

# NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES **GRANT AWARDS AND OFFERS, APRIL 2023**

## ALABAMA (1) \$312,177

# **Montgomery**

Alabama State University Outright: \$312,177

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Raegan Stearns

Project Title: Enhancing Access to Alabama's Black Political and Educational History Project Description: Processing 125 linear feet of historical records and creating two finding aids for the Alabama State Teachers Association and the Alabama Democratic Conference collections. The project would also send 30 boxes to the Conservation Center

for Art & Historic Artifacts (CCAHA) for mold remediation.

## ALASKA (1) \$339,994

### Chickaloon

Chickaloon Native Village Outright: \$339,994

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Selena Ortega-Chiolero

Project Title: Chickaloon Native Village We Are Making Connections

Project Description: The development of a digital, online archive preserving the cultural and historical heritage of the Chickaloon Native Village, whose ancestral territory spans

Outright: \$349,895

Outright: \$6,000

the Upper Cook Inlet of southcentral Alaska and Canada.

## ARIZONA (2) \$355,895

# **Tempe**

Arizona State University

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Andrea Torvinen

Project Title: Digital Reference Collection for La Quemada-Malpaso Valley

**Archaeological Project** 

Project Description: Providing digital access to approximately 4,000 resources resulting from the archaeological fieldwork at La Quemada, located in the Malpaso Valley in Zacatecas, Mexico. The materials include notebooks, field reports, published findings, and maps, as well as datasets and images of the site's features, architecture, excavations, and artifacts.

Lorena Cuva-Gavilano

[Summer Stipends]

Arizona State University

Project Title: Affective Economies of Migration: Chinese-Peruvian Bonds of Love and

Friendship

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book about Chinese indentured workers and their descendants and their relationships with Indigenous and Afro-Peruvian workers in Peru during the nineteenth and twentieth centuries.

## CALIFORNIA (19) \$1,688,275

## **Berkeley**

**Catticus Corporation** Outright: \$75,000

[Media Projects Development] Project Director: Edward Gray **Project Title: One More Mission** 

Project Description: Development of a one-hour documentary about Vietnam Veterans

Against the War.

Jordan Reznick Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Project Title: Landing the Camera: Indigenous Ecologies and Photographic Technologies

in the West

Project Description: Research for a book reinterpreting nineteenth-century landscape

photography of the American West from Indigenous perspectives.

Regents of the University of California, Berkeley Outright: \$280,883

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Charles Faulhaber

Project Title: PhiloBiblon: From Siloed Databases to Linked Open Data via Wikibase Project Description: A project to migrate PhiloBiblon's four siloed databases of medieval Iberian primary source texts to a Wikibase data model for greater access to resources and

documentation.

## Claremont

Alfred Flores Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Harvey Mudd College

Project Title: Transoceanic Micronesians: CHamoru and Marshallese Diaspora in

Southern California

Project Description: Research leading to a book about the experiences of the CHamoru

and the Marshallese who migrated to Southern California since the 1960s.

Outright: \$6,000 Joanne Nucho

[Summer Stipends]

Pomona College

Project Title: Decentralization, Climate Change, and the Future of Energy in Rural

America

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on how the rise of localized energy grids fueled by sustainable energy sources is disenfranchising rural communities

in California.

Julie Tannenbaum Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Pomona College

Project Title: Rethinking Consent and Responsibility for Unwanted Sex

Project Description: Research and writing one chapter of a book in practical ethics on the

moral responsibility of sexual interactions.

### **Davis**

**Tobias Warner** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of California, Davis

Project Title: The Defiant Girl and the Incomplete Gentleman: A Study of Adaptations and Collections of a Ubiquitous and Mutable African Narrative

Project Description: Research and writing of a book about the adaptations of the "defiant girl" folktale in Africa and the African diaspora in the modern period.

#### El Cerrito

Arhoolie Foundation Outright: \$50,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Clark Noone

Project Title: Arhoolie Foundation Core Collections Readiness Project

Project Description: The basic processing and creation of finding aids for seven core archival collections at the Arhoolie Foundation, as well as reports outlining the selection of digital asset management and preservation systems and the identification of items in the collection needing digitization and further processing.

