

FEDERAL/STATE PARTNERSHIP

Federal/State Partnership is the collaborative effort of NEH and fifty-six state and territorial humanities councils. The goals of the state humanities councils reflect NEH's mission to promote knowledge of human history, thought, and culture, and to enhance the role of the humanities throughout the nation. The partnership is specifically developed to help the Endowment realize its strategic goals of increasing public awareness of, access to, and participation in the humanities, and to strengthen humanities teaching and learning in schools and colleges across the nation. The partnership is a significant aspect of NEH's efforts to make public humanities education and lifelong learning readily available at the local level, tailored to state and local interests and needs.

Humanities councils operate in all fifty states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and Amerika Samoa. Federal/State Partnership makes annual operating support grants to councils to fund locally developed programs and to design and conduct humanities initiatives. The councils' effectiveness in serving the public is seen in their collective success in attracting contributions well in excess of the one-to-one match required by NEH's legislation. In FY 2005, in addition to significant in-kind gifts of support, councils received more than \$29 million over their NEH general operating support grants. Of this, \$9.85 million came from state legislatures and more than \$9.4 million came from foundations, corporations, and individual donors. Councils also received \$3.5 million in other federal funding beyond that provided by NEH.

In FY 2005, councils supported thousands of programs that reached millions of Americans. Councils are continuing to design and sponsor programs and produce materials that reach new audiences. Council programs reach into rural areas, urban neighborhoods, and suburban communities. They generate new audiences for the humanities while enriching the lives of those who already know the humanities. Reports indicate that forty-eight councils sponsored K-12 teacher projects for 158,182 participants; forty-two councils sponsored literacy programs that together drew 340,049 participants; 1,168,705 people participated in reading and discussion programs; 5,598,165 people took part in local history projects; 1,169,748 people attended scholar-led seminars, conferences, and lectures; and 340,794 people attended Chautauqua performances. Council-funded exhibitions attracted approximately ten million visitors, while council-funded radio and television projects attracted 200 million viewers. Finally, some 534,073 students participated in council-funded projects.

More than three decades of experience in public programming help guide councils as they implement NEH's initiative, *We the People*. Councils are well versed in American democratic principles, civic history, and community leadership. With their strong networks of cultural and educational institutions and their tradition of versatility in the use of diverse media, councils reinforce the Endowment's emphasis on the importance of the American experience, both by supporting it with their own resources and by encouraging participation in NEH's program and grant offerings. This kind of public programming has, in fact, long been practiced by councils, who see text-based civic education as an important aspect of their missions. Some councils held teacher seminars and other programs directly related to the initiative.

As a *We the People* project, the Georgia Humanities Council, in partnership with Scholastic, created a history timeline poster, which it sent to all teachers who teach the 8th-grade Georgia history course. The poster points to content on the online New Georgia Encyclopedia that can be used by teachers to create lesson plans and guide student learning. By March 2005, there were already 800,000 hits to the NGE Web site. Thirteen school systems dominated in the list of top twenty institutional users. Some of the other top users are higher education organizations and the Georgia Public Library System.

State humanities councils are also noted for bringing the humanities to the public on a large scale, sometimes embracing populations of entire towns, cities, or regions. The encouragement of reading is a core function of the state humanities councils and they have been influential in founding and supporting book festivals around the country that attract large and devoted crowds. The Wisconsin Humanities Council analyzed the “common defense” clause of the Preamble to the Constitution, focusing its annual Book Festival on it as well as its statewide reading and discussion programs.

The Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities launched the Mass Moments project on January 1, 2005, providing a daily almanac of Massachusetts history. Radio listeners and Internet users find a different story every day about events and people in the recorded history of Massachusetts.

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Federal/State Partnership We the People Grants for State Humanities Councils

Alabama Humanities Foundation
Birmingham, AL *Elaine W. Hughes*
\$10,000 A one-week institute for secondary school teachers on the Harlem Renaissance, public programs to accompany the exhibition "Key Ingredients," and a grant program on themes and events in American history and culture.

