

# NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES **GRANT AWARDS AND OFFERS, MARCH 2014**

### ALASKA (2) \$125,400

### Anchorage

Anchorage Museum Association

Outright: \$40,000 [Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation] Matching: \$35,000

Project Director: Julie Decker

Project Title: Arctic Ambitions: Captain Cook and the Northwest Passage Exhibition

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition on James Cook's Third Voyage (1776-80), focusing on his travels around the Northwest coast and his attempt to find the

Outright: \$50,400

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$21,913

Northwest Passage.

#### Juneau

Unaffiliated Independent Scholar

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Fellowships]

Project Director: Keri Eggleston

Project Title: The Next Critical Step in Documenting Tlingit

### ARIZONA (2) \$12,000

### **Flagstaff**

Northern Arizona University

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Ryan Kashanipour

Project Title: Magic and Medicine in Eighteenth Century Yucatan

## **Tucson**

University of Arizona

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Albrecht Classen

Project Title: The Myth of Charlemagne in the History of Premodern German and Dutch Literature

## ARKANSAS (4) \$109,037

### **Conway**

University of Central Arkansas

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Jesse Butler

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on the Pursuit of Self-Knowledge through

Philosophy and Literature

Project Description: The development of a first-year course that explores, through literature and

philosophy, the pursuit of self-knowledge.

### **Fayetteville**

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville Outright: \$21,614

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants] Project Director: Padma Viswanathan

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Literature and Morality

Project Description: The development of a course for third- and fourth-year undergraduates on

concepts of morality, as represented in literature from different times and cultures.

### **State University**

Arkansas State University, Main Campus Outright: \$59,510

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

Project Director: Alvson Gill

Project Title: Dangerous Embodiments: Theories, Methods, and Best Practices for Historical

Character Modeling in Humanities 3D Environments

Project Description: The development and testing of a comprehensive typology for avatar (graphical representations of a user or the user's character) creation in historical simulations in digital heritage environments.

Arkansas State University, Main Campus Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Kat Lecky

Project Title: Poet Laureate Poetics and the Aesthetics of Pocket Maps in Renaissance Britain

## CALIFORNIA (19) \$2,067,011

### **Berkeley**

University of California, Berkeley Outright: \$50,000 [Humanities Collections and Reference Resources] Matching: \$10,000

Project Director: Charles Faulhaber

Project Title: PhiloBiblon: Primary Sources for the Study of the Literature and Culture of Medieval

and Early Modern Iberia

Project Description: Updating PhiloBiblon, a bio-bibliographical database of texts written in the vernacular Romance languages of medieval and early modern Iberia-Portuguese, Castilian, Catalan, and Galician. The project would enhance the project's software and would incorporate 7,000 15<sup>th</sup>-century Spanish lyrics.

#### Carson

California State University, Dominguez Hills Foundation Outright: \$39,956

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Gregory Williams

Project Title: California State University Japanese American Digitization Planning Grant

Project Description: Planning and implementation of a pilot project to digitize archival sources at six California State University (CSU) system schools dealing with Japanese American internment during World War II.

#### Claremont

Pomona College Outright: \$21,996

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Gizem Karaali

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on the Aims and Value of Education

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$300,000

Project Description: The development of a first-year seminar that would examine philosophy of education from Plato and Rousseau to contemporary views on the purpose of education.

**Davis** 

University of California, Davis

[Summer Stipends]

**Project Director: Carol Hess** 

Project Title: Aaron Copland, Cultural Diplomacy, and Latin America

**Irvine** 

The Regents of The University of California Outright: \$21,991

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: James Weatherall

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Conceptions of Time in Physics, Philosophy,

Fiction and Film

Project Description: The development of an undergraduate seminar on conceptions of time in

physics, philosophy, fiction, and film.

Los Angeles

**Academy Foundation** Outright: \$40,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Teague Schneiter

Project Title: Academy Motion Picture Oral History Digital Archive - Planning Project

Project Description: A strategic planning effort for and initial development of the Academy Motion Picture Oral History Digital Archive, a repository that would include more than one thousand oral history interviews with screen and radio actors, directors, writers, composers, cinematographers,

editors, and other production staff, which have been collected from 1947 to the present.

Lovola Marymount University

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Carla Bittel

Project Title: Phrenology, Gender, and Nineteenth-Century American Science

Getty Research Institute [Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Andra Darlington

Project Title: Creating Access to the Knoedler Gallery Archive

Project Description: The arrangement and description, and partial digitization, of an art gallery archive containing 1,400 linear feet of records documenting the acquisition and sale of European

and American art in the United States between 1848 and 1971.

Getty Research Institute Outright: \$197,400

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Alexa Sekvra

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the Getty Research Institute

Project Description: 14 months of stipend support (1.5 fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

**Oakland** 

Oakland Museum/Museum of California Foundation Outright: \$40,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Planning]

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Project Director: Rene De Guzman Project Title: Pacific Worlds

Project Description: Planning for a traveling exhibition to present California's place in the late 19th- and early 20th-century Pacific world, and to reflect on museum collection and exhibition

practices.

### Riverside

University of California, Riverside Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Michele Salzman

Project Title: The "Falls of Rome": The Transformations of Rome in Late Antiquity (270-603)

### **Rolling Hills Estates**

Early Manuscripts Electronic Library Outright: \$34,268

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Chet Van Duzer

Project Title: Multi-spectral Imaging of the World Map by Henricus Martellus (c. 1491) at the

Beinecke Library, Yale University

Project Description: Multi-spectral imaging and digitization of a 15th-century world map, drawn by Henricus Martellus, a German cartographer who worked in Florence, and documenting knowledge of cartography and the world's geography at the time.

### San Francisco

National Film Preservation Foundation Outright: \$260,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Annette Melville

Project Title: Recovering "Lost" American Nonfiction Films

Project Description: The repatriation and restoration of 26 U.S. nonfiction films from the

1910s and 1920s, currently located at EYE Film Institute Netherlands.

Cultural Heritage Imaging Outright: \$60,000

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

Project Director: Mark Mudge

Project Title: Data Sustainability and Advanced Metadata Management for Scientific Imaging in

the Humanities

Project Description: The completion of two case studies examining documentation of

computational photography methods applied to humanities collections, as well as dissemination of

best practices and enhancement of relevant software tools.

#### San Marino

Huntington Library Outright: \$323,400

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Steve Hindle

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at The Huntington Library

Project Description: 20 months of stipend support (2 fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

### Santa Barbara

University of California, Santa Barbara Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: M. Patricia Fumerton

Project Title: EBBA: Early Broadside Ballads at Houghton Library, Harvard University Project Description: The digitization and incorporation into an electronic archive of images of more than 1,100 works of English broadside ballads from the 17th century, as well as illustrative woodcuts, facsimile transcriptions, contextual essays, and audio files of sung versions of the ballads.

