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Call for Manuscripts

The Editorial Board and staff of *The International Journal of Volunteer Administration (The IJOVA)* seek original manuscripts for publication relating to the July 2009 issue topic of:

Volunteerism in the Arts and Leisure.

Appropriate topics for submitted manuscript would include any aspects of volunteerism, volunteer resource management, and/or the administration of volunteers or volunteer programs involving the visual or performing arts, museums and other cultural organizations and initiatives, and recreation and other leisure programs. Manuscripts may be submitted for consideration as a:

Feature Article (reviewed by three editorial reviewers) that discusses applied concepts or research findings of particular interest and significance to volunteerism and volunteer resource management, or connects theory to practice while emphasizing implications for the profession. (Maximum length: 3,500 words, not including abstract, tables, and graphics.)

Ideas that Work (reviewed by one editorial reviewer) that describe novel ideas, training formats, innovative programs, and new methods of interest to volunteer resource managers and program administrators. (Maximum length: 1,500 words, not including abstract, tables, and graphics.)

Tools of the Trade (reviewed by the Editor) that report specific materials, books, technologies, or other resources useful to volunteer resource managers. (Maximum length: 1,000 words, not including abstract, tables, and graphics.)

Commentary (reviewed by the Editor) that offers a challenging perspective or presents a thought-provoking opinion on an issue of concern to volunteerism or volunteer resource management, or initiates discussion or debate by responding to a previously published *IJOVA* article. (Maximum length: 1,500 words, not including abstract.)

The deadline for submitting manuscripts is May 8, 2009.

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