

Member Kit



A Summary of
Your Benefits as a
Member of ARNOVA



ARNOVA

Association for Research
on Nonprofit Organizations
and Voluntary Action



Welcome to ARNOVA !

We are delighted that you have joined our Association!

As an international, inter-disciplinary community dedicated to advancing knowledge about nonprofit organizations, voluntary action, and philanthropy, ARNOVA serves everyone who is concerned about the health and prosperity of civil society and its institutions throughout the world. Among ARNOVA's members are college and university faculty, staff, and students; researchers in think tanks, associations, and government offices; and many nonprofit leaders. Member commitment to the field and to working with one another is our greatest strength. We are all very glad to have you join us.

As I'm sure you already know, ARNOVA sponsors *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, the leading journal in the field. And ARNOVA's annual conference is the most important venue for the presentation and discussion of research on civil society, nonprofit organizations, voluntary action, and philanthropy. ARNOVA also sponsors the very active and lively Internet discussion list, ARNOVA-L.

ARNOVA's award-winning website, www.arnova.org, includes pages on the annual conference and on ARNOVA-L; it also includes our newsletter and several features designed to support researchers in the field, especially *ARNOVA Abstracts*. To access the member only area, which includes the membership directory, you will need to have registered your own unique login and passcode.

ARNOVA's website will lead you to the *NVSQ* website. Here you can find information about submitting articles, calling attention to books for review, serving as a book reviewer, and accessing past volumes.

We hope you will submit articles to *NVSQ* and propose papers and panels to the annual conference. We also hope you will subscribe to ARNOVA-L by following the instructions on the website.

ARNOVA relies on its members for all of its activities. The website includes current lists of committees and their chairs. Please let the ARNOVA office know if you are interested in working with one of the committees. If you have questions about the association and its activities or ideas about ways we can serve the field more effectively, please let us know. And do keep us informed about your own activities. You can reach the ARNOVA office at 317/684-2120, or contact me directly (smithsr@u.washington.edu).

Again, welcome to ARNOVA.

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Have Questions?

If you have any questions regarding your benefits as a member or need additional information on any of the information in this "Member Kit" or at the ARNOVA website, please contact the ARNOVA office at 317-684-2120. We are here to help!

ARNOVA Membership Benefits

See more details regarding these benefits on the following pages in this brochure and at the ARNOVA website.

As a member, take advantage of these valuable membership benefits:

Subscription to *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, published in March, June, September, and December

Discounts on ARNOVA conference fees

Subscription to *ARNOVA News*, your member newsletter, published three times per year

Access to the Members Only area of the ARNOVA website, featuring an online searchable member directory, current and past issues of *ARNOVA News* and *ARNOVA Abstracts*, and member benefit details. The Members Only area also includes access to the *ARNOVA Abstracts* database, the only fully searchable database devoted exclusively to philanthropy, volunteerism and nonprofit studies.

Opportunity to join any of the five ARNOVA sections--Community and Grassroots Associations; Pracademics; Social Entrepreneurship/Enterprise; Teaching; and, Theories, Issues, Boundaries.

Discount on subscription rates for *Nonprofit Management & Leadership*; *Nonprofit Quarterly* magazine; and, *Stanford Social Innovation Review*

Discounts on books from Wiley/Jossey-Bass (also videos and CD-Roms), Kumarian Press, Indiana University Press, and Fieldstone Alliance Books

Access to electronic discussion groups

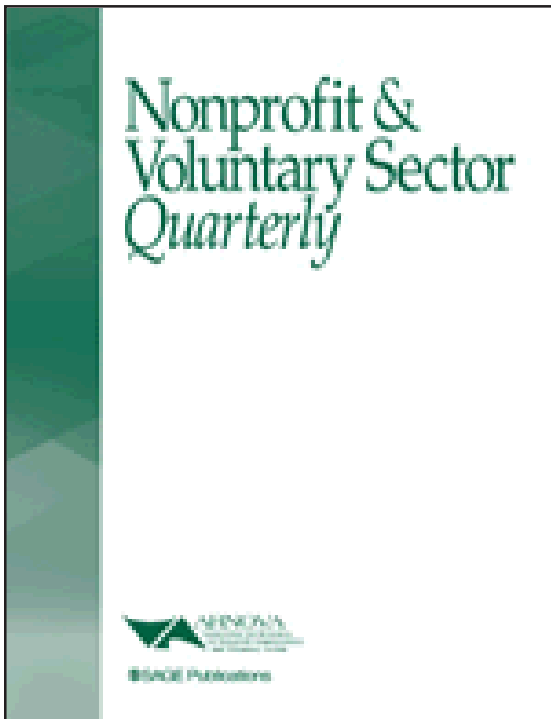
Member mailings including: announcement of the Call for Papers for the next conference; conference pre-registration packet; and, special announcements of research opportunities.

