

Hello [Insert Manager's Name],

I'm seeking your permission to attend BriForum - a desktop and application virtualization conference on July 26-28, 2016 at the Seaport Hotel in Boston.

BriForum 2016 is a three-day event that offers 40+ technical sessions on desktop and application virtualization, VDI, enterprise mobility, BYOD, DaaS and more. Over 250 virtualization professionals from around the globe will be in attendance.

BriForum's content-led educational program is focused entirely on delivering apps and data to our users need in the most secure and efficient way possible – all without sacrificing the user-experience. By attending, I'll be able to gather and bring back to the office a variety of strategies for desktop delivery as well as critical insight into industry trends that impact those efforts – from Windows 10 adoption to hyper-convergence to application management for virtualized and cloud environments to identity management.

In particular, I'd like to focus on finding solutions or best practices that could benefit these projects:

- [add project or initiative]
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Here's an approximate breakdown of conference costs:

Hotel:	\$ 289 per night
Registration Fee:	\$ <u>995</u> [check for current price]
Total:	£ <mark>X,XXX</mark>
Airfare:	\$ xxx
Transportation (between airport and hotel):	\$ xxx
Hotel:	\$ 289 per night

I'm currently working on ways to reduce expenses, including hotel discounts, ride sharing, and meals with vendors. *Also, the earlier I can register, the cheaper it will be as the *discounted hotel rate will expire.* I'll also submit a post-conference report that will include an executive summary, key takeaways, tips, and a set of recommendations to maximize our current investments. I can also share relevant information with key personnel throughout the company. Lastly, by attending I will gain access to exclusive videos of not only BriForum US 2016 presentations, but BriForum London 2016 presentations as well.

You can learn more about the conference and expo on the BriForum 2016 website here: <u>http://briforum.com/2016/US</u>



Sincerely,

[Insert Your Name]