



AMERICAN COLLEGE OF SURGEONS
EASTERN ASSOCIATION FOR THE SURGERY OF TRAUMA FOUNDATION

2012 Scholarship Available

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The American College of Surgeons and the Eastern Association for the Surgery of Trauma Foundation are offering an annual scholarship to subsidize attendance and participation in the Executive Leadership Program in Health Policy and Management at Brandeis University. The course takes place May 20–26, 2012. The award is in the amount of \$8,000, to be used toward the cost of tuition, travel, housing, and subsistence during the period of the course.

General policies covering the granting of the scholarship are:

- The award is open to surgeons who are members in good standing of both the American College of Surgeons (ACS) and the Eastern Association for the Surgery of Trauma (EAST).
- The award is to be used to support the recipient during the period of the scholarship. Indirect costs are not paid to the recipient or to the recipient's institution.
- The Scholar is required to provide one year's health policy-related assistance to the ACS including attendance at a health policy meeting in Washington, DC. The EAST Foundation asks the Scholar for his or her support in reviewing applications for next year's Brandeis scholarship program and to present a brief report during the business meeting at EAST's Annual Scientific Assembly. The financial costs of such participation will be covered as part of the Scholarship.
- Applications for this scholarship consist of the following items:
 - One copy of the applicant's current curriculum vitae
 - A one-page essay as to why the applicant desires the scholarship
 - Letter of support from the applicant's Chair
- Application for this award may be submitted even if comparable application to other organizations has been made. If the recipient accepts a similar scholarship from another agency or organization, the scholarship will be withdrawn. It is the responsibility of the recipient to notify the Scholarships Section of ACS, which administers this award, of competing awards.
- The scholarship must be used in the year for which it is designated. It cannot be postponed.
- A brief report of the Scholar's experiences and activities is due at the conclusion of the course and of the scholarship period. A simple accounting is also required.

The closing date for receipt of applications is February 1, 2012. An awardee will be selected by a committee consisting of members of ACS and EAST. All applicants will be notified of the outcome of the selection process by March 31, 2012.

Questions may be directed to the ACS Scholarships Administrator at 312-202-5281.

For more information, visit <http://heller.brandeis.edu/academic/execed/index.html>.

Requirements for the ACS/EAST scholarship are also posted on the ACS website at www.facs.org and the EAST website at www.east.org.



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Please send applications for this scholarship to:

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