Alabama Humanities Foundation
Birmingham, AL *Robert C. Stewart*
\$71,290 Presentations in the Speakers Bureau program that relate to American history and culture; a one-week residential institute for teachers on Southern literature; and promotional activities related to the foundation's grant opportunities.

Alaska Humanities Forum
Anchorage, AK *Ira L. Perman*
\$10,000* A series of activities that explore the history of Alaska's 50 years of statehood including a teacher's institute, a history curriculum unit, a public lecture series, radio broadcasts, and a grant program.

Alaska Humanities Forum
Anchorage, AK *Ira L. Perman*
\$34,100 Projects that mark the 50th Anniversary of Alaska statehood including the Alaska Constitutional Convention Almanac Radio Broadcast series, a convention for high school and college students, and a regrant program.

Amerika Samoa Humanities Council
Pago Pago, AS *Niualama E. Taifane*
\$10,000* Research on the history of American Samoa from 1900–1977, including the collection of historical documents, records, and artifacts; writing of a textbook including these materials for use by high school students; and an institute for teachers.

Arizona Humanities Council
Phoenix, AZ *Ann-Mary Johnson*
\$62,510 Projects including a traveling exhibit on the life of labor leader César Chávez, training in a family literacy/citizenship curriculum, a history fest for high school teachers and cultural heritage tourism grants.

Arkansas Humanities Council
Little Rock, AR *Barbara W. Heffington*
\$61,060 To support Arkansas History Day; the Encyclopedia of Arkansas History and Culture; and a regrant program for projects that explore significant themes and events in American history and culture, including the preservation and documentation of African American cemeteries.

California Council for the Humanities
San Francisco, CA *James D. Quay*
\$10,000 A series of activities that explore California's diverse immigrant populations, including reading and discussion programs, writers-in-conversation programs, and the creation of an anthology of stories.

California Council for the HumanitiesSan Francisco, CA *Ralph Lewin*

\$234,780 A traveling exhibition in eight locations over two years, together with local programming and documentary projects in the host communities, focused on the experiences of new immigrant groups to California, with special emphasis on young people.

Colorado Endowment for the HumanitiesDenver, CO *Margaret A. Coval*

\$10,000* A teachers institute, "America Challenged: Bread Lines and Battle Lines," High Plains Chautauqua, Young Chautauqua, speakers bureau, and a special grant opportunity for public programs.

Colorado Endowment for the HumanitiesDenver, CO *Margaret A. Coval*

\$71,570 The teachers' institute "The Five States of Colorado," High Plains Chautauqua, Young Chautauqua, speakers bureau, community forums on Colorado history, and a grant initiative.

Connecticut Humanities CouncilMiddletown, CT *Bruce Fraser*

\$10,000 A Humanities in the Schools program supporting one- to two-week-long summer institutes on significant themes in American history and literature for teachers in Connecticut.

Connecticut Humanities CouncilMiddletown, CT *Laurie Rayner*

\$50,420 To support the statewide presentation of the "Barn Again!" exhibition and complementary programming, and the Humanities in the Schools annual grant-line that will strengthen the teaching, study, and understanding of American history.

Delaware Humanities ForumWilmington, DE *Marilyn P. Whittington*

\$10,000* Scholars in Residence Program for teams of scholars to work with middle and high school teachers and students using the Bill of Rights, the US Constitution and the Declaration of Independence to examine the concepts of disagreement and protest in American history.

Delaware Humanities ForumWilmington, DE *Marilyn P. Whittington*

\$35,070 A series of public programs, including Chautauqua presentations and symposia, on the history and principles of the US Constitution, with emphasis on the contributions of Delaware citizens to the drafting of the document, followed by visits to the US Constitution Center in Philadelphia.

Florida Humanities CouncilSt. Petersburg, FL *Ann S. Schoenacher*

\$10,000* Teacher institutes, Chautauqua programming, and an issue of *Forum* magazine on the topic of the Harlem Renaissance and its impact on Florida, American, and African-American culture.

Florida Humanities CouncilSt. Petersburg, FL *Ann S. Schoenacher*

\$128,400 Five week-long teacher seminars exploring aspects of Florida's cultural diversity and the historic events, people, values, and institutions that have shaped the state's multicultural identity.