## Hayward

California State University East Bay Foundation Outright: \$24,909

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Antonio Roman-Alcala

Project Title: Growing, Learning, and Archiving: Leveraging Underrepresented Histories of Food and Farming for CSU East Bay Students and Faculty

Project Description: A 12-month speaker series and student-research program on untold histories of food and farming in California's East Bay area.

### La Jolla

Ivano Caponigro Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of California, San Diego

Project Title: Richard Montague: The Simplicity of Language, the Complexity of Life Project Description: Research and writing one chapter for an intellectual biography of the American philosopher and linguist Richard Montague (1930–1971).

# **Los Angeles**

Museum Associates Outright: \$400,000

[Exhibitions: Implementation] Project Director: Diana Magaloni

Project Title: Beyond the Image: Mesoamerican Color

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition on the role and practice of polychromy in Mesoamerican art from ancient cultures to contemporary Indigenous

communities, including a catalog and online resources.

### Moraga

Saint Mary's College of California

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Costanza Dopfel; Valerie Burke (co-project director); Wan-Yi Chu (co-

Outright: \$35,000

project director)

Project Title: Interdisciplinary Art Conservation Minor

Project Description: A one-year project to establish a minor in art conservation.

Saint Mary's College of California Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Sunayani Bhattacharya

Outright: \$334,315

Outright: \$245,420

Project Title: Creating a Faculty Learning Community in the Humanities

Project Description: A two-year project for a faculty learning community to develop courses that integrate humanities study and professional skills.

## **Redlands**

University of Redlands Outright: \$59,748

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Heather King

Project Title: Sowing the Humanities: Mapping Curricular Innovation and Collaboration

with Octavia Butler's Parable of the Sower

Project Description: A two-year project that brings together the campus and surrounding community (including the community college and two high schools) in reading Octavia

Butler's Parable of the Sower.

## San Diego

San Diego Air and Space Museum

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Katrina Pescador

Project Title: Great Explorations: Increasing Online Access to Our Aerospace Heritage Project Description: The cataloging, rehousing, and digitization of 120,000 image negatives from the Convair collection, which documents aerospace projects and workers from 1923 to 1996, as well as the updating of the collection's related finding aid.

Sureshi Jayawardene Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

San Diego State University

Project Title: 'We are Ceylon Africans!': Africana Culture, Politics, and Identity in Sri

Lanka

Project Description: Research and writing for a historical and ethnographic study of the

Ceylon African community in Sri Lanka.

### Santa Barbara

Martha Sprigge Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of California, Santa Barbara

Project Title: Musical Widowhood and the Gendered Labor of Mourning in Postwar

Germany

Project Description: Research leading to a book about German art music after World War II, with a focus on mourning practices and the role played by composers' spouses in posthumously organizing musical archives and establishing legacies.

## Santa Cruz

University of California, Santa Cruz Outright: \$75,000

[Exhibitions: Planning]

Project Director: Kathleen Gutierrez

Project Title: Sowing Seeds: Filipino American Stories from the Pajaro Valley

Project Description: Planning for a traveling exhibition that documents the history of the

Filipino American community in California.

## Stanford

Leland Stanford Junior University

[Media Projects Production]

**Project Director: Ray Briggs** 

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Project Title: Wise Women: A Philosophy Talk Series on Female Philosophers Through

the Ages

Project Description: Production of 16 episodes of the radio and podcast series

"Philosophy Talk," about women in philosophy from antiquity to the twentieth century.

# COLORADO (6) \$833,887

### **Boulder**

Natalie Mendoza Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Colorado, Boulder

Project Title: Good Neighbor at Home: Mexican Americans' Bid for Political

Empowerment in the World War II Era, 1930s-1940s

Project Description: Writing a book on Mexican Americans' efforts to advance civil rights

during the World War II era by leveraging U.S. geopolitical aims.