ARNOVA Username and Password

As a member, you have created a unique login and password. This will allow you access to the Members Only area of the ARNOVA website and gain you entry to the portal to *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly (NVSQ)* where you will be required to complete a separate registration. See detailed features of the “Member Area” on facing page.

Also as a member, you can use your specific member ID to access *NVSQ* Online. You will need to do an initial setup using your member ID by following the instructions found at the ARNOVA website at this link (<http://www.arnova.org/?section=publications&subsection=nvsq-enter>) or within the “Member Area” of the ARNOVA website (<http://www.arnova.org/members/?section=members&subsection=nvsq>). Your unique login and password as described above is required to access the instructions within the Member Area.

ARNOVA's Official Journal-- *Nonprofit & Voluntary Sector Quarterly (NVSQ)*



As a member of ARNOVA, you will receive *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly*, the Association's journal. It is published in March, June, September and December.

NVSQ will be mailed to you directly from the publisher--Sage Publications, Inc.

If you have questions concerning the delivery of *NVSQ*, please call Sage Customer Service at 1-800-818-7243.

For address changes or corrections, please contact the ARNOVA office at 317-684-2120, or by fax to 317-684-2128, or e-mail to information@arnova.org.

For information about the journal or information regarding manuscript submissions, visit the journal's website at www.spea.iupui.edu/nvsq.

To view *NVSQ* Online: *NVSQ* is also available online to current ARNOVA members. As a member, you will receive your issues of *NVSQ* by mail in addition to being able to access articles online when desired. For instructions on using this benefit, visit the member area of the ARNOVA website at www.arnova.org (your unique username and password required to enter member area) and click on “Instructions for Viewing Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly Online” found near the bottom of the “Member Area” page. Once you establish your specific *NVSQ* username and password, you will be able to gain access to articles within the *NVSQ* Online area at <http://nvs.sagepub.com/>.

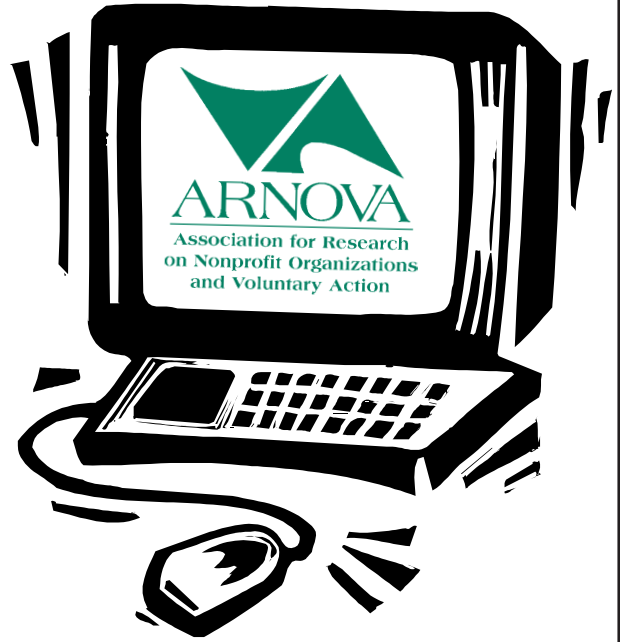
The ARNOVA Website's "Member Area" Features

The ARNOVA website includes an area especially for ARNOVA members. As an ARNOVA member, you can take advantage of the area's many features listed below. Also below are instructions for accessing the area.

