



Misty Stewart Memorial Scholarship for Tribal Advocates

About the Scholarship

The Misty Stewart Memorial Scholarship was created to honor the life, legacy, and advocacy of Misty Stewart, a beloved colleague, friend, and champion for survivors of domestic and sexual violence. This annual scholarship supports Indigenous Advocates to attend our Annual Conference, helping ensure that Misty's values—courage, compassion, survivor-centered support, and community care—continue to guide and strengthen our work.

Misty dedicated more than 15 years to domestic and sexual violence prevention and response. She believed deeply in harm reduction, meeting people where they are, and honoring the truth that healing already exists within each person. This scholarship is one way we carry her work forward by investing in Indigenous advocates who are building safer, more compassionate communities.

Scholarship Overview

- **Who it's for:** Tribal advocates working in domestic violence, sexual violence, or related fields
- **What it covers:** Conference registration, travel support, per diem, and lodging
- **Number of awards:** One
- **Conference dates/location:** September 15-17, 2026, The Orleans Hotel & Casino, Las Vegas, NV

Applicant Information

Name: _____ Title: _____

Organization: _____

Tribal Affiliation(s) / Indigenous Community (optional, if you wish to share):

Address including City, State, Zip:

Email: _____

Phone: _____



Application

Why are you interested in attending this conference, and how does it connect to your work or community?

What does “meeting people where they are” look like in your advocacy or community work? Please share an example if you’re comfortable.

How do you hope attending this conference will support your personal growth, professional development, or ability to serve your community?

How will you share or bring back what you learn from the conference to your community, organization, or network?

Submission Details

- Application Deadline: 7/31/2026
- Notification Date: 8/15/2026
- Submit your applications by email to conf@ncedsv.org