## **Colorado Springs**

Najnin Islam Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Colorado College

Project Title: Recasting the Coolie: Racial Capitalism, Caste, and Indian Indentureship in

the Caribbean

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a literary and historical account of Indian indentured laborers in the British Caribbean from the nineteenth century to today.

#### **Denver**

Hilary Smith Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Denver

Project Title: Nutritional Imperialism: A China-Centered History of Modern Dietary

Knowledge

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the role of Western nutrition science in China from the early twentieth century to the present, and the alternatives offered by Chinese traditions.

Michael Gibson-Light Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Denver

Project Title: Organizing the Convicted Class: The Historical Struggle to Reclassify Penal

Outright: \$309,887

Labor on the Eve of Mass Incarceration, 1967–1979

Project Description: Research leading to a monograph on the history of the Prisoners Union, the largest union ever to represent the incarcerated population in the United

States.

State Historical Society of Colorado

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Noel Black

Project Title: Lost Highways Podcast, Season 5

Project Description: Production of eight episodes of the Lost Highways podcast on

Colorado and Western history.

### **Fort Collins**

Colorado State University Match: \$500,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Michael Carolan

Project Title: Humanities in Practice: The Center for Engaged Humanities

Project Description: Renovations in Colorado State University's Andrew G. Clark building for the construction of a new Center for Engaged Humanities in Fort Collins,

Colorado.

## **CONNECTICUT (3) \$72,000**

#### **New Britain**

Connecticut State University System Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Leah Glaser

Project Title: Finding Your Place: Teaching the History of People of Color in Connecticut

Project Description: A two-year project creating curriculum and resources for K-12

educators on communities of color in Connecticut.

## Storrs

Yohei Igarashi Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Connecticut

Project Title: Word Count: Literature and Data Analysis, 1875–1965

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the early history of academic literary computing and the role of data in American literary analysis from the late nineteenth century to the 1960s.

## **West Hartford**

Ayelet Brinn Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Hartford

Project Title: Censorship and the Transformation of American Jewish Culture, 1917–1925 Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the impact of World War I-era U.S. government censorship on the Yiddish press.

## **DELAWARE (2) \$77,880**

### Newark

Deborah Steinberger Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Delaware

Project Title: Women's Stories from Le Mercure Galant: A Critical Translation of Four

Seventeenth-Century Nouvelles

Project Description: Research and writing leading to the translation of four early modern French periodical stories from *Le Mercure Galant* and the development of a translation apparatus for an anthology.

# Winterthur

Henry Francis du Pont Winterthur Museum, Inc. Outright: \$71,880

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Catharine Roeber

Project Title: Long Term Research Fellowships at the Winterthur Museum, Garden & Library

Outright: \$148,340

Outright: \$98,609

Outright: \$34,810

Project Description: Four months of stipend support (one fellowship) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

# DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA (2) \$548,340

## Washington

American Geophysical Union

[Archaeological and Ethnographic Field Research]

Project Director: Aixa Aleman-Diaz

Project Title: How Ethnography Reveals the Human Story of Unusual Geological

**Encounters: Lessons from Puerto Rico** 

Project Description: An ethnographic study of how residents of the Puerto Rican archipelago's southwest have experienced, understood, and reframed meaning in

response to unusual geologic features and disruptive natural events.

Outright: \$400,000 National Building Museum

[Exhibitions: Implementation] Project Director: Cathy Frankel **Project Title: Building Stories** 

Project Description: Implementation of a long-term exhibition exploring the built environments in children's books and how those worlds lay the foundations for

understanding our surroundings.

## FLORIDA (4) \$889,419

## **Daytona Beach**

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University

[Dialogues on the Experience of War]

Project Director: Elisabeth Murray: Harry Brodeen (co-project director): Claudia

Cornejo-Happel (co-project director); David Keck (co-project director)

Project Title: U.S. Military and Genocide: Perpetration, Liberation, Witness, and

Prevention

Project Description: A 12-month program resulting in the creation of an ROTC course and a public discussion series dealing with case studies of the U.S. military's involvement with genocide, preceded by a preparatory program for discussion leaders.

