

Young Adult Ministry Mini-Grants

Young People's Ministries has started a new program to provide mini-grants to young adults who are working towards improving their ministry skills. These grants can be used to offset the cost of registration for a ministry training event.

Eligibility:

Eligible events include: Convocations, Conventions, and Symposiums that are specifically targeted to train ministry leaders for service in the Church. Grants will not be provided for mission trips, Emmaus, Passion, Creation, or other personal development events. While these events may have a secondary result of helping to develop ministry leadership, they are not specifically designed for the training and development of persons for leadership in the Church.

Grants will not be given for college or graduate courses.

Application Deadlines:

Applications for 2012 events can be submitted as early as November 1, 2011 and can be submitted throughout the year, as long as funds are available. Funds are limited. Once funds are depleted there will be no more young adult mini-grants available for the remainder of the year. Please apply early.

Additional Guidelines:

- Mini-Grant recipients agree that all Young Adult Ministry money will be immediately returned if the recipient does not attend the event.
- Only one mini-grant per year, per person will be distributed.
- The grant can cover up to half of the registration cost of an event, up to \$100.
- The cost of travel, meals, and lodging expenses are not considered part of the registration cost. Events that include these costs in a package rate will be considered on a case by case basis.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.

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- Applications must be received at least 30 days prior to the start of an event.
- Applicants agree to provide a report to the Director of Young People's Ministries describing how the event was useful in developing their skills and abilities for leadership in the Church. The report should be submitted within two weeks of completion of the event.

Please direct all questions to Shane Hinderliter, Director of Young People's Ministries, at shinderliter@pen-del.org or 302-674-2626 x 15.