Fundación Puertorriqueña de las HumanidadesSan Juan, PR *Miguel Rodriguez*

\$10,000* Preservation, publication, and distribution of books and reports originally published between 1899 and 1903 that explore the history of Puerto Rico after the Spanish-American War.

Fundación Puertorriqueña de las HumanidadesSan Juan, PR *Miguel Rodriguez*

\$52,700 Development of bilingual texts about key historical, social and cultural themes and events in contemporary Puerto Rico for the online Encyclopedia of Puerto Rico and also to be available through radio broadcast and print.

Georgia Humanities CouncilAtlanta, GA *Jamil S. Zainaldin*

\$10,000* The week-long teacher institute "Using Jimmy Carter Landmarks to Teach About Change in America" and a grant program to support local projects that explore themes and events in American history and culture.

Georgia Humanities CouncilAtlanta, GA *Jamil S. Zainaldin*

\$80,390 Distribution of a poster/history timeline to teachers, strengthening of the National History Day in Georgia program, and a regrant program targeted to adults.

Guam Humanities CouncilHagatna, GU *Nicholas Goetzfridt*

\$10,000* A series of activities, including oral history interviews, a radio program, the preservation of WWII photographs and a traveling exhibition, to mark the 60th anniversary of the liberation of Guam from Japanese occupying forces.

Guam Humanities CouncilHagatna, GU *Nicholas Goetzfridt*

\$31,300 Development of section on Chamorro religious practices for the online encyclopedia about Guam, with photographs, historical drawings, and, when available, audio and video, and development of guides to help teachers use this material.

Hawai'i Council for the HumanitiesHonolulu, HI *Robert G. Buss*

\$10,000* Four workshops for elementary school teachers and teachers in language arts, literature and art to explore topics in American culture through history, literature, biography, art or popular culture.

Hawai'i Council for the HumanitiesHonolulu, HI *Robert G. Buss*

\$37,600 A traveling exhibition, "Produce for Victory: Posters on the American Home Front, 1941-1945," in seven communities throughout the state, together with local programming and a teacher workshop on the significance of World War II.

Humanities Council of Washington, DCWashington, DC *Michon A. Boston*

\$10,000* An Emancipation Day event; "Soul of the City," a three-day leadership development seminar for high school students; and four episodes of the educational cable television series, *Humanities Profiled*.

Humanities Council of Washington, DCWashington, DC *Michon A. Boston*

\$33,600 An Emancipation Day event, "Soul of the City," a summer leadership development seminar for high school students and four episodes of the educational cable television series, *Humanities Profiled*.

Humanities Council SCColumbia, SC *Kristin M. Harkey*

\$10,000* A grant program to support humanities projects in communities in South Carolina that explore significant themes and events in American history and culture.

Humanities Council SCColumbia, SC *Kristin M. Harkey*

\$54,250 To support the council's 10th annual book festival in February 2006, and to support grants throughout the state on themes related to American history and culture.

Humanities IowaIowa City, IA *Christopher R. Rossi*

\$10,000* A series of activities, including a grant program, that focus on Iowa history between the World Wars, 1918-1940.

Humanities IowaIowa City, IA *Christopher R. Rossi*

\$47,320 To support exhibition development, scholarly presentations, and publications. A regrants program will include speakers bureau discussions, local humanities programming, documentary film projects, and conferences and seminars.

Humanities Tennessee

Nashville, TN *Jane Walters*

\$10,000* To develop a model for a relational database available on the Internet for community history projects in the three-county rural Tennessee Overhill, and Nashville's more urban Rutledge Hill neighborhood.

Humanities Tennessee

Nashville, TN *Jane Walters*

\$64,010 To support collaboration and programming among the five Tennessee communities hosting the traveling exhibition, "Between Fences," by digitizing the local research and developing a shared online resource for maps and narratives.

Humanities Texas

Austin, TX *Michael L. Gillette*

\$10,000* A summer institute for teachers and publications on the US Congress and American history, a special grant opportunity for public programs, exhibits and speakers on American history and culture, and a public lecture.