#### Gainesville

Michael Gorham Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Florida

Project Title: Networking Putinism: The Rhetoric of Power in the Age of New Media

**Technology** 

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a monograph on political authority and the struggle to develop, maintain, and monitor new media in Russia during the Vladimir Putin era.

### Tampa

University of South Florida

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: William Schanbacher

Project Title: Urban Food Sovereignty in the Humanities and Beyond

Project Description: A one-year project for collaboration between faculty, students, and community members on the design of new courses and experiential learning activities

related to food studies.

**Winter Park** 

Rollins College Match: \$750,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Ed Kania

Project Title: Rollins Museum of Art New Facility Construction

Project Description: Construction of a new building for the Rollins Museum of Art in

Winter Park, Florida.

# GEORGIA (5) \$160,912

### Atlanta

Clark Atlanta University Outright: \$25,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Margaret Holloway

Project Title: Enhancing the Digital Humanities in English and Modern Languages Project Description: A one-year project to develop a new sophomore year course in the digital humanities.

Molly Bassett Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Georgia State University Research Foundation, Inc.

Project Title: Unwrapping the Bundle in Mexica-Aztec Religion

Project Description: Preparation of a book-length study on ancient practices that were part of the Mexica-Aztec religion.

#### **Decatur**

Agnes Scott College Outright: \$34,971

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Harald Thorsrud; Carlee Bishop (co-project director); Lara Denis (co-

project director); James Wiseman (co-project director)

Project Title: Exploring the Ethics of the Digital Transformation

Project Description: A one-year project to plan a new minor in humanities and data, incorporating content from philosophy and data science.

## Savannah

Savannah State University Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Margaret Cox

Project Title: Conversations in Literature and Culture

Project Description: A one-year student internship to produce a podcast series about

literature.

### Waleska

Reinhardt University Outright: \$34,941

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Donna Little

Project Title: Project HERE: Humanities and Environmental Studies

Project Description: A one-year initiative for interdisciplinary faculty collaboration, community partnerships, and curricular development for a place-based environmental

studies minor

### HAWAII (1) \$299,517

### Kaneohe

**Hula Preservation Society** Outright: \$299,517

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Maile Loo

Project Title: Hoʻolālā Ulu, Growing Indigenous Hawaiian Knowledge Access

Project Description: The creation of an Indigenous-centered controlled vocabulary to enhance the description of video oral histories with Native Hawaiian elders. The project would also produce guidelines for developing Indigenous-centered subject headings and preferred terms.

## IDAHO (2) \$30,628

## Caldwell

Outright: \$24,628 College of Idaho

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Rachel Miller

Project Title: Voices of the Treasure Valley

Project Description: Collaboration between faculty, students, and community members on a one-vear project to design experiential learning activities related to the diversity of place.

Rachel Miller Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] College of Idaho

Project Title: Capital Entertainment: Stage Work and the Origins of the Creative

Economy, 1822-1916

Project Description: Research and writing of a history of the entertainment industry in the United States focusing on artisans, stage workers, and non-star performers during the nineteenth and early-twentieth centuries.

# ILLINOIS (10) \$1,693,306

### Chicago

Art Institute of Chicago Outright: \$40,000

[Exhibitions: Planning]

Project Director: Matthew Witkovsky

Project Title: Project a Black Planet: The Art and Culture of Panafrica

Project Description: Planning for a traveling exhibition that explores the art, history, and

culture of twentieth-century and contemporary Pan-Africanism.

Chicago Public Art Group Outright: \$40,000

[Exhibitions: Planning]

Project Director: Chantal Healey

Project Title: William Walker: Walls of Truth

Project Description: Planning for a temporary exhibition on the art of Chicago and Black

Arts Movement muralist William Walker (1927–2011).