Member Area Features

The ARNOVA website's "Member Area" features include:

- Online ARNOVA Membership Directory
- Instructions for viewing *Nonprofit and Voluntary Sector Quarterly* online
- Current and past issues of *ARNOVA News*, *ARNOVA Abstracts*, and *ARNOVA E-News*
- Online *ARNOVA Abstracts* database
- Discounts on books from Wiley/Jossey-Bass, Kumarian Press, Indiana University Press, and Fieldstone Alliance
- Journal discounts for *The Nonprofit Quarterly*, *Stanford Social Innovation Review*, and *Nonprofit Management & Leadership*
- Ability to view full-text version of ARNOVA conference papers
- Ability to e-mail your latest news for publication in the ARNOVA newsletter



Online Membership Directory Features

The ARNOVA online membership directory (accessible through both the "Member Area" of the ARNOVA website *and* through the "Member Directory" link on the homepage menu) gives you up-to-date information and is fully searchable in the following categories:

- Membership type (all individuals or organizations)
- Organization
- State or Region
- Country
- Academic Discipline
- Research Interest
- Section Membership

You can view and easily print the information from the online directory. You can also click on a member's e-mail address to send them a message. And, with a click of the mouse, send the ARNOVA office any updates to your listing.

To access the "Member Area":

- Log on to www.arnova.org.
- From the left-side menu, click on "Member Area."
- Enter your unique username and password in all lowercase letters.

ARNOVA Annual Conference

Each year, ARNOVA holds an annual conference which brings together researchers, scholars, and practitioners from around the world to present and discuss papers related to issues in nonprofit studies, voluntary action, and philanthropy. This cutting-edge research presented at the conference helps build the body of knowledge about the sector and inform those working in the nonprofit sector. Members receive a reduced conference registration rate. In addition, they receive first notice of the opening of the conference proposal system each year.

The 2008 ARNOVA Conference will be held November 20-22 at the Sheraton Philadelphia City Center Hotel in Philadelphia, Pa. For more information regarding the conference, visit the ARNOVA website at www.arnova.org.

ARNOVA Listserve

This ARNOVA Listserve (ARNOVA-L) was established as an open international electronic forum for anyone engaged with or interested in nonprofit organizations, voluntary action or philanthropy. The list enables us to facilitate the rapid sharing of concerns, interests, problems and solutions among interested researchers, teachers, practitioners and students. ARNOVA was one of the first social science research associations to establish an ongoing discussion list, and ARNOVA-L has been an interesting and lively forum throughout its history. For more information regarding ARNOVA-L, click on the “ARNOVA Listserve” button on the ARNOVA website homepage.

ARNOVA Sections

ARNOVA has a number of special interest groups for members. Members can join any of these sections for \$10 annual dues per section. Below is an overview of the sections. Each section has their own page of information at the ARNOVA website, found by clicking on the “ARNOVA Sections” button on the ARNOVA homepage.

■ **The Community and Grassroots Associations (CGA) Section of ARNOVA** is a formal subgroup of ARNOVA members interested in community organizations grassroots associations, self-help groups, and other phenomena related to these kinds of groups, such as voluntary associations, all-volunteer groups, small paid-staff nonprofits, faith-based volunteer groups, volunteerism in independent groups, volunteer participation and motivation, social action/advocacy groups, social movement groups, smaller interest groups and citizen participation groups.

■ **The Practicemics Section’s** purpose is “to build more effective academic-practitioner relationships in order to

foster and disseminate high-quality research and strengthen nonprofit management education, community service, voluntary action, and philanthropic studies.”

■ **Social Entrepreneurship/Enterprise Section (SEES)** facilitates the interaction among ARNOVA members who are interested in increasing the level of research, debate, and understanding regarding organizations, projects, and activities/initiatives associated with social entrepreneurship and/or social enterprise. Broadly defined, these terms refer to initiatives that are associated with aspects of innovation and modes of earned income generation by nongovernmental organizations (i.e., nonprofit organizations).

■ **The Teaching Section of ARNOVA** provides a forum for discussion, information sharing, networking and research among those who teach about the nonprofit sector and philanthropic studies. This section attempts to build a community of scholars and practitioners who are committed to improving the teaching and learning of nonprofit sector and/or philanthropic studies.