Humanities Texas

Austin, TX *Michael L. Gillette*

\$157,780 To support a summer institute for teachers examining Galveston's place in US immigration history; develop a historical, traveling exhibit on farm workers in Texas; develop radio programming on Texas figures and events; provide small grants for public programs that explore significant events in US history; circulate 5–8 traveling exhibits around the state; planning for a cultural heritage initiative; and a public lecture.

Humanities Washington

Seattle, WA *Sara Krajewski*

\$10,000* The Inquiring Minds speakers bureau program on themes related to *We the People*; a special program of grants related to the initiative's goals; and special programming focused on the landmark Supreme Court *Brown vs. Board of Education* decision.

Humanities Washington

Seattle, WA *Ellen E. Terry*

\$65,680 To support up to 7 community projects focusing on the stories of immigrants and refugees in the state, and to support a panel discussion and educational outreach in southwest Washington as part of the bicentennial observance of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

Idaho Humanities Council

Boise, ID *Richard K. Ardinger*

\$10,000* A summer teacher institute on the presidency of Thomas Jefferson, reading and discussion programs on Lewis and Clark, Speakers Bureau presentations, and a grant program that focuses on topics in American history and culture.

Idaho Humanities Council

Boise, ID *Richard K. Ardinger*

\$38,230 To support presentations to public audiences on topics related to American history and culture; a summer institute for teachers on Native American literature; reading and discussion programs exploring themes of Lewis and Clark and American identity; programming for public audiences to complement "Barn Again," a traveling exhibit; and grants to institutions throughout the state on themes related to American history and culture.

Illinois Humanities Council

Chicago, IL *Kristina A. Valaitis*

\$103,250 To support presentations of the exhibition "Between Fences" and "New Harmonies" in 12 towns, the Road Scholars speakers bureau, and a *We the People* grant line.

Indiana Humanities Council

Indianapolis, IN *Scott T. Massey*

\$66,050 To support a teacher institute focused on curriculum resources for U.S. history from the founding period to the end of Reconstruction, and reading and discussion seminars on American founding principles for leaders in business, government, education, and nonprofit sectors.

Kansas Humanities Council

Topeka, KS *Julie L. Mulvihill*

\$10,000* Better Together: An Ethnic Heritage Initiative to provide grants to nonprofits for basic research, oral history collection, museum collection and exhibition development, and public programs.

Kansas Humanities Council

Topeka, KS *Julie L. Mulvihill*

\$61,050 To support the grant initiative Better Together: Kansans Tell Their Stories to encourage the study of local cultural resources that reflect the impact of ethnic groups throughout Kansas's 150 years.

Kentucky Humanities Council

Lexington, KY *Virginia G. Smith*

\$10,000* Expansion of Prime Time Family Reading Time program, providing programs in 16 libraries over two years, and the development and review of additional individual Chautauqua presentations.

Kentucky Humanities Council

Lexington, KY *Virginia G. Smith*

\$54,080 To support the Prime Time Family Reading Time program in six libraries for a second year, and, working with the coordinators of the Teaching American History grants, to provide sixty Chautauqua programs to schools in five regions of Kentucky.

Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities

New Orleans, LA *Michael J. Sartisky*

\$56,260 To support the regrant initiative Exploring American History in Local Context, the reading and discussion program Readings in Literature & Culture, and articles in LEH's magazine Louisiana Cultural Vistas.

Maine Humanities Council

Portland, ME *Victoria B. Bonebakker*

\$10,000* An American history series for the adult new readers program, New Books, New Readers, the library program, Let's Talk About It, teacher institutes, and a grant program to support local humanities projects throughout Maine.

Maine Humanities Council

Portland, ME *Victoria B. Bonebakker*

\$37,880 The initiative Understanding Our Past, Shaping Our Future, which will include a speakers bureau, oral history workshops, teacher institutes, and a grant program focusing on themes in American history and culture.

Maryland Humanities Council

Baltimore, MD *Margaret R. Burke*

\$62,090 The special initiative The Changing Faces of Democracy, including the summer Chautauqua program, "War and Democracy—Personal Journeys," a reading and discussion series, Maryland History Day, and a grant program.

Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities

Northampton, MA *Ellen K. Rothman*

\$10,000* Research and writing of "Mass Moments," a collection of 365 stories from Massachusetts history for daily broadcast on radio stations across the state, with additional information provided on a Web site.

Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities

Northampton, MA *Ellen K. Rothman*

\$82,420 To support the second phase of the Internet and radio project, "Mass Moments," which highlights important moments in Massachusetts history and national history, by adding additional resources for teachers, augmenting interactive features, and implementing a marketing plan; and presentation of a public symposium in October 2005 on the legacy of the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

Michigan Humanities CouncilLansing, MI *Janice M. Fedewa***\$9,500** A special grant program that focuses on national themes and events through the lens of Michigan history.**Michigan Humanities Council**Lansing, MI *Janice M. Fedewa***\$88,430** To support a grant program for institutions across the state for activities reflecting themes in American history and culture that connect events in Michigan to national events.**Minnesota Humanities Commission**St. Paul, MN *Jane Cunningham***\$59,500** To support a regrant initiative *We the People: Tradition and Change* that will address Minnesota topics in the light of national history, and two teacher seminars that will explore the Dakota Conflict of 1862 and the signing of the Mille Lacs Ojibwe Treaty.**Mississippi Humanities Council**Jackson, MS *Barbara Carpenter***\$46,960** Continuation of "Mississippi Moments," a series of 4-minute radio segments, development of an online Mississippi timeline, and revision and updating of a 1992 publication, *Ethnic Heritage in Mississippi*.**Missouri Humanities Council**St. Louis, MO *Michael Bouman***\$10,000*** "America, The Bountiful," a Chautauqua program on American food traditions; exhibitions on Native American tribal societies in Missouri; and planning for a conference to assess Missouri's Teaching American History projects.**Missouri Humanities Council**St. Louis, MO *Michael Bouman***\$63,220** To support further development of exhibitions that reinterpret the presence of tribal societies in Missouri 200 years ago and to mount the Chautauqua program "American the Bountiful."**Montana Committee for the Humanities**Missoula, MT *Kim Anderson***\$10,000*** A series of activities that explore themes in American history, including speakers bureau presentations, programs at the Montana Festival of the Book, a grant program, and a special statewide conference on Montana heroism.**Montana Committee for the Humanities**Missoula, MT *Kim Anderson***\$35,640** A statewide conference on Montana history and culture, and a variety of American history and culture projects through the speakers bureau, grants program, reading and discussion groups, and the annual Montana Festival of the Book.**Nebraska Humanities Council**Lincoln, NE *Jane Renner Hood***\$10,000*** The Great Plains Chautauqua "From Sea to Shining Sea: American Expansion and Cultural Change; and Capitol Forum, a program for high school students that uses the humanities to explore American democracy.**Nebraska Humanities Council**Lincoln, NE *Sarah J. Hood***\$40,380** To support the 2006 Great Plains Chautauqua, "From Sea to Shining Sea: American Expansion and Cultural Change, 1790-1850," a program for high school students, Capitol Forum, and additional speakers for public programs on US and Great Plains history.**Nevada Humanities**Reno, NV *Nora James***\$10,000*** A website on the history of Las Vegas, including interpretive materials and links to primary source material that relate the city's history to major themes in American history and culture.**Nevada Humanities**Reno, NV *Stephen R. Davis***\$43,270** A traveling exhibition, "Between Fences," in six communities from September 2005 to July 2006, and development of a special grant competition in American history for local communities.**New Hampshire Humanities Council**Concord, NH *Deborah Watrous***\$52,780** To support Chautauqua programming, "1905: America Reinvents Itself," in Keene, Portsmouth, Nashua, and Manchester. In addition to the evening presentations, programming will include Young Chautauqua presentations by teenagers, teacher workshops, breakfast discussions, and musical performances.**New Jersey Council for the Humanities**Trenton, NJ *Jane Brailove Rutkof***\$80,120** A series of two-day seminars on critical moments in American history for Newark's K-12 teachers, a college-level seminar for low-income individuals, and regrant projects that explore the meaning of citizenship in the United States.**New Mexico Humanities Council**Albuquerque, NM *Craig L. Newbill***\$41,160** A series of activities that will commemorate New Mexico's centennial of statehood in 2012 including a Web site, statewide public meetings, and the development of a centennial speakers bureau and a Chautauqua program.**New York Council for the Humanities**New York, NY *Sara Ogger***\$10,000*** To support the Speakers in the Humanities program and a book discussion program for adults by expanding the emphasis on topics in American history and culture.**New York Council for the Humanities**New York, NY *Sara Ogger***\$140,910** The expansion of the Reading Between the Lines book discussion program and to launch Reading Between the Lines for Children and Families, a new intergenerational program focused on themes in American culture.**North Carolina Humanities Council**Greensboro, NC *Douglas H. Quin***\$10,000*** Activities that explore American history and culture including reading and discussion programs, speakers bureau presentations, a grant program, and a statewide conference on public humanities programming and civic life.**North Carolina Humanities Council**Greensboro, NC *Douglas H. Quin***\$93,790** The 2005 teachers institute, "The Culture of Religion in North Carolina," reading and discussion programs, speakers bureau presentations, and a special grant initiative for projects focusing on topics in American history and culture.**North Dakota Humanities Council**Bismarck, ND *Janet Daley***\$34,010** North Dakota Reads, a reading and discussion program using scholar-facilitators, printed and online catalogs, and a book loan program, culminating in a book festival.**Northern Mariana Islands Council for the Humanities**Saipan, MP *Herman T. Guerrero***\$30,800** Chautauqua performances, lectures, seminars, symposia, classroom activities, and technology projects on the period 1898-1999 to increase awareness of the shared history of the Northern Mariana Islands and the United States, foster understanding of the documents that define the Commonwealth, and explore current issues related to democratic principles.**Ohio Humanities Council**Columbus, OH *John Bryant***\$111,240** To support the 2005 Ohio Chautauqua on the theme of the Roaring Twenties; the second phase of the Gateway to History Web site for Ohio teachers; a statewide forum on the First Amendment; and programming for teachers to extend the reach of humanities programming on public television.