#### Stanford

Stanford University Outright: \$250,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Michael Keller

Project Title: Cross-Disciplinary Dialogue: Discovering the Art of Helen and Newton Harrison Project Description: Processing papers and digital files, reformatting audio and video recordings, creating finding aids for, and providing digital access to a collection documenting the work of eco-art movement artists Helen and Newton Harrison, encompassing 230 linear feet of mixed materials and 1.5 million digital files.

### Stockton

University of the Pacific Outright: \$60,000

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Caroline Schroeder

Project Title: Coptic SCRIPTORIUM: A Corpus, Tools, and Methods for Corpus Linguistics

and Computational Historical Research in Ancient Egypt

Project Description: The development of a user interface and language analysis tools to facilitate

interdisciplinary, collaborative research and annotation of digitized Coptic texts.

University of the Pacific Outright: \$40,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Caroline Schroeder

Project Title: Coptic SCRIPTORIUM: Digitizing a Corpus for Interdisciplinary Research in

Ancient Egyptian

Project Description: Planning for the creation of a digitized corpus of Coptic texts of importance to scholarship in biblical studies, early Christian history, and linguistics. The project would develop a pilot text corpus and establish technical standards to ensure interoperability of the corpus with other digital projects on the ancient world.

### COLORADO (2) \$178,290

#### **Boulder**

University of Colorado, Boulder

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Preservation]

Project Director: J. Andrew Cowell

Project Title: Arapaho Lexical Database and Dictionary

Project Description: Documentation of the Arapaho language, an endangered language of the Algonquian family that was originally spoken on the Great Plains of the United States. The project would produce a lexical database and a bilingual dictionary in print and electronic formats.

### **Denver**

University of Denver

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Nadia Kaneva

Project Title: Media and the Making of Post-Communist Consumers in Eastern Europe

Outright: \$172,290

Outright: \$6,000

### **CONNECTICUT (1) \$1,000**

#### Mashantucket

Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation Outright: \$1,000

[NEH on the Road]

Project Director: Betsy Peterson Project Title: NEH on the Road: *Bison* 

### **DELAWARE (2) \$306,000**

### Newark

University of Delaware Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Eve Buckley

Project Title: Transforming Brazil's Desert: Drought, Poverty and Technocratic Tensions in

Modern Latin America

University of Delaware Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: J. Ritchie Garrison

Project Title: The Sampler Archive Project: Phase 2

Project Description: The second phase of development of the Sampler Archive, an online digital repository and searchable database of images and descriptive information about American girlhood samplers and pictorial embroideries from the 17th through the 19th centuries.

## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (2) \$506,000

### Washington

Folger Shakespeare Library Outright: \$500,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Michael Witmore

Project Title: Shakespeare and his First Folio

Project Description: Implementation of a national traveling exhibition featuring an original copy of Shakespeare's First Folio, interpretive panels on the history of the First Folio, and related public

programming.

George Washington University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Denver Brunsman

Project Title: British Naval Impressment in the Revolutionary Atlantic

## FLORIDA (3) \$71,993

## **Coral Gables**

University of Miami Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Deborah Schwartz-Kates

Project Title: The Film Music of Argentinian Composer Alberto Ginastera (1916-1983)

#### Orlando

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Outright: \$6,000

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University of Central Florida, Orlando

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Yovanna Pineda

Project Title: Technological Change, Society, and Development in Argentina's Agricultural Sector,

1860-1940

#### **Tallahassee**

Florida State University Outright: \$59,993

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Michael Carrasco

Project Title: The Mesoamerican Corpus of Formative Period Art and Writing

Project Description: The development of a prototype database and complementary tools to facilitate analysis of Mesoamerican iconography and art objects from the Formative period,

1500-400 BCE.

## GEORGIA (3) \$75,394

### **Atlanta**

Georgia State University Research Foundation, Inc. Outright: \$32,995

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Andrew Altman

Project Title: NEH Enduring Ouestions Course on Religious Tolerance

Project Description: The development of a mid-level undergraduate course on religious

tolerance in Jewish, Christian, Islamic, and secular traditions.

Emory University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Joyce Flueckiger

Project Title: Material Acts: Agency of Materiality in India

### **Dahlonega**

University of North Georgia Outright: \$36,399

[Enduring Ouestions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Renee Bricker

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Concepts of Peace in Western and Eastern

Cultures

Project Description: The development of an upper-level undergraduate seminar on ideas about how to attain and secure peace, open to cadets and civilian students at a military college.

### HAWAII (2) \$172,717

### Honolulu

University of Hawaii, Manoa Outright: \$50,400

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Fellowships]

Project Director: Hiroko Sato

Project Title: Preliminary Field Investigation of the Bebeli Language, Papua New Guinea

University of Hawaii, Manoa Outright: \$122,317

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Preservation]

Project Director: Andrea Berez

Project Title: Making Pacific Language Materials Discoverable: Identifying and Describing

Indigenous Languages

Outright: \$30,000

Outright: \$109,164

Project Description: The improved discovery of materials in or about Micronesian, Polynesian, and Melanesian languages held in the Pacific Collection at the Hamilton Library of the University of Hawai'i at Manoa. The applicant would develop precise catalog descriptors for approximately 1,100 endangered Pacific languages; complete cataloguing for nearly 10,000 items; and make this information accessible to language communities, documentary linguists, other catalogers, and the public.

## ILLINOIS (9) \$978,564

## Champaign

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Valeria Sobol

Project Title: The Haunted Empire: The Russian Literary Gothic and the "Imperial Uncanny,"

1793-1844

## Chicago

**Great Books Foundation** Outright: \$74,000

[Education Programs Cooperative Agreements and Special Projects]

Project Director: Donald Whitfield Project Title: Talking Service

Project Description: A series of workshops for American veterans to discuss their service experience in the light of key humanities texts.

Adler Planetarium and Astronomy Museum

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

Project Director: Jodi Lacy

Project Title: Digital Historic Skies

Project Description: Preliminary planning and development of a web-based project to crowdsource information about historical astronomical maps, as well as a mobile application that would offer both humanistic and scientific interpretation of these materials.

Adler Planetarium and Astronomy Museum

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Jodi Lacy

Project Title: Celestial Cartography Digitization Project

Project Description: The digitization of 5,300 celestial maps and star charts, works on paper, scientific instruments, and prints from the 15th to 20th centuries, documenting humanity's visual depictions of the cosmos.

**Newberry Library** Outright: \$323,400

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Diane Dillon

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the Newberry Library

Project Description: 20 months of stipend support (2 to 5 fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

American Library Association Outright: \$30,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Susan Brandehoff

Project Title: Supplement to Dust, Drought, and Dreams Gone Dry

Project Description: Grants to 25 libraries to develop public programming related to the

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$253,393

American Library Association traveling exhibition, Dust, Drought, and Dreams Gone Dry: A Traveling Exhibit and Public Programs for Libraries about the Dust Bowl.