■ **Theories, Issues, and Boundaries (TIBS)** explores the broad and fundamental questions related to the nature and identity of the field of nonprofit studies. This involves examining, discussing, and debating its epistemological, philosophical, and political dimensions and assumptions. This endeavor will provide critical analysis that will hopefully influence future research agendas, both theoretically and practically oriented.

Journals and Books Discounts

ARNOVA members can take advantage of these benefits, offering special discounts. To take advantage of these discounts, go to the “Member Area” of the ARNOVA website and click on any of the links under “ARNOVA Member Benefit Links.”

■ **Wiley/Jossey-Bass Books, Videos and CD-Roms**

ARNOVA members can order books, videos and/or CD-roms online through an affiliate program with Wiley/Jossey-Bass and save 15% off the list price. However, they must first go to the ARNOVA website and then click on the Wiley/Jossey-Bass link at the ARNOVA website within the “Member Area” of the website. Going to the Wiley website through the ARNOVA website will help bring additional non-dues revenue to ARNOVA. For details on obtaining the discount and promotion code information, visit the “Members-Only” section of the ARNOVA website.

■ **Kumarian Press**

Kumarian Press is a leading publisher on international development, international NGOs, humanitarianism, and other global issues. Kumarian is pleased to offer ARNOVA members a 20% discount on all titles throughout 2007, for orders placed by mail, phone, fax or through the Kumarian Press website at www.kpbooks.com. Just mention the “ARNOVA discount” when placing your order to get your 20% discount. For more information, visit the Kumarian website at www.kpbooks.com or call Kumarian’s customer service department at 800-289-2664.

■ **Nonprofit Quarterly**

ARNOVA members who are first-time subscribers to the *Nonprofit Quarterly* magazine receive \$10 off the subscription price. The discounted price for first-time subscribers is \$39 for four issues. *Nonprofit Quarterly* provides value-based, proven management practices and relevant research about issues concerning governance, fundraising, advocacy, financial management, leadership, evaluation, and philanthropy. To order, call 617-227-4624 (and identify yourself as an ARNOVA member) or go to store.nonprofitquarterly.org and enter coupon code ARN07 at checkout to receive your discount.

■ ***Stanford Social Innovation Review***

ARNOVA members are invited to become subscribers to the *Stanford Social Innovation Review (SSIR)*. Published by the Center for Social Innovation at the Stanford Graduate School of Business, *SSIR* presents thought-provoking analysis and strategies for executives engaged in social innovation at nonprofits, foundations, and socially responsible businesses. ARNOVA members receive a special 29% off a regular individual subscription price. Subscribe at www.ssireview.org, go to “subscribe” and enter 2ARNOVA as the “promo code.”

■ **Indiana University Press**

Established in 1950, Indiana University Press is the second largest university press in the country. It publishes approximately 170 new titles each year, with more than 2,000 titles in print. IU Press publishes in over 30 subject areas, many of which reflect the academic strengths of Indiana University, including history, philanthropy, and contemporary issues. ARNOVA members may order any IU Press title at a 20 percent discount by visiting <http://iupress.indiana.edu>. Be sure to use the discount code DMX2VX.

■ **Fieldstone Alliance Books**

ARNOVA has teamed up with Fieldstone Alliance (formerly Wilder Publishing Center) to offer ARNOVA members a 20% discount off their publications. Fieldstone Alliance’s hands-on guides are designed for busy nonprofit managers. From the *Collaboration Handbook*, to *Benchmarking for Nonprofits*, their books provide straightforward information and step-by-step guidance on nonprofit management, collaboration, and community building. You may order by phone at 800-274-6024 (mention that you are an ARNOVA member and provide the discount code M1206ARNV). Or, order through the special link provided in the Fieldstone Alliance section within the member area of the ARNOVA website.

■ ***Nonprofit Management & Leadership***

ARNOVA members receive a 25% discount off of the personal subscription rate of *Nonprofit Management & Leadership (NML)*. To take advantage of this benefit, contact Jossey-Bass Subscription Services at 888-378-2537. When ordering your *NML* subscription, be sure to mention that you are an ARNOVA member and mention the code 60545.