



Central Utah SHRM Membership Scholarship Application

Purpose:

The Central Utah SHRM (CUSHRM) Membership Scholarship is designed to assist current or prospective members who are experiencing financial hardship and would otherwise be unable to afford local chapter membership dues. This scholarship supports continued access to professional development, networking, and engagement within the HR community.

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Employer / Organization (if applicable): _____

Current Job Title: _____

Are you currently a SHRM National member?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ In process of joining

Are you currently a Central Utah SHRM member?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ New applicant

Scholarship Request

Please indicate the type of assistance you are requesting:

☐ 25% reduction in Central Utah SHRM membership fees (a limited number are offered):

Statement of Need

Please describe your current situation and why you are requesting a membership scholarship. Include any relevant details such as financial hardship, career transition, unemployment, student status, medical expenses, or other circumstances.

(250–500 words recommended)

Impact Statement

Please explain how receiving this scholarship will benefit you professionally and how you hope to engage with Central Utah SHRM.

(Examples: attending meetings, networking, volunteering, professional development, leadership growth, etc.)

Professional Background (Optional but Encouraged)

Briefly summarize your connection to the HR profession (experience, education, certifications, or career goals):



Supporting Documentation

Please indicate what documentation you can provide (if requested by the membership committee):

- ☐ Proof of student status
- ☐ Proof of unemployment
- ☐ Recent pay stub
- ☐ Other (please specify): _____
- ☐ Prefer to discuss privately with the President and Membership Director

Note: Documentation will be kept confidential and used only for scholarship review purposes.