University of Chicago Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: James Nye

Project Title: Digital Dictionaries of South Asia: Scholarly Resources for the Advanced Study of the Subcontinent

Project Description: The completion of monolingual dictionaries for inclusion in the

Digital Dictionaries of South Asia project for the following eight languages: Kannada, Kashmiri, Konkani, Panjabi, Prakrit, Sindhi, Sinhala, and Telugu. In addition, access tools for these resources would be developed, including improved search and display capacities for the online interface, new analytical tools, complete content delivery and access for mobile devices, and the addition of audio pronunciation examples for two of the languages.

#### **Decatur**

Operation Opportunity Foundation Outright: \$100,000

[Education Programs Cooperative Agreements and Special Projects]

Project Director: Christopher Howell Project Title: Warrior-Scholar Project

Project Description: A series of humanities workshops for recent American military veterans at

Yale University, Harvard University, and the University of Michigan.

### **Evanston**

Northwestern University

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Dassia Posner

Project Title: Soviet Productions of American Plays at the Moscow Kamerny Theatre in the

1920s and 1930s

### INDIANA (2) \$275,189

### **Bloomington**

Indiana University, Bloomington

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Preservation]

Project Director: Daniel Suslak

Project Title: Community Directed Audio-Visual Documentation of Ayöök and Development of an

Online Avöök Language Portal

Project Description: Documentation of the Ayöök language, spoken in the region of Totontepec (Oaxaca, Mexico), through the expansion of an existing dictionary and development of an online portal of audio and video recordings.

## **Indianapolis**

**Butler University** Outright: \$21,796

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants] Project Director: Christopher Bungard

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Comedy and the Human Experience

Project Description: The development of a two-semester first-year seminar to explore the diverse functions of comedy, with attention to its cultural variation and its role in handling difficult topics.

### IOWA (3) \$307,000

**Iowa City** 

University of Iowa Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Luis Martin-Estudillo

Project Title: Spanish Culture and the Rise of Euroskepticism, 1939-2013

University of Iowa Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Bethany Davis

Project Title: Preserving, Digitizing, and Providing Access to the Keith/Albee Vaudeville

Theater Collection

Project Description: The conservation treatment, digitization, and preparation for crowdsourced transcription of 150 oversize scrapbooks documenting the Benjamin Keith and Edward Albee

vaudeville theater circuit.

Urbandale

**Living History Farms** Outright: \$1,000

[NEH on the Road]

Project Director: Ruth Haus

Project Title: NEH on the Road: Spirited

KANSAS (1) \$1,000

Wichita

Wichita-Sedgwick County Historical Museum Outright: \$1,000

[NEH on the Road]

Project Director: Jami Tracy

Project Title: NEH on the Road: House and Home

KENTUCKY (2) \$65,924

**Bowling Green** 

Western Kentucky University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Eric Kondratieff

Project Title: Tribunes of the Plebs in the Roman Republic (493 - 31 B.C.E.)

**Highland Heights** 

Northern Kentucky University Research Foundation Outright: \$59,924

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Tamara O'Callaghan

Project Title: The Augmented Palimpsest: Engaging Students through AR Encounters with the Past Project Description: The development of tools that would allow students to access supplementary digital content alongside Geoffrey Chaucer's prologue to The Canterbury Tales using mobile devices.

### LOUISIANA (1) \$20,234

### **New Orleans**

Tulane University Outright: \$20,234

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Stephanie Porras

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Conceptions of Authenticity and Originality Project Description: The development of an undergraduate honors colloquium on conceptions of authenticity and originality as debated in literature, music, philosophy, art, and the sciences.

### MAINE (4) \$422,000

### **Brunswick**

Bowdoin College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Belinda Kong

Project Title: Totalitarian Power and Rising Capitalism in Recent Chinese Fiction

### **Portland**

Maine Humanities Council Outright: \$150,000

[State Programs]

Project Director: Elizabeth Sinclair

Project Title: Literature & Medicine for Veterans

Project Description: To support national expansion of Literature & Medicine for Veterans, a

reading and discussion program organized by the Maine Humanities Council.

University of Southern Maine Outright: \$260,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Yolanda Theunnissen

Project Title: Thinking Globally: Conservation of an Historic Globe Collection and Creation of an

Online Resource on Geographic Education

Project Description: Conservation and digitization, through 3D imaging, of 21 historic globes, dating from the 17th to the 19th century, that document the history of cartography and exploration; and the creation of an online resource with digital access to 30 globe manuals and 300

instructional texts from the same period.

#### Waterville

Colby College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Ben Fallaw

Project Title: Between the Maya and the Mexican Revolution: Bartolome Garcia Correa (1893-1978)

and Mestizo Politics in Yucatan

### MARYLAND (6) \$136,049

### **Baltimore**

Johns Hopkins University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Neta Stahl

Project Title: Modern Hebrew Literature and the Divine

Johns Hopkins University Outright: \$29,117

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

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Project Director: Franklin Knight

Project Title: The Black Press Research Collective Newspaper Project: Visualizing the

History of the Black Press in the United States

Project Description: A two-day workshop to discuss the development of mapping and geocoding tools & data visualization authoring programs to assist scholars working with the Black Press.

Outright: \$6,000 Lovola University Maryland

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Melissa Girard

Project Title: Modernist Women's Poetry and the Problem of Sentimentality

## College Park

University of Maryland, College Park Outright: \$59,971

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Raffaele Viglianti

Project Title: Enhancing Music Notation Addressability

Project Description: The development of software tools that would facilitate citation and annotation of music notation and capture information about multiple participants' contributions to collaborative digital projects. As an initial case study, the project would focus on an existing effort to compile a critical edition of Nicholas Du Chemin's Chansons Nouvelles.

University of Maryland, College Park Outright: \$28,961

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Jennifer Guiliano

Project Title: Transforming the Afro-Caribbean World (TAW)

Project Description: A two-day workshop exploring appropriate digital collections and tools that would facilitate archival research on the relationship between Afro-Caribbean labor and migration history and the construction of the Panama Canal from 1904-1914.

University of Maryland, College Park Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Valerie Orlando

Project Title: The Influence of the French New Novel on Authors of the Maghreb, 1950 to the New

Millennium

### MASSACHUSETTS (21) \$3,021,068

#### **Amherst**

University of Massachusetts, Amherst Outright: \$50,400

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Fellowships]

Project Director: Emiliana Cruz

Project Title: Chatino Place Names and Local Knowledge: Language Description and Multimedia

**Documentary Corpus** 

Hampshire College Outright: \$22,000

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Karen Koehler

Project Title: NEH Enduring Ouestions Course on Differing Conceptions of Art Over Time Project Description: The development of a course for third-semester students on differing

conceptions of art from prehistoric times through the present day.

