



## **Special Benefit for PRSSA Seniors and Young Professionals: Get Your Local Chapter Dues for Free!**

### **Apply for the Frause PRSA Puget Sound Chapter Membership Grant**

When you join PRSA National at the low Associate Member rate, you can apply to have your local PRSA Puget Sound Chapter dues of \$60 paid for you! This is through the generosity of a local champion for students and young professionals, longtime national PRSA leader and esteemed practitioner Bob Frause, APR, Fellow PRSA.

#### **Just follow these steps.**

1. Pay your National PRSA dues online ([www.prsa.org/joinus/howtojoin](http://www.prsa.org/joinus/howtojoin)) and save a copy of your receipt. *If you are a current PRSSA member, or you were within the past two years, your national dues are only \$60!*
2. Fill out the Frause Grant form (see reverse) and include a copy of your receipt for National dues. (For an electronic copy, contact your chapter liaison or the Student Outreach co-chairs; see contact information below.)
3. Send the form to PRSA Puget Sound Board Member Amy Boyd (see email address on form).
4. The Student Outreach Committee will review your application and share it with the PRSA local office. If you are approved, you can expect to hear from Bob Frause confirming that he paid for your local dues.
5. Write Bob a thank-you note. (Not only is this professional and courteous, it helps you establish a relationship with a great practitioner.)
6. PRSA Puget Sound will inform PRSA National that you're a local member. That's it!

#### **Notes:**

- This fund applies to applicants who are eligible for the PRSA Associate Membership (\$60) – five months before graduation and up to two years after.
- You can apply even if you did not graduate from a school located in Washington state.
- You can apply within two years of graduation.
- The grant is only available to applicants joining PRSA Puget Sound Chapter.
- The membership is for your first year only of chapter dues.

Joining **now** as an Associate Member can save you hundreds of dollars. Do it soon before it gets away from you!

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