

Training Fees and Scholarships

All applicants must pass the Language Proficiency Test to take the CIT

Fees

Income-Based Sliding Scale

Proof of income is required (Provide a copy of your most recent tax return)

Income	Fee
\$50,000+	\$1,500
\$39,000 - \$49,000	\$1,300
\$33,000 - \$38,000	\$1,100
Less than \$33,000	\$900

MCS offers payment plans, please call for more information.

Cancellation Policy

This cancellation policy applies to all applicants

Date of Cancellation	Percentage of Fee Refund
Before June 13, 2017	90%
June 14, 2016 – June 19, 2017	50%
After June 20, 2017	No Refunds

Scholarships

MOLA Scholarship:

In partnership with the Mayor's Office on Latino Affairs (MOLA), MCS is pleased to offer a limited number of scholarships that cover 100% of the training cost to D.C. residents who are bilingual in Spanish, and that provide volunteer interpreting hours to MOLA. To apply for a MOLA Scholarship, you must:

1. Provide proof of D.C. residency (utility bill, driver's license, or non-government ID)
2. Provide a copy of your most recent tax return (for proof of income)
3. Pass the LTI language proficiency test in your target language (see test information below)

To apply for the MOLA scholarship, please send a copy of your proof of D.C. residency and tax return by **June 20, 2017** to Alkindi Kadir, or mail to Multicultural Community Service, 2437 15th Street, NW, Washington, D.C., 20009 (mail), 954-245-3229 (fax), or LSPCoordinator@mcsdc.org (email).

Language Proficiency Test Information

Fee: \$70.00. After you submit this application, please contact us to schedule an Oral Proficiency Interview by computer (OPIc) administered through the Language Testing International. We will administer OPIc's to Community Interpreter Training candidates during one hour timeslots between **Monday, June 12th - Tuesday, June 27th, 2017**. It takes 45 – 60 minutes to complete the test and will be held at our office location. The OPIc will assess the prospective community interpreter in ***the non-native language in their language pair***. For example, if one is a native Spanish speaker who is fluent in English, they will be tested for their English proficiency. Likewise, if one is a native English speaker who is fluent in Spanish, they will be tested for their Spanish proficiency. Only those with results Advanced Mid or above will be invited to proceed with registration.

Important Dates & Deadlines

Date	Event
June 20, 2017 (5 PM EST)	Last day to apply for the 2017 CIT
June 12 – June 27, 2017	LTI Oral Proficiency Interview Tests administered
July 18 – August 7, 2017	2017 Community Interpreter Training

Class Schedule (To be confirmed)

Date	Time
July 18 – 21, 2017 (Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri)	9 AM – 4 PM
July 22, 2017 (Sat)	9 AM – 2 PM
July 24, 2017 (Mon)	5:30 – 9 PM
July 26 – 27, 2017 (Wed, Thurs)	5:30 – 9 PM
July 31, 2017 (Mon)	5:30 – 9 PM
August 2 – 3, 2017 (Wed, Thurs)	5:30 – 9 PM
August 7, 2017 (Mon)	5:30 – 9 PM