Oklahoma Humanities CouncilOklahoma City, OK *David Pettyjohn*

\$10,000* Great Plains Chautauqua in 2005, We the People lectures, a grant initiative, a reading and discussion program including topics on American democracy, and digitization of traveling exhibits.

Oklahoma Humanities CouncilOklahoma City, OK *David Pettyjohn*

\$50,590 A public lecture in the humanities, complemented by partnerships with local institutions and a student seminar, and a grant line reflecting We the People themes and Oklahoma's upcoming centennial in 2007.

Oregon Council for the HumanitiesPortland, OR *Christopher Zinn*

\$10,000* A teacher institute on the new worlds of Lewis and Clark, and a series of short radio spots, "On Principle," to illuminate what Oregonians think about defining American principles.

Oregon Council for the HumanitiesPortland, OR *Carol E. Hickman*

\$50,860 "On Principle: A Statewide Conversation" regional discussions of the five principles of American democracy considered in the 2004–2005 radio series: individual freedoms, equality, economic opportunity, civic engagement, and justice.

Pennsylvania Humanities CouncilPhiladelphia, PA *Laurie Zierer*

\$101,590 Speaker presentations on American history, literature programs on the Civil War and American memoir, and grant-funded projects that explore significant events and themes in American culture.

Rhode Island Council for the HumanitiesProvidence, RI *Sara J. Archambault*

\$10,000* A series of activities that explore the principles of "life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness" including a grant program, a radio and public television series, and a student poster/essay contest.

Rhode Island Council for the HumanitiesProvidence, RI *Sara J. Archambault*

\$36,560 To support humanities programming on themes in American history and culture through radio, television, and public lectures.

South Dakota Humanities CouncilBrookings, SD *Vanessa E. Merhib*

\$10,000* To support activities related to themes and events in American history and culture to take place during the festival of books in Sioux Falls.

