FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Community Empowerment through Justice, Art & Leadership Investment.

Earn Credit Hours · Get Paid · Gain Experience

THE FOUNDATION

The Field Foundation is a private, independent foundation that has been dedicated to the promise of Chicago for over 80 years. The Field Foundation seeks to invest in nonprofit organizations that work to address systemic issues and create cultural connections in divested communities. At the center of the Foundation’s work is the idea of community empowerment through Justice, Art and Leadership Investment.

LEADERSHIP INVESTMENT

The Field Foundation of Illinois aims to create a network of leaders with an eventual goal of racially diversifying and strengthening civic leadership in Chicago. The Foundation acts as a connector, supporter, and investor in new leaders who have the potential to transform Chicago.

THE FELLOWSHIP

This is a premiere opportunity in philanthropy where fellows can develop an analytical lens to evaluate solutions that advance racial equity and cultural connections in an urban setting. Fellows will review grant proposals, conduct site visits and make grant recommendations. They will gain exposure to a wide range of social and economic issues while discovering trends in the nonprofit sector. Fellows will also create documentation for staff and board of directors as well as work on special projects.

DURATION: September—May
HOURS: 2-3 days/week; 9am-5pm
STIPEND: $5,000

ELIGIBILITY

Graduate students in any Chicago university that are working on degrees related to the Field Foundation’s Justice, Art and Leadership programs are welcome to apply. The fellowship is supervised, can provide credit toward a degree and offers field work and philanthropic experience.

Please visit our website and apply online at https://fieldfoundation.org/fellowship-application
Submit a cover letter, resume and 2 page maximum writing sample

Applications are due by midnight on February 23, 2018