



MICRO-SPONSORING ISBM 2012

Micro-sponsoring invites all our current and previous participants to contribute to the sustainability and effectiveness of the **International Summer School on Business Mediation** by sponsoring scholarships for persons who would not be able to participate in the **ISBM** otherwise.

Micro-sponsoring also means widening the circle of people who are interested in business mediation and mediative competences or searching for a new approach in conflict resolution in general. It provides you with an opportunity to personally contribute to the development of a society, which is able to deal with conflict in a more constructive way. In other words, it might be your contribution to the future, as suggested in the title of the next ISBM **Past . Present . Future**.

Micro-sponsoring can include sponsoring scholarships for

- cooperation partners who you would like to familiarize with mediation and mediative competences,
- a friend who has been interested in your work for some time,
- a staff member as a token of your appreciation,
- family members in order to share with them a week of intensive encounters and nurturing learning,
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Alternatively, you can leave it up to the organizers of the ISBM to decide who should be awarded the scholarship you are sponsoring. The participant will be selected from a pool of organizations and networks in the field of alternative conflict resolution (e.g. human rights organisations or environmental organisations, conflict resolution initiatives from neighbouring countries). More detailed information as to who is in this pool will be given by January 2012. Of course you will have the opportunity to get to know "your" sponsored participant, and you can even act as his or her mentor for the week (or longer), should you desire to do so.

The fee for the scholarship you are sponsoring depends on the date of your registration (early bird I or II, normal price) and therefore ranges from € 1,850 and € 2,250 plus VAT.

Micro-sponsoring covers the following services:

- For the **sponsored participants**: participation in all events of the ISBM 2012, incl. two coffee breaks per day, lunch and dinner as per itinerary, local transport services for activities in the National Park. Travel expenses to and from the event as well as lodging and breakfast are not included.

Additionally the **sponsor** will receive **the following benefits**:

- "Meet & Greet" - an **exclusive reception** for sponsors and sponsored participants (on Monday, July 16, 2012, 18:15)
- Being mentioned as micro-sponsor on our **website** (www.isbm.at) as well as on the board listing all micro-sponsors at the venue of the ISBM

Should you want become a micro sponsor please mark the appropriate box on page 2 of the **ISBM** registration form.

Should you want to be sponsor without being able to attend the **ISBM** 2012 yourself, please use the appropriate field on the registration form ... and don't forget to enter your name, contact details, billing address and signature.

Upon receipt of the registration form, the Konfliktkultur office will be in touch with you to discuss the next steps of the process.

We would like to thank you for taking on responsibility for the continuation of the **ISBM**, which is becoming more and more difficult to organize without your financial support.

We are looking forward to seeing you next year and wish you all the best until then,



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