#### **Boston**

Northeastern University Outright: \$39,182

[Digital Humanities Cooperative Agreements & Special Projects]

Project Director: Heather Streets-Salter

Project Title: NEH Workshop on Military History: Doing the History of the Military & Foreign

Policy in the Digital Age

Project Description: A Cooperative Agreement between the NEH and the NuLab at Northeastern University, with further participation from the Society for Military History, to host a two-day professional development workshop on the application of digital humanities methodologies to military history.

**Boston University** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Susan Martin

Project Title: Artists and Patrons of the Middle Ground: Contact between Ancient Greek and

**Phoenician Cultures** 

Outright: \$120,000 Bunker Hill Community College

[Bridging Cultures Community College RFP]

Project Director: Lori Catallozzi

Project Title: Asian American Studies: An NEH Bridging Cultures Project

Project Description: A partnership between Bunker Hill Community College and the University of

Massachusetts, Boston, to conduct a three-year Bridging Cultures faculty and curriculum

development project in Asian American studies.

American Center of Oriental Research

Outright: \$91,800 [Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Barbara Porter

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships in Jordan at the American Center of Oriental

Research

Project Description: 6 months of stipend support (1 to 2 fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

### Cambridge

Harvard University Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Afsaneh Najmabadi

Project Title: Women's Worlds in Qajar Iran

Project Description: The expansion of digital archives and a Web site that make available primary sources related to the social and cultural history of women during the Qajar dynasty (1785-1925) in Iran. This project would expand the resource's coverage of socio-economic classes, ethnicities, and geographic locales.

**Harvard University** Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Peter Der Manuelian

Project Title: The Giza Project: Consolidated Archaeological Reference Database

Project Description: The creation of an integrated database of archaeological data from

excavations at the Egyptian site of Giza, distributed across ten institutions in the United States,

Europe, and Egypt, representing some 170,000 digital files.

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Outright: \$40.000

Outright: \$39,610

Outright: \$6,000

Harvard University

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Planning]

Project Director: Jeffrey Hamburger

Project Title: Pages from the Past: Illuminated Medieval & Renaissance Manuscripts in

Boston-area Collections

Project Description: Planning of an exhibition, a catalog, a website, educational programs, and an international conference on illuminated manuscripts dating from the 9th to the 16th century.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Christine Wallev

Project Title: Preparing to Preserve, Digitize, and Catalog the Southeast Chicago Historical

Museum Collection

Project Description: Producing detailed plans for cataloging and digitization of the Southeast

Chicago Historical Museum's collection on the history of Chicago.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Manduhai Buyandelger

Project Title: A Thousand Steps to the Parliament: Elections, Gender, and Media in Contemporary

Mongolia

### Medford

**Tufts University** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Elizabeth Foster

Project Title: Catholics and the End of French Empire in sub-Saharan Africa

#### Salem

Peabody Essex Museum Outright: \$300,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Lynda Hartigan

Project Title: Thomas Hart Benton and Hollywood

Project Description: Implementation of a major exhibition that explores the work of American

artist Thomas Hart Benton (1889-1975).

#### Sharon

Center for Independent Documentary Outright: \$500,000

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Susan Walsh

Project Title: The Mystery of Edgar Allan Poe

Project Description: Production of a 90-minute documentary film and an educational website

exploring the life and work of the 19th-century American writer Edgar Allan Poe.

Center for Independent Documentary

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Bestor Cram

Project Title: Birth of a Movement: Hollywood's First Blockbuster and the Battle for Civil Rights Project Description: Production of a documentary film about the reception of Birth of a Nation (1915), D.W. Griffith's landmark film and the movement to protest the film's portrayal of African

Americans.

Outright: \$372,076

**South Hadley** 

Mount Holyoke College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Desmond Fitz-Gibbon

Project Title: Assembling the Property Market in Great Britain, 1750-1925

Waltham

Filmmakers Collaborative, Inc. Outright: \$500,000

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Tracy Strain

Project Title: Lorraine Hansberry Documentary Project

Project Description: Production of a two-hour documentary film and a website probing the life and

art of playwright Lorraine Hansberry (1930-1965).

Brandeis University Outright: \$60,000

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Harry Mairson

Project Title: Functional Geometry and the *Traite de Lutherie* 

Project Description: The development of a software language and protocols for digitally

reconstructing and studying historical musical instruments. This stage of the project would focus

on historic string instruments.

Worcester

Assumption College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Mark Christensen

Project Title: The Teabo Manuscript: Maya Christian Copybooks, Chilam Balams, and Native

Writing in Colonial Yucatan

American Antiquarian Society Outright: \$250,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Thomas Knoles

Project Title: The Digitization and Dissemination of American Electoral Returns, 1788-1825 Project Description: The concluding phase for the digitization of election returns from the early Republic period of American history, for dissemination via the Web site "A New Nation Votes."

College of the Holy Cross Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Leila Philip

Project Title: Toshiko Takaezu (1922-2011): The Career of a Major Postwar Asian-American Artist

MICHIGAN (8) \$1,000,000

**Detroit** 

Wayne State University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Liette Gidlow

Project Title: Black Women's Disfranchisement and the Fight for Voting Rights, 1920-1945

Detroit Institute of Arts Outright: \$300,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Jane Dini

Project Title: Art of American Dance

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition exploring the ways in which

American visual art from 1820 to 1960 depicted and was inspired by dance.

Wayne State University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Scott Richmond

Project Title: A Theoretical and Historical Account of Media Viewership

Wayne State University Outright: \$60,000

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Krysta Ryzewski

Project Title: Ethnic Layers of Detroit: Experiencing Place through Digital Storytelling Project Description: The continued development and testing in the classroom of an interactive, mobile storytelling website that allows for the creation of multimedia narratives of historic sites. This phase of the project would focus on creating narratives that illustrate the traditions and transformation of Detroit's ethnic neighborhoods, with attention to the Corktown, Chinatown, Poletown, and Heidelberg neighborhoods.

### **East Lansing**

Michigan State University Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Helen Veit

Project Title: What America Ate: U.S. Foodways of the Great Depression

Project Description: The digitization of primary sources about the history of food in the United States from 1930 to 1942, including surviving materials created by the Works Progress Administration, 200 community cookbooks, and a selection of commercial food advertising and packaging. These written materials, photographs, and recipes will be made openly accessible through "What America Ate," a digital archive on American eating and foodways during the Great Depression.

Michigan State University Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Candace Keller-Claytor

Project Title: MSU Archive of Malian Photography

Project Description: The cataloging and digitization of 125,000 prints and negatives from the archives of five Malian professional photographers who have been active from the 1940s to the present. These works document traditional cultural and religious practices, the history of dress, gender, and status, and colonialism and modernization in southern Mali.

### **Mount Pleasant**

Central Michigan University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Lane Demas

Project Title: Sports, Race, and American Culture: A History of African Americans in Golf

#### Warren

Macomb County Community College Outright: \$22,000

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Elliott Meyrowitz

Outright: \$300,000

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Project Title: NEH Enduring Ouestions Course on the Just War Tradition

Project Description: The development of a community college course on the circumstances under which war may be justified and whether it can be conducted ethically once begun.

