



ISOQOL Developing Country Scholarships ~ Application

**2009 Scientific Meeting ~ October 28-31
New Orleans, Louisiana**

Dear Applicant:

The ISOQOL Scholarships are to help defray costs for ISOQOL members who reside in developing countries and wish to attend the Annual Meeting. Applicants must be members of ISOQOL, or in the process of applying for membership. Each award provides monetary assistance of up to \$3,000 for conference fees, travel, and hotel accommodations.

As the intent of the scholarship is to provide both educational opportunities and opportunities to meet and establish contacts with other researchers, applicants are strongly encouraged to register for workshops and to attend all of the social events during the conference.

Please note that you will not receive advance funds or reimbursement for costs incurred prior to attending the meeting. As a result, you will need to insure that your sponsoring institution can provide assistance with these costs if needed. We will issue Travelers Checks or an ISOQOL check in US funds, however the exact details may be worked out.

In order to be considered for this award, please submit the following to the ISOQOL Executive Office by May 12, 2009:

1. Information page (see attached)
2. On separate page, responses to the following questions:
 - Tell us about yourself in 50 words or less:
 - In 50 words or less, what do you hope to get out of attending the ISOQOL conference?
3. Brief (1 page) biographical sketch. (All graduate degrees, appointments / employment during last 5 years, complete references for 3-5 selected publications (or presentations at scientific meetings).
4. Budget for anticipated expenses (see attached).
5. Letter of support from employer, other sponsoring agency or self indicating that there is a source of funding for the costs that are not covered by the scholarship. This must include willingness to provide temporary funding for costs incurred prior to arrival at the conference.
6. Draft of abstract (if submitted an abstract).

Sincerely,

Joan Branin, PhD
Chair, Scholarship Committee

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Information Page

Name: _____ **Highest Degree** _____

Mailing Address: _____

Country: _____ **Email:** _____

Phone: _____ **Fax:** _____

How much assistance are you requesting in order for you to be able to attend the ISOQOL meeting? (Please list in U.S. dollars): _____

Is your institution helping to meet any expenses? _____

Previous ISOQOL scholarship applications: _____ **Were any funded?** _____

Workshop preferences: _____, _____, _____

Abstract # if submitted: _____

Previous ISOQOL conference(s) attended, if any: _____

ISOQOL member since: _____

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**BUDGET WORKSHEET FOR ANTICIPATED EXPENSES
ISOQOL 2009 ANNUAL MEETING
New Orleans, Louisiana**

NAME: _____

Visas	\$ _____	US
Workshop and Registration Fees	\$ _____	US
Hotel	\$ _____	US
Meals	\$ _____	US
Transportation		
Air	\$ _____	US
Ground Transportation	\$ _____	US
TOTAL	\$ _____	US

Signed _____ Date _____

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