

# A Scholarship for Supporting Clean Water for Healthy Communities in Cambodia

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We are very pleased to announce that, through a generous donation from the Still Point Foundation in the United States, up to ten civil society practitioners working in and with communities in Cambodia on access to clean drinking water will receive substantial scholarships for participation in the Collective Leadership Institute's [Art of Stakeholder Collaboration 1 course](#) in Siem Reap, Cambodia from 2-5 August 2017.



*Dominic Stucker facilitating one of CLI's former trainings in Siem Reap, Cambodia.*

The purpose of the scholarship is to build stakeholder dialogue and collaboration capacity among civil society course participants for improved access to drinking water for communities in Cambodia. As a result, the aim is to improve the health of children and families, making for a better quality of community life.

*"It is a great joy for me to be able to support the work you do at Collective Leadership Institute to help make the world a more connected place. So much is needed and it is in the concrete steps that change can happen. I am so happy to be a part of bringing people together around the essential need for clean water in Cambodia." – Christa Lancaster, on behalf of the Still Point Foundation*



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The normal course fee for our 4-day, English language, Art of Stakeholder Collaboration 1 course is 1,650€ per participant. Each scholarship recipient participates at a greatly reduced fee of 500€. Please note that we expect many applicants and cannot guarantee scholarships for everyone. This is a competitive scholarship.

The application process is now open and applications are due on 15 May at the very latest. Interested applicants are encouraged to take these steps:

- 1) Learn more about the work of the [Collective Leadership Institute](#) and, in particular, the [Art of Stakeholder Collaboration 1 course](#) that is being offered in Siem Reap, Cambodia from 2-5 August 2017. Consider if and how your work in community access to clean drinking water may benefit from participating in this course.
- 2) Ensure that you meet the eligibility criteria, listed below.
- 3) Consider how well you meet the selection criteria, listed below.
- 4) Ensure that you (and any civil society team members) complete the [online application in English](#) by 15 May 2017 at the very latest.

We welcome applications from women and men, from experienced professionals and young professionals alike.

#### *Eligibility criteria*

- Employee or volunteer in an NGO or grassroots community organization working for improved access to clean drinking water in communities in Cambodia.
- Able to cover the full costs of travel to and from Siem Reap, accommodations, and per diem for the duration of the course, in addition to the reduced course fee of 500€.
- Available to fully participate in each day of the 4-day course, from 8:00am on 2 August to 5:00pm on 5 August.
- Can understand and speak English OR can independently secure professional, simultaneous translation services for all course participants.
- At least 18 years of age by 2 August 2017.

#### *Selection criteria*

- Depth of past experience working in and with communities on access to clean drinking water in Cambodia.



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- Level of current and future commitment to working in and with communities on access to clean drinking water in Cambodia.
- While individuals are welcome to apply, preference will be given to those who apply as a small civil society team representing stakeholder groups that are essential to their work in improving access to clean drinking water at the community level.
- Even better, we encourage these civil society representatives to integrate themselves in a public sector team that has the mandate to improve access to clean drinking water in their communities. (Please note: only the participating civil society members are eligible for this scholarship.)

We plan to announce scholarship recipients by the end of June 2017. Please note that successful scholarship recipients will be required to:

- Complete of short pre-course survey (to be sent to all course participants in July).
- Fully and actively participate in the course from 8:00am on 2 August to 5:00pm on 5 August.
- To the greatest extent possible and appropriate, implement plans developed in the course.
- 3-6 months after the course, submit a 1-2 page report written in English on the application of approaches learned in the course, progress, lessons learned, and next steps, accompanied with several copyright-cleared pictures of involved stakeholders, dialogues, and/or project accomplishments for possible publication by Still Point Foundation and Collective Leadership Institute.

Best of luck!

The CLI Team



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