



**BELONGING AND CROSSING IN COMMUNITY:  
ADVANCED AND CERTIFICATION FOCUSING WEEKLONG**

*January 13-18 in Punta de Tralca, Chile (2 hours from Santiago)*

*"...by crossing we create in each other what neither of us was before." (Eugene Gendlin)*

**Invitation to Apply  
for the Dr. Janet Klein Scholarship**

*The intention of Interactive Focusing is to build bonds of intimacy by allowing you to  
"touch into your direct experience in the presence of another person."*

JANET KLEIN

*Thanks to the family of Dr. Janet Klein and other generous donors, scholarship money is available to help you attend the Advanced and Certification Weeklong.*

**JANET KLEIN**

Janet Klein was the co-creator of Interactive Focusing, where a separate space is made for experiencing empathy. Interactive Focusing is a alternative, meaningful way of Focusing.

After Janet died in 2010, The International Focusing Institute and Janet's family established a fund to continue her legacy in the Focusing world. This scholarship promotes Dr. Klein's vision of an international community where anyone with a passion for Focusing has access to the training and connections available at the Weeklong.

The scholarship supports people who demonstrate a commitment and capacity to spread Focusing in areas of the world where it is



emergent, or where new applications of Focusing are being developed. Special consideration is given to candidates with training and/or interest in Interactive Focusing.

Since the fund's inception, 21 scholarships have been awarded to participants who could not otherwise afford to come.

We invite you to read the letter of thanks from one the 2017 Janet Klein Scholarship recipients, Maria Orozco, which can be found at [focusing.org/weeklong](http://focusing.org/weeklong).

**Applicants should:**

- demonstrate commitment and capacity to spread Focusing in areas of the world where it is emergent, or where new applications of Focusing are being developed
- be members of The International Focusing Institute (preferably having been members throughout their training)
- be appropriate for attendance at the Weeklong, either being advanced in their studies or ready for certification
- need financial assistance to attend

Special consideration will be given to applicants with training or interest in Interactive Focusing, because this was Janet Klein's passion.

**APPLYING FOR THE SCHOLARSHIP**

If you are interested in participating in this year's Weeklong, talk to your Coordinator and ask him or her to nominate you for this scholarship as soon as possible.

The size of an individual's scholarship will depend on economic need and available funds. Awards can vary from partial tuition reduction to (in rare instances) assistance with all costs, including tuition as well as room and board. The applicant should clearly indicate which costs he or she can pay and which costs he or she cannot. We regret that because of limited funds, not all applicants can be awarded scholarships.

**Deadlines:** We must receive the letter from the Coordinator recommending the applicant AND all materials from the applicant by **July 1, 2018**. We will let you know by the end of August whether or not you have received a scholarship.

**REQUIRED MATERIALS DUE JULY 1:**

1. Recommendation from the Coordinator. There is no set length for the recommendation letter, but most have been about 250 – 500 words.

2. Letter of interest from the applicant, explaining background in Focusing, interest in spreading Focusing and amount of funds requested. There is no set length for the application, but the more we know about you, the better a decision we can make. A typical length is between 500 and 750 words. All applications must be in English, although duplicate materials in your own language may be submitted as well, if desired.

**For Coordinators:** Please also read the document called Coordinators' Instructions, which can be found at [focusing.org/weeklong](http://focusing.org/weeklong).