



Labor and Employment Relations Association

Call for Scholar Awards

Deadlines: January 15, 2018

John T. Dunlop Outstanding Scholar Award — January 15, 2018

The John T. Dunlop Outstanding Scholar Award recognizes outstanding academic research by recent entrants to the field. Nominations will be accepted in two categories: one award recognizes the research contribution of an academic for the best contribution to international and/or comparative labor and employment research. A second award recognizes the best contribution to research that addresses an industrial relations/employment problem of national significance.

LERA Fellows — January 15, 2018

Submit a nomination to the LERA Awards Committee for the LERA Fellows Award. The Fellows Award recognizes scholars and practitioners who have made contributions of unusual distinction to the field and have been in the profession and field for longer than 10 years. Fellow scholars contribute from all disciplines such as Industrial Relations, Labor Law, Economics, Human Resources, Business, Sociology, Political Science, and Organizational Behavior.

Susan C. Eaton Outstanding Scholar-Practitioner Award — Jan. 15, 2018

Submit a nomination to the LERA Awards Committee for an award in honor of Susan C. Eaton, scholar and practitioner. The award is given annually to a member of LERA who has distinguished themselves as both a practitioner and a scholar/researcher in the Employment Relations or related fields.



Susan C. Eaton Scholar-Practitioner Project Award — \$3,000 Grant — January 15, 2018

The Awards Committee for the Susan C. Eaton Scholar-Practitioner Memorial Fund has issued a call for proposals for a \$3,000 grant to be awarded to a practitioner engaged in a scholarly research project in LER, or related, field. Only LERA members are eligible to submit a proposal for consideration. The grant and award is given annually to the most promising and relevant proposal for research or research-in-action consistent with the values and principles of the work of Susan C. Eaton and that best honors her legacy as an outstanding scholar-practitioner. In order to recognize promising work from both the scholarly and practice sides of the labor and employment relations and related fields, the committee encourages research being conducted by practitioners as well as scholars. LERA members may submit a 1-2 page proposal to LERA outlining a research project, including a description of the project and why it is important, anticipated or possible findings or outcomes, and a project timetable. The awardee will be recognized at the LERA Annual Meeting and will receive a check for \$3,000 at that time.

James G. Scoville Best International Paper Award — \$500 Cash Prize — January 15, 2018



LERA has issued a call for international and comparative employment issues papers for consideration for this award. The Award has been established in conjunction with the Industrial Relations Center at the University of Minnesota to honor retiring professor and long-time member of the LERA, James G. Scoville. The Scoville Best Papers Award, awarded for the best contributed paper on international and comparative employment issues will offer an annual cash prize of \$500 and a plaque. Papers concerned with international and comparative employment issues that address research and evaluation of international institutions and processes within employment relations and/or provide comparative analysis of employment relations systems and types will be considered. Individual country studies that address employment relations issues of international significance can also be considered. LERA members who are faculty, students, researchers, or researchers/practitioners are welcome.

Nomination and Submission Requirements

Nominations/submissions can be made online. Nominations should summarize significant accomplishments of the nominee and, if possible, be accompanied by the nominee's vita (or link to a vita). Please refer to the website for details on each award.

Awardees will be recognized at the LERA Annual Meeting at the General Membership Meeting.

Find complete details and submission/nomination guidelines here:

<http://www.leraweb.org/deadlines>

Distinguished selection committees with representatives of the various constituencies of the LERA have been appointed and will determine the awardees. Find [LERA Awards Committees](#) at our website under 'About'.