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## **Supporting Scholarships to NIIC 2015**

The National Immigrant Integration Conference (NIIC), now in its 8th year, is the largest convening focused on immigration in the U.S. Established in 2008, the conference brings together policy, corporate, nonprofit, labor, academic, faith, community and philanthropic sectors to build solutions for immigrant integration. NIIC has grown to become the key immigration gathering of the year, and we expect over 1,000 attendees for NIIC 2015.

NIIC 2015 co-hosts are working with funders and supporters to create scholarships that will enable as many and as diverse a range of participants to attend NIIC 2015. For those considering gifts of \$500 or more, we recommend the following amounts:

- \$2,500\* 3-Day Registration + 2-Night Accommodation Scholarship for 2 Attendees + \$500 Travel Stipend
- \$1,000\* 3-Day Registration + 2-Night Accommodation Scholarship for 1 Attendee
- \$500 3-Day Registration Scholarship for 1 Attendee

(\*Donors of \$1,000 or higher will be listed in the conference program.)

Donors are encouraged to make scholarship donations with targeted constituencies or recipients in mind (staff from grantees, students, artists, etc.). While the above are recommended amounts, contributions to the Scholarship Fund of any amount are welcomed.

For non-restricted scholarship donations, funds will be awarded based on availability and with priority to those who:

- Have never attended NIIC prior
- Would otherwise not be able to attend
- Work with NIIC partner organizations
- Work in fields under-represented by other NIIC attendees, or represent under-served communities
- Are full- or part-time students

For applicants, scholarship applications will be accepted through October 1, with determinations and notifications made by October 31.

All gifts for NIIC scholarships should be confirmed by October 1<sup>st</sup> and made payable by November 1<sup>st</sup> as follows:

New York Immigration Coalition 137-139 West 25<sup>th</sup> Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor New York, NY 10001 Memo: NIIC Scholarship Fund **Or make your contribution online at NIIC2015.org** 

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