



NATIONAL
ENDOWMENT
FOR THE
HUMANITIES

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR FLORIDA

**Grants to Florida Organizations and Individuals in 2022,
including from the *American Rescue Plan* – \$6,829,190**

Number of Grantees – 38

Recent Project Highlights:

- Researchers at the University of Central Florida are using an NEH grant to develop MemoryScan, 3D virtual-reality technology that creates a “digital twin” of a specific location. This grant will be used to recreate, using memories of former residents, a one-mile stretch of Cocoa Beach as it looked during the height of the space race at nearby Cape Canaveral.
- Edward Gray, professor at Florida State University, received a grant to write *Benjamin Franklin’s Money: A Financial Life of the First American*. This book recognizes the role that Benjamin Franklin played in the development of American finance and our free enterprise system.

NEH also provides annual funding to [Florida Humanities](#), the designated humanities council in the state, to support a wide array of public programming.

Recent Florida Humanities Highlights:

- Awarded a grant to the Egmont Key Alliance for its project “Uncovering Egmont Key’s Hidden History: A Digital Storytelling Experience.” This touchscreen experience will bring to life the history of Egmont Key State Park.
- Launched a multi-year civic engagement initiative, “Democracy Reignited,” to promote a deeper understanding of American history and culture through conversation-based programs.

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