## MINNESOTA (4) \$431,333

### **Minneapolis**

**Public Radio International** Outright: \$119,333

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Patrick Cox

Project Title: The World in Words on PRI's The World

Project Description: Production of 20 radio episodes, lengthier podcasts, and an interactive

website on the role of language in different cultures.

Minneapolis Society of Fine Arts

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Jan-Lodewijk Grootaers

Project Title: Islamic Africa: Art and Architecture

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition, a catalog, an online exhibition, programs, and a colloquium examining the diverse forms of Islamic art and architecture that have

developed in Africa over the last 1,300 years.

## Northfield

St. Olaf College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Gary DeKrey

Project Title: Following the Levellers: Civil War English Radicals and their Successors, 1647-88

### St. Paul

University of St. Thomas Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: David Williard

Project Title: Confederate Soldiers and Southern Society, 1860-1880

### MISSISSIPPI (2) \$261,000

### **Hattiesburg**

University of Southern Mississippi

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Louis Kyriakoudes

Project Title: The Struggle for Civil Rights in Mississippi: Providing Access at the 50th Anniversary

Project Description: The digitization, indexing, and online publication of 483 oral history

interviews documenting the Civil Rights Movement in Mississippi.

#### Tunica

Outright: \$1,000 Tunica Museum

[NEH on the Road]

Project Director: Darlene Griffith

Project Title: NEH on the Road: For All the World to See

Outright: \$260,000

## MISSOURI (2) \$12,000

### Columbia

University of Missouri, Columbia Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Joanna Hearne

Project Title: A Chickasaw Family in Studio-era Hollywood: Edwin Carewe, Finis Fox and Wallace

Fox

University of Missouri, Columbia Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Daniel Domingues da Silva

Project Title: The Resurgence of the Atlantic Slave Trade to Angola, c.1780-1867

### NEBRASKA (2) \$87,277

#### Lincoln

University of Nebraska, Board of Regents Outright: \$60,000

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Elizabeth Lorang

Project Title: Image Analysis for Archival Discovery (Aida)

Project Description: The development of a prototype tool that would allow scholars and students to apply image processing and machine learning techniques to identify specific visual elements within digitized collections. The project would start with an attempt to identify poetry fund in the

Chronicling America collection of historic newspapers.

### **Omaha**

Creighton University Outright: \$27,277

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

Project Director: Erin Averett

Project Title: Mobilizing the Past for a Digital Future: The Potential of Digital Archaeology Project Description: A two-day workshop hosted by the Wentworth Institute of Technology in Boston, Massachusetts, on the uses of mobile tablet technologies in archaeological field work and interpretative analysis.

### **NEW HAMPSHIRE (2) \$90,055**

### **Durham**

University of New Hampshire Outright: \$39,655

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Siobhan Senier

Project Title: Writing of Indigenous New England: Building Partnerships for the

Preservation of Regional Native American Literature

Project Description: Collaborative planning for creating access, through an online portal, to regional Native American writings held by small tribal archives across New England. Three pilot projects to test workflow for digitizing these materials would be undertaken and protocols and agreements for future collaborative work would be drafted.

### **Madbury**

Unaffiliated Independent Scholar Outright: \$50,400

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Fellowships]

Project Director: John Keegan

Outright: \$6,000

Project Title: Sara-Bagirmi Languages Database Project

### **NEW JERSEY (4) \$318,000**

#### Camden

Rutgers University, Camden Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Charlene Mires

Project Title: The Encyclopedia of Greater Philadelphia

Project Description: Development of about 450 entries for the Encyclopedia of Greater

*Philadelphia*, an online reference resource that focuses on the history and culture of the region, which encompasses the City of Philadelphia and portions of the states of Pennsylvania, New Jersey

and Delaware.

Rutgers University, Camden

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Susan Miller

Project Title: Young Defenders: Children and the Development of the American Civil Religion,

1876-1939

### **Montclair**

Montclair State University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Julian Brash

Project Title: Designing the High Line, New York City's Elevated Public Park

### Newark

Rutgers University, Newark Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: John Lynch

Project Title: The Shakespeare Phantom: The Lives of 18th-century Forger William Henry Ireland

### **NEW MEXICO (1) \$6,000**

### Las Vegas

New Mexico Highlands University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Donna Woodford-Gormley

Project Title: Caliban's Books: Adaptations of Shakespeare in Cuba

## NEW YORK (29) \$2,835,426

### Albany

SUNY Research Foundation, Albany Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Heinz-Dieter Meyer

Project Title: From Goettingen to Boston and Back: The German Influence on American

Universities

#### Annandale-on-Hudson

Bard College Outright: \$6,000 [Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Lianne Habinek

Project Title: Early Modern Literature and the Birth of Neuroscience

## **Buffalo**

SUNY Research Foundation, University at Buffalo Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Deborah Reed-Danahay Project Title: Pierre Bourdieu and Social Space

### Catskill

Greene County Historical Society, Thomas Cole Site Outright: \$30,000 [Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Planning] Matching: \$10,000

Project Director: Elizabeth Jacks

Project Title: Thomas Cole Historic Site Interpretation

Project Description: Planning for a multimedia reinterpretation of the Thomas Cole National Historic Site, the home and studio of the founder of the 19th-century Hudson River School of American landscape painting.

### **Elmira**

Elmira College Outright: \$31,133

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Corey McCall

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on the Value and Role of Art in Human Life Project Description: The development of a mid-level undergraduate course for students in nursing, business, and the sciences to explore the value and role of art in human life.

#### Geneva

Hobart and William Smith Colleges Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Matthew Kadane

Project Title: The Path to Enlightenment: The Life of Pentecost Barker (1690-1762)

#### Ithaca

**Cornell University** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Thomas Travers

Project Title: Indian Petitioning and the Making of the British Empire in South Asia, 1765-1800

#### **New York**

Lower East Side Tenement Museum Outright: \$300,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Annie Polland

Project Title: 103 Orchard Street Website

Project Description: Implementation of a web-based virtual tour and public programs at the Lower

East Side Tenement Museum that examine post-World War II immigration through the

experiences of three families that resided at 103 Orchard Street from the 1950s through the 1980s.

New York University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Kimberly Phillips-Fein

Project Title: The 1975 New York City Fiscal Crisis and the Rise of the Age of Austerity

Aquila Theatre Company Inc. Outright: \$80,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Peter Meineck

Project Title: Supplement to YouStories: Classics, Conversation, Connection

New York University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Aisha Khan

Project Title: Religion and the View from Caribbean Obeah and Hosay

Modern Language Association of America Outright: \$60,000

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Kathleen Fitzpatrick Project Title: Humanities CORE

Project Description: The development of software to connect the Commons-In-A-Box (CBOX) social network platform (which is the basis of MLA Commons) to a Fedora-based institutional repository system. This combined system would be called Humanities Commons, a social network and repository system that would be made available for use by other scholarly societies.