Loyola University, Chicago Outright: \$149,363

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Joseph Vukov

Project Title: Humanizing STEM Education: Navigating Future Challenges Through

**Integrated Instruction** 

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Project Description: Implementation of a three-year curricular revision project to develop an interdisciplinary and experiential model for the general education curriculum.

University of Chicago Match: \$999,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Torsten Reimer Project Title: UChicagoNode

Project Description: Creation of a collaborative digital infrastructure at the University of Chicago called UChicagoNode that will unite digital collections and projects managed by the Library and Humanities Division under a single platform for creating, stewarding, searching, and accessing content.

University of Chicago Outright: \$225,169

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Preservation]

Project Director: John Lucy

Project Title: Research Infrastructure: Expanding Chicago's Mesoamerican Language Collections

Project Description: The creation of a dynamic repository for a growing collection of materials at the University of Chicago that document the Indigenous languages of Mesoamerica.

### **Elmhurst**

Elmhurst University Outright: \$59,404

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Erika McCombs

Project Title: Elmhurst University/District 88 Collegiate Extension Program

Project Description: A two-year program engaging underserved high school students with college-level humanities study of diverse voices in literature, through student enrichment and teacher workshops.

## Evanston

Evanston History Center Match: \$133,370

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Eden Pearlman

Project Title: Masonry Restoration of the Charles Gates Dawes House

Project Description: Renovations at the Charles Gates Dawes House, a National Historic Landmark building and home to the Evanston History Center in Evanston, Illinois.

Katrina Quisumbing King Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Northwestern University

Project Title: Gradations of Citizenship, Sovereignty, and Racial Eligibility in U.S.

Empire, 1848–1979

Project Description: Research at the National Archives leading to a book about the implementation of U.S. citizenship rights among U.S. territories from 1848 to 1979.

## **Naperville**

Louis Corsino Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] North Central College

Project Title: "Hopelessly Alien," Italian Immigration to Chicago Heights, 1910–1950

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Project Description: Research and writing of a monograph on the communal idea of hope in the Italian community of Chicago Heights, Illinois, as representative of the U.S. immigrant experience.

North Central College Outright: \$35,000

[Humanities Connections Planning] Project Director: Shaheen Moosa

Project Title: Building Communities of Care Through an Interdisciplinary Health

**Humanities Minor** 

Project Description: A one-year project to develop a new health humanities minor through faculty workshops, pilot courses, and consultation with community advisors and

experts.

## INDIANA (7) \$534,111

## **Bloomington**

Indiana University, Bloomington Outright: \$325,582

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Amber Bertin

Project Title: Paulin S. Vieyra Collection: Processing and Digitization

Project Description: The processing and digitization of the Paulin S. Vievra Collection

documenting the life and career of the African filmmaker.

Indiana University, Bloomington Outright: \$34,980

[Humanities Connections Planning] Project Director: Aaron Comstock

Project Title: Experiential Humanities: an Interdisciplinary Participatory Model for

**Humanities Education** 

Project Description: A one-year project to plan a concentration in experiential humanities, integrating anthropology, archaeology, biology, chemistry, and history at Indiana University East.

Roberta Pergher Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Indiana University, Bloomington

Project Title: Italian Fascism and the Allure of Citizenship, 1922–1945

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the role of citizenship in

fascist Italy.

### **Evansville**

Kelly Kaelin Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Southern Indiana

Project Title: Moravian Missionaries, Gender and Race in the 18th-Century Caribbean Project Description: Writing a book on women's participation in the eighteenthth-century Moravian churches of the Caribbean.

# **West Lafayette**

Lynn Hooker Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]
Purdue University

Project Title: The Rajkó Gypsy Orchestra of the Hungarian League of Young Communists

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Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book about cultural diplomacy and Hungary's Rajkó Ensemble, founded as the "Gypsy orchestra" of Hungary's League of Young Communists in 1952, from post-World War II to the present day.

