



Scholarship Application

Tell Her Story

Women in Scripture and History

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CBE's Mission and Core Values

CBE's Mission

CBE exists to promote the biblical message that God calls women and men of all cultures, races, and classes to share authority equally in service and leadership in the home, church, and world. CBE's mission is to eliminate the power imbalance between men and women resulting from theological patriarchy.

Core Values

- Scripture is our authoritative guide for faith, life, and practice.
- Patriarchy (male dominance) is not a biblical ideal but a result of sin that manifests itself personally, relationally, and structurally.
- Patriarchy is an abuse of power, taking from women and girls what God has given them: their dignity, freedom, and leadership, and often their very lives.
- While the Bible reflects a patriarchal culture, the Bible does not teach patriarchy as God's standard for human relationships.
- Christ's redemptive work frees all people from patriarchy, calling women and men to share authority equally in service and leadership.
- God's design for relationships includes faithful marriage between a woman and a man, celibate singleness, and mutual submission in Christian community.
- The unrestricted use of women's gifts is integral to the work of the Holy Spirit and essential for the advancement of the gospel worldwide.
- Followers of Christ are to advance human flourishing by opposing injustice and patriarchal teachings and practices that demean, diminish, marginalize, dominate, abuse, enslave, or exploit women, or restrict women's access to leadership in the home, church, and world.

CBE's Statement of Faith

- We *believe* in one God, creator and sustainer of the universe, eternally existing as three persons equal in power and glory.
- We *believe* in the full deity and the full humanity of Jesus Christ.
- We *believe* that eternal salvation and restored relationships are only possible through faith in Jesus Christ who died for us, rose from the dead, and is coming again. This salvation is offered to all people.
- We *believe* the Holy Spirit equips us for service and sanctifies us from sin.
- We *believe* the Bible is the inspired word of God, is reliable, and is the final authority for faith and practice.
- We *believe* that women and men are equally created in God's image and given equal authority and stewardship of God's creation.
- We *believe* that women and men are equally responsible for and distorted by sin, resulting in shattered relationships with God, self, and others.
- Therefore, we *lament* that the sins of sexism and racism have been used to historically oppress and silence women throughout the life of the church.
- We *resolve* to value and listen to the voices and lived experiences of women throughout the world who have been impacted by the sins of sexism and racism.

2024 Conference Scholarship Information

Tell Her Story: Women in History and Scripture

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Thanks to the generosity of our donors, CBE can offer a limited number of financial aid scholarships that cover part or the entire cost of the conference registration fee. Scholarships are awarded based on financial need.

Currently, CBE is accepting applications from US citizens, permanent residents, or non-US citizens holding a valid work or student visa for the United States.

To apply, please complete this **CBE Conference Scholarship Application form** and submit via email (conferences@cbeinternational.org). Each application must be filled out individually: one application per applicant.

Scholarship Application Deadline: March 08, 2024

Scholarship awardees will be notified on or before **April 05, 2024**.

Scholarships **will not** cover travel to or from the conference (including ground transportation), accommodation, or food costs.

How do I apply?

1. Complete and sign the application form. In signing this application, you agree to [CBE's Statement of Faith and Core Values](#), as well as to volunteer at the conference.
2. Provide a letter of recommendation, and send us 2–3 references.
3. Provide any documents that will build your case for a need-based scholarship (pay stubs, tuition invoices, etc.).
4. Submit all application requirements no later than **March 08, 2024**.

2024 Conference Scholarship Application Form

Please answer all questions on this form in detail.

Return this application by March 8, 2024 to be considered for a scholarship.

Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Email:

Please select:

I am a citizen or permanent resident of the United States.

I am residing in the United States on a valid US work or student visa.

Are you currently employed?

Yes

No

What is your individual monthly income?

What is your annual household income?

How many people are in your household?

Describe your financial constraints or hardship:

Are you a student currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate (post-graduate) program?

Yes, full time

Yes, part time

No

If yes, what is the name of the institution and what program are you enrolled in?

How much are your tuition and fees this year, and how much of this is paid by others or with financial aid?

Are you able to pay any portion of the conference registration fee?

Yes

No

If yes, how much?

Are you willing to volunteer during the conference?

Yes

No

Do you agree with [CBE's Statement of Faith and Core Values](#)?

Yes

No

Please answer the following question in 100–200 words (1–2 paragraphs): Why do you want to attend CBE's 2024 conference? How do you expect to be enriched by the content, and how will you use what you learn to benefit your community?

Application Submission

Scholarships are evaluated and awarded based on financial need. Submitting this form does not mean that CBE will provide you with a conference scholarship. This scholarship only covers conference registration. It does not include lodging, travel, or meals.

Please send your completed application to CBE International via email or mail by **March 8, 2024**.

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