Center for Jewish History Outright: \$169,200

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Judith Siegel

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the Center for Jewish History

Project Description: 12 months of stipend support (1 fellowship) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

American Numismatic Society Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Andrew Meadows

Project Title: Online Coins of the Roman Empire

Project Description: Cataloging and digitization of approximately 46,000 Roman Imperial coins in the society's collection, and creation of an online reference database describing Roman imperial coin types, with links to specimens in other major coin collections.

Tribeca Film Institute Outright: \$40,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Planning]

Project Director: Timothy Gunn

Project Title: Becoming American: A Film History of Our Immigration Experience

Project Description: Planning for a six-part public program of film screenings, lectures, and scholar-led discussions on the history and impact of immigration in the United States.

CUNY Research Foundation, Graduate School and University CenterOutright: \$29,965

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

Project Director: Matthew Gold

Project Title: The Social Paper: DH Start up Level 1

Project Description: Development of a free, open-source online writing tool that would allow scholars, students, and teachers to share and receive feedback on works-in-progress from colleagues and broader audiences. The tool would be incorporated into the Commons-In-A-Box software program, and would allow users to keep an online portfolio of their work.

CUNY Research Foundation, John Jay College Outright: \$22,000

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Outright: \$231,880

Matching: \$68,120

Outright: \$125,000

[Enduring Ouestions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Olivera Jokic

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on the Nature of Friendship

Project Description: The development of an undergraduate course on the concept of friendship in a

variety of cultures, viewed through literature, philosophy, and film.

New York Historical Society

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Henry Raine

Project Title: Access to the New-York Historical Society's American Historical Manuscripts

Collection

Project Description: The cataloging and conservation of 6,000 manuscript collections

documenting the history of New York City and the United States more generally, spanning the 17th

to 20th centuries.

New York Historical Society

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Valerie Paley

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the New-York Historical Society

Project Description: 10 months of stipend support (1 fellowship) per year for three years

and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Marlene Eidelheit

Project Title: The Barberini Tapestries: Woven Monuments of Baroque Rome

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition, a catalog, and programs examining tapestries produced in the 17th century by the private workshop in Rome founded by the Barberini.

the family of Pope Urban VIII.

Jewish Theological Seminary of America

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Naomi Steinberger

Project Title: Conservation and Digitization of the Cairo Genizah

Project Description: The conservation and digitization of 6,000 manuscript fragments from the

Library's Cairo Genizah collection.

Museum of the City of New York

Outright: \$181,103

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation] Matching: \$40,000

Project Director: Sarah Henry

Project Title: Jacob Riis and His Photographs: Revealing New York's "Other Half"

Project Description: Implementation of a museum exhibition and public programs about

photographer Jacob Riis (1849-1914).

Museum of the City of New York

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Lindsay Turley

Project Title: Illuminating New York City History: Processing, Cataloging, Digitizing, and

Rehousing the Museum's Ephemera Collections

Project Description: Assessment, processing, cataloging, digitization, and rehousing of the

Museum of the City of New York's 7,200-item Ephemera Collections documenting a wide range of

topics in the history of New York and the United States.

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Outright: \$6,000

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CUNY Research Foundation, Bernard Baruch College

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Keridiana Chez

Project Title: Pets and the Animal Protection Movement during the Victorian Age

Women Make Movies, Inc. Outright: \$301,625

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Laurie Coyle

Project Title: Adios Amor: The Search for Maria Moreno

Project Description: Production of a 60-minute documentary film and an interactive website exploring the role of Maria Moreno in the 20th-century U.S. migrant labor movement.

The City College of New York Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Molly Aitken-Zaidi

Project Title: The Connoisseurship of Longing and India's Mughal Emperors during the 16th and

17th Centuries

### **Rochester**

Rochester Institute of Technology Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Rebecca Scales

Project Title: Politics and Understanding Disability in France, 1900-1950

### **Stony Brook**

SUNY Research Foundation, Stony Brook Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Lawrence Frohman

Project Title: Surveillance, Privacy and the Politics of Personal Information in West Germany,

1960-1990

### **Syracuse**

Syracuse University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Romita Ray

Project Title: The Visual Cultures of Tea Consumption in Imperial and Modern India

# NORTH CAROLINA (5) \$355,955

### **Chapel Hill**

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill Outright: \$240,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Hannah Gill

Project Title: New Roots: Improving Global Access of Latino Oral Histories

Project Description: Enhancement of public access to a collection of 175 oral histories documenting the migration and settlement of Latinos in the southern United States, particularly North Carolina, from the 1980s to the present.

#### **Durham**

Duke University Center for Documentary Studies Outright: \$55,000

[Media Projects Development]

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Outright: \$32,955

Project Director: John Biewen

Project Title: Contested: Sports and Society

Project Description: Development of a multipart radio series exploring the social and cultural

dynamics of athletics in America.

North Carolina Central University

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]
Project Director: Camille Passalacqua

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Narratives of Survival and Healing Project Description: The development of an upper-level undergraduate course focused on literary and historical perspectives on the challenges of trauma, survival, and healing.

## **High Point**

High Point College Outright: \$22,000

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Amy MacArthur

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Conceptions of Conscience in Western

Philosophy, Religion and History

Project Description: The development of an upper-level undergraduate course on various religious,

philosophical, and historical conceptions of conscience.

### Wilmington

University of North Carolina, Wilmington Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Tim Palmer

Project Title: A Liberated Cinema: Reconstituting the Postwar French Film State, 1946-1958

## OHIO (5) \$186,488

#### **Athens**

Ohio University, Athens Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Brian Schoen

Project Title: American Interregnum: Statecraft, Slavery and Secession in the U.S. Civil War Era

### Cleveland

Cleveland State University Outright: \$59,494

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: J. Mark Souther

Project Title: Curating Kisumu: Adapting Mobile Humanities Interpretation in East Africa

Project Description: A collaborative venture between Cleveland State University's Center for Public

History + Digital Humanities and Maseno University in Kenya to explore how to use the

Curatescape mobile framework, which allows for mobile interpretation of historical and cultural

sites, in Kenya.

#### Oxford

Miami University, Oxford Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Andrew Casper

Project Title: The Shroud of Turin as Art, Icon, and Relic in Early Modern Italy

Miami University, Oxford Outright: \$59,994

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants]

Project Director: Ann Armstrong

Project Title: Orientation for the Mississippi Freedom Project: An Interactive Quest for Social

Justice

Project Description: Development of a prototype for a location-based game centered on historical events surrounding orientation sessions at Western College for Women in preparation for the Mississippi Summer Project, in which students trained for civil rights activism in Mississippi in June 1964.

## **Yellow Springs**

**Community Media Productions** Outright: \$55,000

[Media Projects Development] Project Director: Julia Reichert Project Title: The 9to5 Project

Project Description: Development of a 60-minute documentary on the movement to organize

women office workers during the 1970s and 1980s.

