

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

### **IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR NEVADA**

## Grants to Nevada Organizations and Individuals in 2022, including from the *American Rescue Plan* – \$1,850,059

#### Number of Grantees - 7

#### **Recent Project Highlights:**

- The Marjorie Barrick Museum of Art received a grant for an in-depth assessment of the museum's preservation capabilities and the improvements necessary for its collection storage. This is the only art museum in Las Vegas and Southern Nevada and one of the few free cultural facilities in the area.
- Dr. Jenna Hanchey, from the University of Nevada, received a grant to complete the manuscript of her book, *Africanfuturism: Decolonial Dreamwork and Developmental Rebellion*. The book examines how Africans envision and narrate their own future outside of Western views and ideals.

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

#### **Recent Nevada Humanities Highlights:**

- As part of a broader program on civic engagement, the council hosted an event on Native American voting rights in Nevada. Several Indigenous leaders engaged in conversation about barriers Indigenous people face and what issues matter the most to them.
- As a part of NEH's initiative, "A More Perfect Union," the council hosted panel conversations and other events across the state to understand the connections between the humanities and the untold stories of Nevada communities.

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