



Stay on Track for Excellence

September 28 – October 2, 2024



During the April 26th DMI Board of Directors meeting, the Directors approved three (3) stipends for Technical College Risk Manager representatives to attend either in person or virtually, [URMIA's 55th Annual Conference](#) held in New Orleans, LA

Attendees planning on an in person experience will be responsible to make and pay for any/all transportation arrangements, hotel reservations, and the Annual Conference registration fees. [DMI will reimburse the College post conference.](#) The attendee is expected to attend and participate in the entire URMIA Conference.

Technical College Risk Managers wishing to apply for the in person attendance stipend must be full-time college staff, employed at least two years, and have the approval of their immediate supervisor. In addition, their job must be directly related to the College's risk management strategy.

Technical College Risk Managers wishing to virtually attend the Annual Conference per the URMIA guidelines for virtual attendance have the option to do so as well.

Technical College Risk Managers (and the additional staff attendees) wishing to apply for the virtual meeting attendance registration stipend must be full-time college staff, employed at least two years, and have the approval of their immediate supervisor. In addition, their job(s) must be directly related to the College's risk management strategy.

The Board approved a stipend amount of \$969 per applicant to be awarded for [in person attendance or virtual attendance.](#)

URMIA conferences contain high quality presentations covering many aspects of higher education risk management. URMIA conferences also provide a fantastic opportunity to network with world-wide higher education risk management professionals.

Annual Conference registration opens in June.

The 2024 URMIA Annual Conference Stipend Application is included with this announcement and may also be found on the DMI website. Completed applications are due **no later than June 10, 2024.**

Preferential treatment for in person participation will be given to first time attendees. *Selected candidates will be notified in writing and announced during the July 18, 2024 virtual Risk Managers Meeting.*



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The New Orleans Marriott serves as the center of the action for the conference. It is an exceptional retreat and conference destination in the heart of the city, embodying the essence of Southern charm and contemporary comfort. This prime location boasts stunning views of the Mississippi River and is just steps away from iconic landmarks and attractions of the city. Enjoy a ride on the Canal Streetcar which boards in *neutral ground* directly in front of the hotel as an experience not to be missed. Make your reservations early! Click the link for more [hotel and booking information](#).

Kindly reach out to Steven Stoeger-Moore with questions regarding the conference and the award.