ICRA: If you're looking for a challenge in political policy work at the local, national, international, and/or global levels, then this award might be for you. Nominations are due January 31, 2018.

The Sidney Hillman Foundation is accepting submissions for the 2018 Hillman Journalism in the Public Interest Award. The Foundation is seeking to recognize projects that report on public service and the public good. Winners exemplify resourcefulness and courage in reporting, writing, and visual storytelling.

The William T. Grant Foundation is supporting work focused on inequality in the United States. The Foundation cares about differences in communities or fields and what is important.

The Tennessee Conference on Volunteerism and Service-Learning will be held July 18-20, 2018 in New Orleans. This year's theme is "Just Research: Inclusivity and Intersectionality." Proposals are due January 26, 2018. For more information, visit the conference website.

The International Association for Research on Service-Learning and Community Engagement (IARSLCE) is accepting conference proposals. The conference will be held in New Orleans, LA, from July 18-20, 2018. This year's theme is "Just Research: Inclusivity and Intersectionality." Proposals are due January 26, 2018. For more information, visit the conference website.

New Opportunities and Funding

Students in Julie Ferrara's upper-level business analytics course in the College of Business, along with non-credit programs, have been working with a local nonprofit that helps single mothers and their children get back on their feet. The students were able to use their skills to help the nonprofit improve its operations.

The Center for Leadership and Service hosted the annual Dr. King, Jr. Celebration on January 15, 2018. The event featured workshops on leadership and service, as well as a keynote speech by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

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The Center for Leadership and Service is accepting applications for the 2018 Arkansas Technology and Innovation Fund. Applications are due by February 15, 2018. For more information, visit the website of the Arkansas Technology and Innovation Fund.

The University of Tennessee is looking for innovative ideas for service-learning and community engagement programs. Proposals are due February 8, 2018. For more information, visit the Office of Research and Engagement website.