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**From:** contact@gbta-tampabay.org  
**Sent:** Monday, June 30, 2014 1:41 PM  
**To:** contact@gbta-tampabay.org  
**Subject:** Form submission for form Professional Development Scholarship form at Tampa Bay BTA

### Submission from the Professional Development Scholarship form form

The information has been inserted into the Members table

The following information was submitted:

Field	Value
Name	Maria Steen
Job Title	SSG - Coordinator
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Job Responsibilities	Business Intelligence reporting: Hotel/Travel/Air adoption
Years as a TBBTA member	7
TBBTA membership status	Direct Member
GBTA member	GBTA membership status: Yes
List TBBTA committees you have served on in what years, professional awards received, professional organization appointments etc.	Program Chair 2008-2010, Secretary 2011-2013, VP of Technology 2014. Active member IAAP, CAP-OM cert
Looking toward the future, what are your short term professional goals for 2014-2015 and beyond and how do you intend to reach those goals?	The GTP certification will give me recognition at my current job. It will open opportunies elsewhere
Please address how you plan to use the scholarship funds	I will like to pay for the GTP certification test fee and study guide.
Acknowledgement with your mm/dd birthdate	08/03



Tampa Bay Business Travel Association
2014 Professional Development Scholarship Application

Name: Leanne Turton

Job Title: Corporate Sales Manager

Company: InterContinental Tampa

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Phone: 813-286-4038 Fax: 813-286-4051

E-mail: lturton@intercontampa.com

Job Responsibilities:

corporate and leisure travel, all transient.

Years a TBBTA Member: 7 years

TBBTA Membership Status (please check one): Direct Member Allied Member X

Professional Contributions/Activities (list TBBTA committees you have served on in what years, professional awards received, professional organization appointments etc.):

- a. VP Allied Affairs 2007 b. President 2008-2010 c. Chairperson 2010-2012 d. Treasurer 2014 e. Legislative Symposium 2011 f. CTE Designation from GBTA 2012

Please answer the following questions and answer in 100 - 200 words per question (attach Word document):

- 1. Looking toward the future, what are your short term professional goals for 2014 and beyond? How do you intend to reach those goals? After time off of the board I rejoined the TBBTA board as Treasurer for 2014-2015. I'm preparing to take the GTP Exam at GBTA Convention July 2014 to further my education and dedication to industry of Business Travel
2. Please address how you plan to use the scholarship funds? If I pass the exam, educational credits are required to maintain my accreditation, I would use the scholarship money towards educational credits within the year the money is awarded. Work is not able to cover these expenses so the money would help me personally as I remain on the board during 2015. Thank you for the consideration.

Please sign:

Signature: Leanne Turton Date: 7/2/14





Tampa Bay Business Travel Association  
2014 Professional Development Scholarship Application

Name: Josephine Ando

Job Title: Sales Manager

Company: Tampa Marriott Westshore

Address: 1001 N. Westshore Blvd

Phone: 813 282 5814 Fax: 813 287 0561

E-mail: Josephine.ando@marriottsales.com

Job Responsibilities:

Develops and initiates all actions necessary and appropriate to achieve established sales department revenue goals and overall business revenue goals for the hotel

Prepares and presents action plans, sales literature, and contracts for clients to keep the hotel in conjunction with corporate quota

Identifies new corporate accounts and maintains effective relationships

Establishes and maintains relationships with the general public, key officials (including highest ranking military and civilian dignitaries), local Chambers of Commerce and community groups (TBBTA, Westshore Alliance) on behalf of the hotel

Years a TBBTA Member: 1 year

TBBTA Membership Status (please check one): Direct Member **Allied Member**

Professional Contributions/Activities (list TBBTA committees you have served on in what years, professional awards received, professional organization appointments etc.):

a.

b.

Please answer the following questions and answer in 100 - 200 words per question (attach Word document):

1. Looking toward the future, what are your short term professional goals for 2014 and beyond? How do you intend to reach those goals?

I want to excel in my knowledge and understanding of the business travel industry and become an expert in my field through participation at seminars, education sessions, annual GBTA conference and specialized programs

2. Please address how you plan to use the scholarship funds? I would like to use my scholarship toward the fees for the GTP certification

Please sign:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Josephine Ando \_\_\_\_\_

Date: July 10, 2014