

From: Lindh, Frank  
Sent: 6/1/2011 9:48:39 AM  
To: Cherry, Brian K (/O=PG&E/OU=CORPORATE/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=BKC7)  
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Subject: RE: Scholarship question

thnx!

**From:** Cherry, Brian K [mailto:BKC7@pge.com]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 01, 2011 9:24 AM  
**To:** Lindh, Frank  
**Subject:** FW: Scholarship question

Here is a better explanation.

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**From:** Bird, Katherine R  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 01, 2011 9:20 AM  
**To:** Cherry, Brian K  
**Cc:** Redacted  
**Subject:** Scholarship question

The employee resoure groups (ERGs) do get funding from the company for their activities (I think it's \$5,000 per year). This is for things like refreshments at meetings, room rental fees from the conference center, etc.

However, the scholarships are funded through contributions through the Campaign to the Community made by individual employees and through the Employee Community Fund (ECF), which is a 501(c)(3) org -

The ECF in the past few years has matched up to \$5,000 per ERG for scholarships (i.e., they need to get \$5,000 in contributions through the Campaign for the Community). Per Redacted that funding comes through charitable contributions, I think through the PG&E Corporation Foundation.

Redacted is the expert on the ECF, so I can contact him with any further questions you or Frank might have.

Katherine

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**From:** Cherry, Brian K  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 01, 2011 9:10 AM  
**To:** Bird, Katherine R  
**Subject:**

Do the employee groups get funding from the company.

