



**The  
Kathryn Weit  
Foundation**

**Our mission is to Empower the Intellectual/Developmental Disability Community Through Advocacy and Policy.**

**Our work & goals are in direct connection to Kathryn's vision for Oregon.**

- Representation and inclusion are intertwined.
- Communities should be as diverse as the personalities within them.
- Voices of families and self advocates are essential.
- Self determination matters.

**We believe that ...**

- Every child & adult has a right to flourish within the community.
- Everyone should have the tools to succeed.
- There is great power in talking with someone about who they are & who they hope to be.



## What is the Kathryn Weit Fellowship Program?

Family and friends of Kathryn Weit want to continue her legacy of advocating for individuals and families of Oregonians with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (I/DD).

This Fellowship will focus on networking, mentorship, and legislative advocacy for the I/DD Community within the state of Oregon.

# 2022 Fellowship Focus

**Inclusive Housing Policy and Residential Services for People with I/DD.**

## Key Information

- Paid 12 month Fellowship: September - September
- Proposed Fellowship project, time commitments, travel, deliverables, and payment structure to be determined on an individual applicant basis between Awarded Fellow and Foundation Board.
- If the applicant has any specific needs or requirements in order to complete their Fellowship Proposal Project if awarded: please be sure to include such in the application. (*technology, individual support etc.*)

## How & Where do I apply?

Visit the Foundation website and apply online. Applications are available digitally and via PDF.  
[www.kathrynweitfoundation.com](http://www.kathrynweitfoundation.com)

### Eligibility Requirements:

- Must be a US resident/citizen
- Resident of the state of Oregon
- Identify as in individual with I/DD or be a family member of someone with I/DD
- Be 21 years of age or older

**Application  
Deadline:  
MARCH 1st**

**APRIL:  
Applicant  
Interviews**

**JUNE:  
Fellowship  
Awarded**

**SEPTEMBER:  
Fellowship  
Begins**

**SEPTEMBER  
2023:  
Fellowship  
Ends**

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