

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR GUAM

Grants to Guam Organizations and Individuals from Fiscal Years 2019 through 2023 – \$3,466,809

Total Number of Awards – 8

Award Highlights:

- Funding through NEH's new Pacific Islands Cultural Initiative supported the digitization of educational and cultural resources to preserve Indigenous Chamorro and broader Micronesian perspectives, experiences, and scholarship and make them widely accessible.
- NEH offered emergency relief funding to cultural and educational institutions affected by Typhoon Mawar and Tropical Storm Bolaven to support response and recovery activities.

NEH also provides annual funding to <u>Humanities Guåhan</u>, the designated humanities council in the territory, to support a wide array of public programming.

Recent Humanities Guåhan Highlights:

- Reimagining Guåhan: Social Justice through a Humanities Lens engages the community about the meaning of equality and democracy by exploring a range of important social justice issues to reimagine a Guåhan that is more just, inclusive, and sustainable.
- A Community Grant supported the University of Guam Philosophy Department's Our Island, Our Future project, which held two philosophy camps for Guam youth, ages 8-18. Through structured games and activities, participants engage in dialogue about the human experience and how to live a meaningful, ethical, just, and healthy life within the unique and evolving context of Guam.

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