

Em Scout Carr Memorial Scholarship

honoring the life & legacy of a beloved **harm reductionist** through data justice & capacity building


Application Opens: 8/31/2025 | Application Closes: 10/10/2025 5PM EST
Winner Notified by: 11/14/2025 | Work Timeline: Jan - June 2026



Project Examples

- Create/revise an intake process
- Create/revise a survey
- Create/revise a focus group plan
- Plan a data project (photovoice, alumni study, focus groups)
- Evaluation Planning (plan how to evaluate your program/service)
- Database Preparation (map out database structure + explore possible databases)
- Data Sheet Planning & Design

About Em

Em Carr (they/them), affectionately known as Scout in North Carolina's activist communities, was a passionate supporter of harm reduction. Em tragically passed away unexpectedly in September 2024, leaving a huge gap in our hearts, and in the world. In honor of Em's work and care, we are offering 25 hours of FREE data capacity building services to a community-based harm reduction program. 

Application Questions

- Organization Overview (Name, Location, Website)
- Contact Information (Name, Title, Email, Phone)
- Org's Mission/Vision/Goals (1000 character max)
- How does your program/service center Principles of Harm Reduction? (2000 character max)
- How many paid staff does your organization have?
- How many volunteers does your organization have?
- What is your annual organizational budget?
 - Select one: Under \$100K, \$100K-\$500K, \$500K-\$1M, \$1M or more
- About how many participants do you serve in an average year?
 - Select one: Under 100, 101-250, 251-500, 500-1000, 1000 or more
- What Data Project would you like to work on with The Capacity Collective? (2000 character max)
 - How will this project (up to 25 hours) further your harm reduction work?
 - How do you see our role, as capacity builders?
- Do you have 1-2 staff who can dedicate the time and capacity needed to work with us on your project? (Yes/No)
- Anything else we should know about your organization or program. (2000 character max)

How to Apply

- Check the eligibility requirements + details at thecapacitycollective.org/em-scholarship
- Complete the application [here](#)
- Applications are due 10/10/2025 by 5PM Eastern