



# LEBMASH

## BREAK THE SILENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

### LebMASH proudly presents the Break The Silence 2017 #BTS2017 student grant:

The Lebanese Medical Association for Sexual Health LebMASH calls on students in any medical field who are interested in sexual health and LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender) health to apply for the annual "Break the Silence" grant.

Every year, LebMASH offers students an opportunity to win full sponsorship to attend an international medical conference.

To win this grant, students compete by submitting a review-of-literature or research paper about sexual health or health of sexual minorities in Lebanon.

The winner is awarded 1,500 USD to cover their transportation and accommodation. LebMASH partners with GLMA's annual conference to waive the conference registration fee for the winner.

Students are expected to bring back to their schools and peers what they learned abroad. They are encouraged to present their experience and to also publish it online. LebMASH board members will mentor the winner, as well as interested non-winning participants, to publish qualified papers in peer-reviewed medical journals.

### WHAT SHOULD I DO?

1. Write an academic quality paper on any issue related to either women's sexual health or LGBT health in Lebanon.
2. Submit your CV and contact information to [info@lebmash.org](mailto:info@lebmash.org)

### WHEN SHOULD I DO IT?

The deadline for submission is May 31<sup>st</sup> 2017 by midnight Beirut time.

### WHAT IS THE PRIZE?

The BTS committee of LebMASH executive board members will select one winner who will be granted a trip (Up to 1,500 USD) to USA to attend the GLMA conference that will take place from the 13<sup>th</sup> to the 16<sup>th</sup> of September 2017 in Philadelphia, PA.

Your work will become an official LebMASH publication and might be translated to Arabic.