## OKLAHOMA (4) \$58,000

#### Norman

University of Oklahoma, Norman Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Sherri Irvin

Project Title: Immaterial: A Philosophy of Contemporary Art

University of Oklahoma, Norman Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Jennifer Saltzstein

Project Title: Medieval Learning and Vernacular Music: The Songs of the Cleric-Trouvères

### Tulsa

University of Tulsa Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Randall Fuller

Project Title: When Darwin Came To America: The Influence of On the Origin of Species

before the Civil War

Gilcrease Museum Management Trust Outright: \$40,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Planning]

Project Director: Eric Singleton

Project Title: The Spiro Mounds Exhibit

Project Description: Planning for a traveling exhibition about Spiro Mounds, a major Mississippian

archaeological site in Oklahoma significantly looted in the 1930s.

### OREGON (4) \$40,000

### **Eugene**

University of Oregon, Eugene Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Maram Epstein

Project Title: Orthodox Passions: Filial Piety in Eighteenth-Century China

### **McMinnville**

Linfield College Outright: \$22,000

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Nicholas Buccola

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Concepts of Freedom in Philosophy, Law,

Literature, and Theology

Project Description: The development of an elective undergraduate course on ideas about freedom spanning Greek philosophy and early Christian theology to American thought and modern

literature.

#### **Portland**

Reed College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Sarah Wagner-McCoy

Project Title: The Complete Short Stories of Charles W. Chesnutt, First Major African American

**Fiction Writer** 

University of Portland Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Blair Woodard

Project Title: Visual Culture and U.S.-Cuban Relations, 1945-2010

### PENNSYLVANIA (19) \$1,671,952

### **Bethlehem**

Moravian College Outright: \$32,256

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Bernardo Cantens

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Diverse Concepts of Peace

Project Description: The development of an upper-level undergraduate course on the meaning of peace in diverse cultural and historical settings and on the conditions under which peace might be

obtained.

## **Bryn Mawr**

Bryn Mawr College Outright: \$39,650

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Jennifer Redmond

Project Title: History of Women's Education Open Access Portal Project

Project Description: A Foundations-level project to plan and conduct pilot work for an online portal to archival sources pertaining to the history of women's higher education in the United

States.

# Gettysburg

Gettysburg College Outright: \$200,000

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Preservation]

Project Director: Jonathan Amith

Project Title: A Biological Approach to Documenting Traditional Ecological Knowledge in

Synchronic and Diachronic Perspectives

Project Description: Fieldwork and comparative research in five Nahuat and two Totonac communities in Mexico to include nomenclature, classification, and use of plants in language documentation tools. The project would create recordings to document traditional ethnobotanical knowledge as well as employ DNA barcoding technology to facilitate plant identification.

Haverford

Haverford College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Brook Lillehaugen

Project Title: A Linguistic Analysis and Translation of the Zapotec Text in Arte en lengua zapoteca

Lancaster

Franklin and Marshall College Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Karen Leistra-Jones

Project Title: Curating the Musical Museum: The Brahms Circle and Modern Performance

Franklin and Marshall College Outright: \$38,000

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Lee Franklin

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on the Examined Life

Project Description: The development of a first-semester interdisciplinary seminar on the

examined life.

**Philadelphia** 

St. Joseph's University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Jason Powell

Project Title: Volume 2 of the Complete Works of Thomas Wyatt the Elder (1504-42)

University of Pennsylvania Outright: \$230,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

**Project Director: Nancy Shawcross** 

Project Title: Providing Global Access to Penn's Indic Manuscripts, circa 1527-1930 Project Description: The cataloging and digitization of 2,850 South and Southeast Asian

manuscripts dating from the 16th to the 20th centuries from the University of Pennsylvania's Rare Books and Manuscripts Library to enable free online access.

University of Pennsylvania Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Carol Ransom

Project Title: The New Schoenberg Database of Manuscripts: A Research Tool for Tracking the

Current and Historic Locations of Manuscripts

Project Description: Development of an online collaborative catalog for researching the historic

and current locations of manuscript books produced before 1600.

Philadelphia Area Center for History of Science Outright: \$121,800

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Babak Ashrafi

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the Philadelphia Area Center for History

of Science

Project Description: 8 months of fellowship stipends (1 fellowship) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

Temple University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Adele Nelson

Project Title: The Emergence of Abstract Art in Postwar Brazil

Philadelphia Museum of Art

Outright: \$300,000

Outright: \$119,904

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$50,400

Outright: \$28,350

Outright: \$119,622

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Mark Mitchell

Project Title: Inventing American Still Life, 1800-1960

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition, a catalog, and programs about the

development of American still life painting.

Philadelphia Museum of Art

Outright: \$40,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Susan Anderson

Project Title: Building a Duchamp Research Portal at the Philadelphia Museum of Art

Project Description: A planning grant for the development of an online research portal for digitized

archival materials created by or related to the artist Marcel Duchamp.

Community College of Philadelphia

[Bridging Cultures Community College RFP]

Project Director: Lakshmi Gudipati

Project Title: South Asia: An NEH Bridging Cultures Project

Project Description: A partnership between the Community College of Philadelphia and the

University of Pennsylvania's South Asia Center to conduct a two-year Bridging Cultures faculty and

curriculum development project on cultural divides and diversity in India.

Unaffiliated Independent Scholar

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: John Ghazvinian

Project Title: Iran and America since 1600

American Philological Association

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Anthony Corbeill

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships in Germany at the Thesaurus Linguae Latinae

sponsored by the American Philological Association

Project Description: 2 months of fellowship stipends (1 fellowship) for one year.

**Pittsburgh** 

University of Pittsburgh

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Patrick Manning

Project Title: World-Historical Gazetteer

Project Description: A two-day workshop in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and follow-up activities for geographers, historians, and information scientists to consider how a world-historical gazetteer might be created that combines earlier work in regional and historical place name databases.

University of Pittsburgh

[Bridging Cultures Community College RFP]

Project Director: Robert Hayden

Project Title: East European Studies in America: An NEH Bridging Cultures Project

Project Description: A partnership between the Community College of Beaver County and the University of Pittsburgh's Center for Russian and East European Studies to conduct a multi-year Bridging Cultures faculty and curriculum development project on change and adaptation in East European culture and its impact on western Pennsylvania history.

#### **West Chester**

West Chester University Outright: \$21,970

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants] Project Director: Margarete Landwehr

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Cultural and Scientific Understandings of

**Empathy** 

Project Description: The development of an undergraduate course the examine empathy as expressed in Eastern and Western philosophy and religion, evolutionary biology, psychology, and the arts.

