholarship.

I also agree to allow IAD permission to post the differentiated lesson on granting permission to IAD to post it on www.differentiationcentral.com, and I agree to allow IAD to include comments on the posted lesson plan referring to particular aspects of the lesson for instructional purposes.

- Please include my full name when posting the lesson.
- I would prefer for my lesson to remain anonymous, so please do not include my name on the posted lesson.

Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____