**FUMC Adult Mission Trip**

**Scholarship Application**

**Details:** The Missions Work Area at Downers Grove First United Methodist Church believes in supporting mission work done by members of our church to help God’s people in need.

We offer an annual scholarship of up to $1,000 to an adult (post-high school) member of the church who will be embarking on a faith-based mission trip any time between April 2013 to March 2014. The MWA may decide to split the $1,000 between more than one scholarship winner.

Criteria for scholarship:

* Applicant must be 18 years or older and have completed high school
* Applicant must be a member of DGFUMC
* Mission trip must be faith-based
* The scholarship may match the church member’s costs, up to $1,000
* Applicant must be willing to attend a Missions Work Area meeting to share his/her mission experience
* If no applicants/winners in March, applicants will be considered throughout the year. The Scholarship may not be awarded if applicants do not meet all qualifications appropriately.

**Applications must be e-mailed to the MWA Chair at** **jeankrusinski@aol.com** **by March 15, 2013.** All applications will be reviewed by and the final recipient selected by the Missions Work Area members. Preference is given to applicants who have not previously received this scholarship.

**Previous Scholarship Recipients:**

**2012 Cassie Snyder San Salvador, El Salvador University Ministry of DePaul University
 Provide aid to rural community**

**2012 Dr. Pete Wildman Panama Medical mission to provide dental care**

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**Please complete application below (you may take as much space as needed):**

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

Organization sponsoring the mission:

Mission/project location:

Project description (who you will be helping, what you will do and for how long):

Why you chose to participate in this particular mission trip:

How this scholarship will help you:

How this experience will benefit you and others:

Estimated cost:

Other information (info on organization coordinating trip, websites, etc.) for the committee: