

North Central Region SARE Professional Development Program

Michigan

Travel Scholarship Application

Instructions: Save a copy using File>Save As including your last name in the file name. Return your completed file as an attachment via email. Questions: email Dean Bass at bassdean@msu.edu or call at 269-967-9672.

Applicant Information

Name: _____ Phone: _____ E-mail: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Organization: _____ Percent of Time Spent Working with Farmers: _____
 Years in Position: _____ Specialty Area: _____

Have you received a SARE travel scholarship in the past 2 years?

Conference/Event Information

Name of Conference/Event: _____
 Location: _____ URL Web Address: _____

Estimated Cost of Travel

Lodging:	Registration Fees:	Meals:	Misc.:	Detail:
Airfare:	Mileage (miles):	times current rate:	=	
Total Cost of Participating in Conference/Event:		Total \$ Requested from SARE:		\$500 max

Application Questions

1.) Please rate your current knowledge level on this topic.

- No knowledge
- Beginner – some knowledge but not enough to teach or answer most technical questions.
- Knowledgeable – can provide some technical information on the topic but could know more.
- Expert – confident of your abilities to provide technical advice and teach on this topic.

2.) What do you expect from this conference/event?

3.) How do you plan to use this new information in your work? Check all that are applicable

Answer client questions

Individual consultation

Develop new contacts and partners for work

Incorporated new ideas and information into regular programming

Deliver new programming on this topic

Use in newsletters and/or newspaper columns/radio shows Other:

4.) Any other comments:

Applications are due by the 15th of Each Month

Please Note: If you are selected for a SARE travel scholarship you will be asked to complete a survey immediately after the conference/event. You will also be asked, 6-12 months after the conference/event on how (client questions, field days, etc.) you used the information in your work and the number of farmers/educators with whom you shared the information.

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