



THE KNEADING CONFERENCE

Work Study Scholarship Application Form

The Kneading Conference Work Study Program is intended for those who show high interest in the field of baking and/or local grain growing and who need help in meeting the expenses of the July 25-27, 2024 conference. In exchange for a \$325 scholarship and ample time attending conference workshops and lectures, work/study applicants will be asked to volunteer on Wednesday, July 24th through Saturday, July 27th (the day of the Maine Artisan Bread Fair). Duties will include helping with set up, clean up and other tasks in the kitchen, assisting presenters and helping around the conference grounds. The work study fee is \$100, half of which is due at acceptance. The fee includes camping at the fairgrounds and meals from the Presenter's Dinner Wednesday night through Saturday close. **If you anticipate difficulties paying the \$100 fee please note in the Comments section below.**

Applications are reviewed and filled on a rolling basis. If you are accepted into Work Study a \$50 deposit is required on notification. The remaining balance is due before July 1st, 2024.

Please answer all of the following questions and mail to:

Maine Grain Alliance
P.O. Box 1140
Skowhegan, ME, 04976

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

1. Have you ever been a work study participant at the Kneading Conference?

Yes

No

If Yes, what year(s)? _____

2. What are your strengths and "less strengths"?

3. Do you have any restaurant or commercial kitchen experience?

4. Do you prefer front or back of house work?

5. Do you have any AV/Tech experience?

6. Including yourself, how many people are in your household? _____

7. Are you the primary income earner in your household?

- Yes
- No

8. What is your present occupation? _____

9. What is your current total household gross (before taxes) annual income?

- \$25,000 or less
- \$26- 30,000
- \$31- 40,000
- \$41- 50,000
- \$51- 60,000
- \$61- 75,000
- \$76- 100,000
- over \$100,000

10. Are you available to arrive on Wednesday, July 24th, to fulfill your work commitment by helping to set up?

11. Are you available to work on Saturday, July 27th, to fulfill your work commitment by helping at the Maine Artisan Bread Fair?

12. Why would you like to attend as a work study participant?

13. Why do you feel that you need scholarship assistance? Please use specific information that will help us to evaluate your need.

* For those accepted for work study, deposit is non-refundable; it will be applied toward the \$100 work study registration fee. Balance of \$50 is due by July 1st, 2024. Deposit will be returned if you are not accepted for a work/study scholarship.

Comments: