Dear <Supervisor Name>,

For more than 35 years, the International Db2 Users Group (IDUG) has been a leader in the data community. IDUG hosts several annual content-rich conferences across the globe featuring industry thought leaders, engaging expert panel discussions, exclusive hands-on workshops, regular Db2 certification and badging opportunities and technical sessions.

The EMEA25 Conference is also a valuable opportunity to learn tips, tricks and lessons learned by other companies facing similar challenges. It’s building lasting connections to leverage now and in the future to help us be successful. It’s including our organization among a group of people who live, eat and breathe Db2! **In short, IDUG events give us all the tools we need to run our mission-critical applications at scale.**

I am interested in attending the 2025 IDUG EMEA Db2 Tech Conference, with mainstage and technical content presented 27-30 October in Dusseldorf, Germany. Pre-conference workshops and hands-on labs will also be presented on 26 October. This year, IDUG is presenting theme-based technical sessions including:

AI & GenAI

Security & Compliance

Machine Learning

Db2 Latest & New Features

Application Development

DevOps Modernization

Automation

Performance & Monitoring

Best Practices

User Stories

Data Movement, Analytics & Integration

Working with SQL

Db2 Cloud & Warehouse

**Benefits of my attendance:**

* The knowledge I gain will be directly applicable to the <project you are working on>, will advance my personal and professional growth, and will give me the tools I need to work on our most critical database projects.
* The presentations are written and delivered by Db2 experts—many are Db2 Gold Consultants—from Db2 development labs around the world.
* Getting the information in a seminar format will greatly reduce the research time and costs our team would normally incur in researching these topics.

I am requesting <your company’s name>’s sponsorship to cover the IDUG EMEA Db2 Tech Conference registration fee, travel expense to and from the conference, and living expenses during the conference.

I appreciate your willingness to invest in my education. Having your support for my professional growth helps me, as an employee, to feel valued and inspired. I’m excited about the prospect of attending this IDUG conference and gaining new perspectives to put to use for our organization. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

<Signature>