South Dakota Humanities CouncilBrookings, SD *Sherry K. DeBoer*

\$34,760 To support the participation of historians, authors and other nonfiction writers in the third annual festival of books to be held in Deadwood, in September 2005.

Utah Humanities CouncilSalt Lake City, UT *Cynthia Buckingham*

\$10,000* To support a grant program for locally generated proposals, a special initiative of the Road Scholars, the annual Great Salt Lake Book Festival, the Utah History Fair, and the Utah Oral History Consortium.

Utah Humanities CouncilSalt Lake City, UT *Cynthia Buckingham*

\$53,900 A grant program for locally generated humanities projects, history topics in the Road Scholars, lectures at the 2005 Great Salt Lake Book Festival, the Utah History Fair, and the Utah Oral History Consortium.

Vermont Humanities CouncilMontpelier, VT *Larissa Vigue Picard*

\$10,000* A special grant program, reading and discussion programs, and public lectures that explore significant themes and events in American history and culture.

Vermont Humanities CouncilMontpelier, VT *Larissa Vigue Picard*

\$33,920 A special grant program, reading and discussion programs, and public lectures and humanities camps for at-risk middle school students to explore significant themes and events in American history and culture.

Virgin Islands Humanities CouncilSt. Thomas, VI *Oswin Sewer*

\$2,250* A series of activities, including a scholarly conference, public lecture series, oral history interviews, and a student essay contest, which will explore questions of self-determination, political process, and national identity.

Virgin Islands Humanities CouncilSt. Thomas, VI *Oswin Sewer*

\$30,980 A We the People webpage, a Chautauqua series, a lecture on women's role in self-governance, and a panel discussion that explores the history of the Island's four constitutional conventions.

Virginia Foundation for the HumanitiesCharlottesville, VA *David Bearinger*

\$10,000* To support the 400th anniversary of the Jamestown Colony with a targeted grant initiative, a pilot oral history project, three programs for VFH's radio series, and a speakers bureau connected to the Virginia Festival of the Book.

Virginia Foundation for the HumanitiesCharlottesville, VA *Andrew S. Chancey*

\$72,910 Programs at the Virginia Festival of the Book, radio programs focusing on how citizens explore heritage, a research fellowship in American history and culture, and grant projects focusing on Virginia's traditions and communities.

West Virginia Humanities CouncilCharleston, WV *Mark Payne*

\$10,000* To support programming addressing West Virginia's separation from Virginia and the issues that led to statehood, and West Virginia's immediate enforcement of *Brown v. Board of Education*.

West Virginia Humanities CouncilCharleston, WV *Mark Payne*

\$55,790 Public scholarly lectures, the 2006 state tour of the traveling exhibition "Produce for Victory: Posters on the American Homefront," and a special grant initiative that will focus on topics in American and West Virginia history.

Wisconsin Humanities CouncilMadison, WI *Jessica E. Becker*

\$61,880 Book discussion programs, lectures, forums, speakers bureau programming, and special programs at the Wisconsin Book Festival to continue a multiyear exploration of the ideals and principles on which the United States was founded.

Wyoming Council for the HumanitiesLaramie, WY *Victoria F. Sherry*

\$10,000* A teacher institute on the history of democracy from ancient Greece to modern America and "A Wyoming Conversation" that includes statewide discussions and a radio program cosponsored by Wyoming Public Radio.

Wyoming Council for the HumanitiesLaramie, WY *Victoria F. Sherry*

\$33,250 Wyoming Common Ground, an initiative of workshops, a radio series and reading discussion program, a primer for newcomers on Wyoming history and culture, a speaker series, and a regrant program to serve disabled audiences and small museums.

Federal/State Partnership Katrina Relief State Projects

Alabama Humanities Foundation

Birmingham, AL *Robert C. Stewart*

\$30,000** Hurricane Katrina Disaster Relief

Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities

New Orleans, LA *Michael J. Sartisky*

\$30,000** Hurricane Katrina Disaster Relief

Mississippi Humanities Council

Jackson, MS *Barbara Carpenter*

\$30,000** Hurricane Katrina Disaster Relief