



NATIONAL
ENDOWMENT
FOR THE
HUMANITIES

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Grants to Virgin Island Organizations and Individuals in 2022, including from the *American Rescue Plan* – \$475,247

Recent Project Highlight:

- The University of the Virgin Islands received a Digital Humanities Advancement grant from NEH to support “Community Conversations: A Digitized Cultural Preservation Project in the United States Virgin Islands.” This project will train University students in the best practices of oral history research, collection, and preservation while capturing the rich history, languages, and cultures of the Virgin Islands.

NEH also provides annual funding to the [Community Foundation of the Virgin Islands](#), the interim partner humanities council in the jurisdiction, to support a wide array of public programming.

Recent Community Foundation of the Virgin Islands Highlights:

- The Community Foundation of the Virgin Islands will subaward \$50,000 to a project titled Understanding the Importance of Culture and Community in the U.S. Virgin Islands. This amount will be given to one grantee for a public humanities-based program that explores how to protect, preserve, and enhance the cultural community within the Virgin Islands.
- Through the Council, the 2022 Mid-Atlantic Teaching Artists Virtual Retreat brought together arts education professionals from across the mid-Atlantic region to build and strengthen a regional network of highly qualified teaching artists. The retreat was intended for teaching artists of all experience levels working in school and community settings.

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