The Public Interest Law Foundation (PILF) promotes public interest law by providing education, volunteer opportunities and scholarship funds for public interest work to fellow students.

Public interest law includes, but is not limited to, issues concerning child advocacy, consumer action, disability advocacy, domestic violence, education, elderly rights, environmental issues, gay/lesbian/bisexual rights, HIV/AIDS, homeless assistance, immigrants' rights, Legal Aid, mediation and negotiation, mental health advocacy, minority issues and Veterans' affairs.

The foundation has established a grant fund to facilitate student participation in public interest positions, which would otherwise be pro bono. The foundation is also establishing a loan repayment assistance program for recent PILF member graduates, which is essential to remove the economic barriers that confront future public interest lawyers by making a career in public services more financially feasible.

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