## **PUERTO RICO (1) \$220,000**

#### **Rio Piedras**

University of Puerto Rico, Rio Piedras Outright: \$220,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Flavia Marichal-Lugo

Project Title: Digitizing the Puerto Rican Poster Collection of the Museum of History,

Anthropology and Art at the University of Puerto Rico

Project Description: Cataloging and digitization of 4,000 art posters dating from the 20th and 21st

centuries that illuminate many aspects of Puerto Rico's social, political, and cultural life.

## **SOUTH CAROLINA (3) \$385,024**

### Columbia

University of South Carolina, Columbia Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Patrick SCOTT

Project Title: John Wilson, Robert Burns, and Printing 18th-Century Ayrshire, Scotland

University of South Carolina, Columbia Outright: \$84,870

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Henry Fulmer

Project Title: Plants and Planter: Henry William Ravenel and the Convergence of Science and

Agriculture in the Nineteenth-Century South

Project Description: The digitization and reunification of over 6,200 plant specimens and nearly 5,000 pages of documents collected or created by South Carolinian naturalist Henry William Ravenel (1814-1887). The resulting digital collection will allow full-text searching and browsing by subject heading for archival materials and provide a map to browse the locations where botanical specimens were collected.

## **Spartanburg**

ETV Endowment of South Carolina Outright: \$294,154

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Betsy Newman

Project Title: Between the Waters: Hobcaw Barony Website Project

Project Description: Implementation of a website, an interactive virtual tour, and supporting programs interpreting the natural and social history of Hobcaw Barony, the South Carolina estate of Bernard Baruch.

### **TENNESSEE (1) \$50,400**

### Knoxville

University of Tennessee, Knoxville Outright: \$50,400

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Fellowships]

Project Director: Jeffrey Davis

Project Title: Plains Indian Sign Language Digital Corpus Linguistics Project

### TEXAS (7) \$85,096

### **Austin**

University of Texas, Austin Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Deborah Beck

Project Title: Similes in Vergil's Aeneid

University of Texas, Austin Outright: \$54,096

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Adam Rabinowitz

Project Title: Periods, Organized (PeriodO): A gazetteer of period assertions for linking and

visualizing periodized data

Project Description: The development of a gazetteer that incorporates different scholarly

definitions of historical and archaeological periods.

#### **Belton**

Bell County Museum Outright: \$1,000

[NEH on the Road]

Project Director: Stephanie Turnham

Project Title: NEH on the Road: Our Lives, Our Stories

### **Dallas**

Southern Methodist University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Timothy Cassedy

Project Title: Language Makes the Difference: A History of Linguistic Identity, 1775-1825

## Houston

University of Houston Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Emran El-Badawi

Project Title: Before Shariah: Near Eastern Law and Authority in the Long Seventh Century,

570-705 CE

#### San Antonio

St. Mary's University of San Antonio Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Aaron Moreno

Project Title: The Mozarab and Greek Christians of Castile and Sicily, ca. 1100-1500

#### San Marcos

Texas State University - San Marcos Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$1,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Rebecca Raphael

Project Title: Physical Representation and Disability in the Dead Sea Scrolls

## UTAH (1) \$1,000

### **Park City**

Park City Historical Society and Museum

[NEH on the Road]

Project Director: Sandra Morrison

Project Title: NEH on the Road: Wild Land

## **VERMONT (1) \$21,886**

# **Middlebury**

Middlebury College Outright: \$21,886

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Timothy Billings

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on Problems of Translation

Project Description: The development of an undergraduate course highlighting historical and cultural issues related to the translation of texts from one language to another.

### VIRGINIA (7) \$766,351

### Charlottesville

Thomas Jefferson Foundation, Inc. Outright: \$300,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Jillian Galle

Project Title: Beyond the Mansion 2.0: Completing a Digital Archive for Thirty Years of

Archaeological Research at The Hermitage

Project Description: Cataloging and digitization of 365,000 artifacts from Andrew Jackson's home, The Hermitage, located near Nashville, Tennessee, that document socio-cultural relations between the owners and the enslaved population from the late 18th century through emancipation.

Outright: \$6,000 University of Virginia

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Jennifer Petersen

Project Title: How Machines Came to Speak: Media Technologies and the First Amendment

University of Virginia Outright: \$176,151

[Media Projects Production]

Project Director: Andrew Wyndham

Project Title: BackStory with the American History Guys: Finding the American Way (series) Project Description: Production of 22 new one-hour radio programs and podcasts along with educational components for teachers on a series of three historical themes over a two-year period.

### **Richmond**

University of Richmond Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] Project Director: Lia Cobb Project Title: Discourses of Pain and Painlessness in Texts by Early Christian Martyrs

Library of Virginia Foundation Outright: \$100,000

[Museums, Libraries, and Cultural Organizations Implementation]

Project Director: Barbara Batson

Project Title: To Be Sold: Virginia and the American Slave Trade

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling and an online exhibition, educational workshops, and a one-day symposium examining the American domestic slave trade through the paintings and engravings of British artist Eyre Crowe (1824-1901).

### **Sweet Briar**

**Sweet Briar College** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Deborah Durham

Project Title: The Elusive Idea of Adulthood in Botswana

## Williamsburg

Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture Outright: \$172,200

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Karin Wulf

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the Omohundro Institute of Early

American History and Culture

Project Description: 12 months of stipend support (1 fellowship) per year for three years

and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

### WEST VIRGINIA (2) \$65,973

## Morgantown

West Virginia University Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Director: Kimberly Welch

Project Title: Black Litigants: Rethinking Race and Power in the American South, 1820-1860

West Virginia University Research Corporation Outright: \$59,973

[Digital Humanities Start-Up Grants] Project Director: Charles Baldwin

Project Title: A Search Engine for Electronic Literature

Project Description: Development of a search interface and implementation of shared metadata standards that would join the databases for nine international research centers in electronic

literature, allowing researchers to cross-search the complete archives.

### WISCONSIN (1) \$22,000

#### **Green Bay**

University of Wisconsin, Green Bay Outright: \$22,000

[Enduring Questions: Pilot Course Grants]

Project Director: Alison Staudinger

Project Title: NEH Enduring Questions Course on the Role of Work in Human Life

Project Description: The development of a first-year seminar on the changing nature of work throughout history, with consideration of its economic, political, and personal importance.

### NON - U.S.A. (2) \$397,400

### Jerusalem

W. F. Albright Institute of Archaeological Research Outright: \$197,400

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

**Project Director: Matthew Adams** 

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships in Israel at the W.F. Albright Institute of

Archaeological Research in Jerusalem

Project Description: 14 months of stipend support (1 to 3 fellowships) per year for three

vears and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of funds.

## **Toronto, Ontario**

University of Toronto Outright: \$100,000 [Humanities Collections and Reference Resources] Matching: \$100,000

Project Director: Antonette Healey

Project Title: *Dictionary of Old English* [DOE]

Project Description: The preparation of entries for the *Dictionary of Old English*, a historical

dictionary based on the entire extant corpus of Old English texts written between 650 and 1150 C.E.