



2008 SPONSORED STUDENT PARTICIPANT APPLICATION FORM

Thank you for your interest in being a *Sponsored Student Participant* at this year's 2008 *Building Bridges for TCM*. We are pleased to offer this unique opportunity to help increase your exposure to the teachings of traditional Chinese medicine and its modalities. **Note: past awardees are not eligible for this sponsorship.**

Please follow the steps below and contact Elaine Katen at ekaten@tcmworld.org or 212-274-1079 with questions.

- 1) Read the enclosed Conference Overview on www.tcmconference.org
- 2) Fill out this *Sponsored Student Participant* Application Form and complete the essays.
- 3) Send your signed *Sponsored Student Participant* application, by mail, postmarked by July 15, 2008 to:
Student Sponsorship, TCM World Foundation, 34 West 27th Street, Suite 1212, New York, NY 10001

Name	_____	Telephone	_____
Address	_____	E-mail	_____
	_____		_____
School	_____	Major(s)	_____
Address	_____		_____
	_____	Yr. Graduating	_____

Please answer the following **two** questions in an essay using only a single page in 11-point type or larger: **A.) Do you believe Spirit and consciousness play a role in healing? How?** On the same page, **B.) Explain briefly how the *Building Bridges for TCM* conference will benefit you personally and professionally.** Be sure to include contact information on this page and attach to this application form.

A limited number of *Sponsored Student Participant* spaces are available; therefore, we are not able to offer an inclusive award to each selected individual. Please indicate your preferences below:

I'd like to be considered for: _____ Registration _____ Travel Stipend of \$50.00

I'm able to attend even if I am not awarded a travel stipend. _____

I understand I must pay for my own room and board, but would like to share my room with another student. _____

_____ I plan to attend with my colleague(s). Please list: _____

_____ I plan to apply for CEUs _____ CMEs _____ and pay separate CME fee. _____

GUIDELINES:

- **Participation:** You must attend the full three-day conference and all scheduled *Sponsored Student Participants'* sessions.
- **Program Evaluation:** You must complete and sign the Conference Evaluation Form and a *Sponsored Student Participant* Program Evaluation. You will also be asked to participate in a post-conference questionnaire.
- **Travel Arrangements:** If granted a travel stipend, you will be awarded a \$50.00 gift check at *Building Bridges for TCM*.
- **Expenses:** You are responsible for any expenses related to the conference not included in your award, such as evening meals, parking, gratuities, CEU/CME fees, etc. There are no per diems or expense reimbursements. However, lunch on Friday and brunch on Sunday **are** included in your award.
- **Acceptance and Timing:** TCM World Foundation will notify award winners within 30 days of submission. You must accept your award within 10 days. If you cannot attend, you agree to let us know as soon as possible.
- **Award Acceptance:** All award decisions are made by Traditional Chinese Medicine World Foundation Committee and are final. All forms are the property of the Foundation. Awards may not be transferred, sold, or substituted.

I have read and agree to follow the above guidelines as a requirement of my application and acceptance.

Signature: _____ Date: _____