Financial Aid Policy for CLE Events

The WIPO Arbitration and Mediation Center offers financial aid assistance for attorneys who wish to attend a WIPO Center fee-based Workshop but who are unable to attend or for whom it is financially burdensome to attend due to cost considerations.

In order to be considered for CLE financial assistance, you must apply in writing. CLE financial aid assistance is available for up to 50% of selected course fees for all attorneys based upon income verification as set forth below.

Attorney Discounts

Income up to USD 30,000 50% discount Income USD 30,001-\$50,000 25% discount Income above USD 50,000 no discount

Application Process and Income Verification

Please forward an e-mail explaining the reasons for your request for financial aid.

Applicants who are currently employed must include a letter from their current employer confirming anticipated current yearly earnings. Applicants who are self-employed should include a personal statement confirming their anticipated current year earnings.

Applicants who are currently unemployed should include a personal statement confirming current unemployment status with the submission.

Applications for CLE financial aid assistance should be sent to <u>arbiter.meetings@wipo.int</u> at least seven days prior to the event.

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