Purdue University Outright: \$149,549

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Lori Czerwiokna

Project Title: Integrating the Humanities and Global Engineering

Project Description: Implementation of a two-year curricular revision to integrate

humanistic method and inquiry into the engineering program

Richard Lavender Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]
Purdue University

Project Title: Identifying an Unknown Work by the Theologian and Philosopher John

Wyclif

Project Description: Research and writing an article that will establish the authorship by John Wyclif (c. 1330–1384) for a previously unknown and unsigned early work.

## IOWA (2) \$400,000

## Grinnell

Trustees of Grinnell College Outright: \$50,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Brigittine French

Project Title: Maya Testimonies in the Visual History Archive: Transcribing, Translating, and Accessing Survivor Life Histories

Project Description: Producing 76 transcriptions in Mayan-Spanish and/or Kaqchikel, as well as 24 English-language transcripts, of oral histories related to the genocide of Indigenous Maya people in Guatemala from 1960 to1996, which are held at the Shoah Foundation Visual History Archive.

Trustees of Grinnell College Outright: \$350,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Fredo Rivera

Project Title: Haitian Art Digital Crossroads

Project Description: The digitization of approximately 1,150 Haitian artworks that are located at two sites in Haiti and one in New Jersey. These items would be cataloged and, along with 1,266 already-digitized materials, incorporated into a multilingual database titled the Haitian Arts Digital Crossroads (HADC), which would be developed as part of the project.

### KANSAS (1) \$6,000

### Manhattan

Jessica Falcone Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Kansas State University

Project Title: Temple of Great Happiness: a Soto Zen Community in Hawai'i

Project Description: Research and writing of a book chapter on how worshippers at a Buddhist temple in Hawai'i create a shared identity through music and dance practices.

# KENTUCKY (5) \$162,000

# Lexington

Karen Rignall Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Kentucky Research Foundation

Project Title: Appalachian Landscapes in Transition: Documenting Stories of Place in

Martin County, Kentucky

Project Description: Research and writing leading to an article on how the reuse of a former coal mine for sustainable energy production is affecting the surrounding

Appalachian community in complex and unexpected ways.

Nikki Brown Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Kentucky Research Foundation

Project Title: Creating a Digital Archive for Afro-Turk Oral Histories

Project Description: Fieldwork leading to a digital archive of Afro-Turk oral histories that

detail the history of slavery and racism in modern Turkey.

## Louisville

J. B. Speed Art Museum Outright: \$40,000

[Exhibitions: Planning]
Project Director: Scott Erbes

Project Title: Re-imagining the Art of Kentucky

Project Description: Planning for the reinterpretation of the permanent gallery on

Kentucky art, including advisory convenings and evaluation.

University of Louisville Outright: \$50,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Thomas Jennings; Ashley Smallwood (co-project director)

Project Title: Early Life in the Lower Ohio River Valley: Digitally Cataloging Culturally

Significant Archaeological Collections

Project Description: A project to establish digital cataloging procedures and a pilot searchable collections database of archaeological collections from the Lower Ohio River Valley.

# Pikeville

University of Pikeville Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Ella Smith-Justice

Project Title: Health in the Mountains: Boosting the Medical Humanities as an Education

of Impact in Eastern Kentucky

Project Description: A two-vear project to develop a medical humanities major, helping

to serve health needs in eastern Kentucky.

# LOUISIANA (3) \$245,568

### Grambling

Grambling State University Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Edward Holt

Project Title: Voices of Grambling: Immersive Virtual-Reality Experiences

Project Description: A one-year program to create virtual reality experiences highlighting

historic moments on Grambling's campus

# Lafayette

Marissa Petrou Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Louisiana at Lafayette

Project Title: Collecting Asia-Pacific: Museums, "Race," and the Anthropological Sciences

in Imperial Germany

Project Description: Archival research and writing one chapter of a book about the history of a German museum and how its collecting practices were tied to the European colonization of Oceania and Southeast Asia in the nineteenthth century.

### **New Orleans**

New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Foundation, Inc. Outright: \$179,568

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Rachel Lyons

Project Title: Jazz & Heritage: Making Louisiana's Music and Cultural Heritage Public Project Description: The cataloging and digitization of 806 audiovisual assets from the Amy Nesbitt and Heritage Collections of the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival Archives.

