American Snowsports Education Association Education Foundation
dba: Professional Ski Instructors of America and
American Association of Snowboard Instructors (PSIA-AASI)

Indirect Cost Policy

The organization’s mission is to cooperate with the American Snowsports Education Association (ASEA), Inc., a nonprofit corporation, in educating ski and snowboard instructors or potential ski and snowboard instructors in all aspects of ski and snowboard instruction, education, and coaching including; to carry on and sponsor education and related activities designed to improve knowledge, understanding, and application of theories and techniques about ski and snowboard instruction and coaching; to carry on scientific research concerning the development of ski and snowboard instruction methods; to produce and publish scientific, technical or other publication designed to promote and advance skiing, snowboarding, and related instruction, and to enlist public interest, cooperation and support in carrying out these purposes, recognizing that public skiing and snowboarding enjoyment, education, and safety is improved by meeting these goals.

The foregoing is to be carried on in a manner designed to promote the advantages of skiing and snowboarding and the education of competent and qualified ski and snowboard instructors without profit to the ASEA.

The Foundation generally supports only Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) non-profit public charities and universities that are organized and operated within the United States. Grant requests from for-profit corporations will typically not be considered, and requests from individuals will not be considered unless pursuant to a Foundation individual grant program. Also, the Foundation does not provide support for overhead in grants made to universities, colleges, and other similar institutions. Overhead includes, but is not limited to, insufficiently specified and/or insufficiently detailed overhead costs (e.g., a requirement that a fixed percentage of a grant amount be dedicated to grant administration), and fringe benefits. Please note that federal tax law prohibits grant funds from being used to support or oppose any candidate for political office or for lobbying activities.