

# The Lois Capps Scholarship Fund



The Lois Capps Scholarship Fund provided by the Nursing Community Coalition recognizes the work of the [Honorable Lois Capps](#) by offering the opportunity for nurses to attend the [Nurse in Washington Internship \(NIWI\)](#) conference offered by the Nursing Organizations Alliance.

Funding will cover the cost of registration plus hotel and travel expenses for NIWI.

## Eligibility Criteria:

- Applicant must be a nurse or nursing student and a [member](#) of one of the Nursing Community's organizations. Applicant must provide proof of membership.
- Priority will be given to applicants from the Honorable Lois Capps's home state of California.

## Application:

Candidates must submit a 500-word essay that addresses the following questions:

- What sparked your passion for policy?
- If applicable, how have you engaged in policy efforts to advance quality patient care at the state or local level?
- How do you believe collaborations empower policy change?

Applications are due no later than **January 24, 2018** to Sara Zach at [szach@AMRms.com](mailto:szach@AMRms.com).



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