

OFFICE OF COMMUNICATIONS

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES Chairman's Grants, January-March 2020

CALIFORNIA

San Marino

Huntington Library Outright: \$19,936

[Chairman's Grants]

Project Director: Karla Nielsen

Project Title: Processing and Cataloging the Dana Gioia Literary Papers
Project Description: Processing and cataloging the literary papers and
correspondence of Dana Gioia, internationally acclaimed poet and writer, former
California Poet Laureate, and former Chairman of the National Endowment for the
Arts. This project will enable the library to make Gioia's archive, which includes
correspondence with other eminent poets as well as materials that reflect Gioia's
work as an advocate for poetry and the arts, discoverable online and available to
researchers.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington

Supreme Court Historical Society Outright: \$30,000

[Chairman's Grant]

Project Director: Martha J. Meehan-Cohen

Project Title: Advancing Civic Education and Commemorating the Nation's 250th

Anniversary

Project Description: Creation of new content for the Supreme Court Historical Society's Landmark Cases website, a civics education tool used nationwide by secondary school educators and their students. The funding will support the development of thirty-two new curricular items and fifty-five new teaching activities for eleven landmark Supreme Court cases.

MARYLAND

College Park

University of Maryland, College Park Outright: \$30,000

[Chairman's Grant]

Project Director: Eyda Merediz

Project Title: The Shared Language of Poetry: Mexico and the United States

Project Description: A literary symposium and related publications that explore the literary and cultural connections between Mexico and the United States. The project

is a collaboration of the Department of Spanish and Portuguese at the University of Maryland, the Department of Spanish and Portuguese at Georgetown University, and the Mexican Cultural Institute of Washington, D.C.

PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia

Museum of the American Revolution Outright: \$30,000

[Chairman's Grant]

Project Director: R. Scott Stephenson

Project Title: A Growing Constellation: Flags and Founding Documents, 1776-2020

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition, A Growing

Constellation: Flags and Founding Documents, 1776-2020, that tells the story of the founding and geographical and political growth of the United States and the ideals of American "liberal democracy" through a chronological display of forty antique American flags and textiles and forty original founding documents and books from the Dorothy Tapper Goldman Collection, including a rare first printing of the U.S. Constitution and several early state constitutions.

SOUTH DAKOTA

Kyle

Oglala Lakota College Outright: \$28,516

[Chairman's Grant]

Project Director: Tawa Ducheneaux

Project Title: Preserving and Perpetuating Lakota Voices

Project Description: Digital preservation of the unique audio and video collections held in Oglala Lakota College's Woksape Tipi Archives and Tribal Repository, which document the tribe's history and culture. The funding will support the purchase of equipment needed to digitize the recordings for preservation purposes and to increase access to these materials.

WASHINGTON

Vancouver

Native Arts and Cultures Foundation Outright: \$30,000

[Chairman's Grant]

Project Director: T. Lulani Arquette

Project Title: Native Arts and Culture: Resilience, Reclamation, and Relevance Project Description: A convening on "Native Arts and Culture: Resilience, Reclamation, and Relevance" co-hosted with the National Endowment for the Arts in Washington, D.C., to highlight best practices in creating, curating, researching, and resourcing Native American, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian arts, humanities, and cultural heritage.