



Foundation's News and Updates

Bill Renick Receives the Jack Reed, Sr. Northeast Mississippi Community Leadership Award



Bill Renick, chair of CREATE's Commission on the Future of Northeast Mississippi and member since 1995, has been awarded one of the organization's highest honors.

On Wednesday, May 25, Renick was named the 2022 recipient of the Jack Reed, Sr. Northeast Mississippi Community Leadership Award. He was presented with the award during CREATE's State of the Region event at the BancorpSouth Conference Center in Tupelo.

Read more [here](#).



CEΦEX, the Centre for Fiduciary Excellence, a division of Broadridge Fi360 Solutions, has renewed the certification of the investment fiduciary practices at CREATE Foundation, Inc, of Tupelo, MS as adhering to a global standard of excellence for Investment Stewards. Originally certified in 2010, the foundation is the first in the state of Mississippi to successfully complete the independent CEΦEX certification process.



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Benefits of gifts of stocks and bonds are:

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- Receive a charitable income tax deduction
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If you have questions about gifts of appreciated stocks or bonds please contact P.K. Thomas at 662-844-8989 or pk@createfoundation.com.



CAREER CONNECTIONS

Career Connections allows businesses in Northeast Mississippi to provide tours to high school students across seventeen counties served by the CREATE Foundation, Inc.

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Students For Tours

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As a virtual student, Sergio Garcia, an 11th grader at Tupelo High School, jumped right into the Imagine the Possibilities virtual career experience. He took advantage of the unique exploration into his area of interest in the field of architecture. Through Sergio's engagement in the virtual expo, he earned points and won a set of high-end headphones. Because Career Coaches are links to community partners, Sergio spent an afternoon shadowing Kurt Shettles of McCarty Architects, PA. His experience provided an up-close view of what architects do! With the help of our community partners, we are building our future workforce.

To learn more about the Toyota Wellspring Education Fund and the Career Coaches, visit www.createfoundation.com

OUR MISSION

The mission of CREATE Foundation is to encourage philanthropy and provide leadership to impact regional issues.

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