## MAINE (4) \$1,176,891

### **Brunswick**

Katherine Dauge-Roth Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

**Bowdoin College** 

Project Title: Defining Blackness: Difference, Skin Color, and Enslavement in Early Seventeenth-Century France

Project Description: Research and writing leading to an article analyzing a public conference on the nature of Blackness held by Théophraste Renaudot's Bureau d'adresse in Paris in 1640.

## **Bucksport**

Northeast Historic Film Outright: \$340,961

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: David Weiss

Project Title: Catalog, Digitize, and Publish the Television Collections from All Maine

Stations, 1953-2008

Project Description: The digitization of approximately 2,700 hours of news film from Maine's eight local and public broadcasting stations documenting state history and culture from 1953 to 2008.

### Orono

University of Maine System Outright: \$349,930

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Susan Pinette

Project Title: Franco American Digital Archives/Portail franco-américain: Digitizing

Franco-American History Collections for Open Access

Project Description: The digitization and description of over 35,000 pages of personal papers, social club records, publications, and artwork, as well as 58 oral histories, for inclusion in the Franco-American Digital Archive/Portail franco-américain (FADA/PFA). Additionally, 35,523 digitized Maine noncitizen registration records from 1940 would receive enhanced description and be added to the digital archive.

Match: \$480,000

### Rockland

William A. Farnsworth Library and Art Museum Inc.

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Chris Brownawell

Project Title: The Farnsworth Art Museum—Building a Twenty-firstst-Century Museum

Experience

Project Description: Completion of schematic design and construction documents for an expansion and renovation of the Farnsworth Art Museum and Library in Rockland,

Maine.

## MARYLAND (5) \$424,000

### **Baltimore**

Aaron Palmore Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Loyola University Maryland

Project Title: The Latin Poems of Christian Wedsted, Moravian Missionary to Colonial

America

Project Description: Research and writing of a critical edition of 50 unpublished poems

by eighteenth-century Moravian missionary Christian Wedsted (1720-1757).

Dale Snow Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Loyola University Maryland

Project Title: Translation of F.W.J. Schelling's System of Philosophy in General and of

the Philosophy of Nature in Particular

Project Description: Research and writing of a sample translation of *System of Philosophy in General* (1804) by German philosopher F.W.J. Schelling (1774–1854).

Mavis Biss Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Loyola University Maryland

Project Title: What Is Moral Striving?

Project Description: Research and writing of two chapters of a philosophical book on the

Kantian ethics of moral self-perfection.

# College Park

Ann Gaul Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Maryland, College Park

Project Title: Red Nightshade: Tomatoes and the Making of Modern Egypt

Project Description: Research and writing of a book about the development of modern

Egypt through the historical importance of the tomato.

## **Silver Spring**

Unity Productions Foundation Outright: \$400,000

[Humanities Discussions]
Project Director: Daniel Tutt

Project Title: American Muslim Pathways

Project Description: Implementation of lectures, public discussions, a website, and

educational materials about the history and culture of Muslims in America.

Outright: \$6,000

## MASSACHUSETTS (20) \$7,072,094

### **Amherst**

Elizabeth Herbin-Triant

[Summer Stipends]

Trustees of Amherst College

Project Title: Abolitionists, Anti-Abolitionists, and the Business of Manufacturing Cotton

Grown by the Enslaved in Lowell, Massachusetts

Project Description: Writing a book on Lowell, Massachusetts, from the 1820s to the

1860s, focusing on the community's relationship to slavery and antislavery.

Five Colleges, Inc. Outright: \$350,000

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Jessica Nicoll

Project Title: Data Enrichment and Discovery Improvement for the Five College/Historic

Deerfield Museum Collection Management Commons

Project Description: A project to clean and standardize data describing collections of six museums and representing 120,000 cultural resources, which would result in enhanced discoverability online, more equitable description, and improved sustainability of the

resource.

Jones Library Match: \$1,000,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

**Project Director: Sharon Sharry** 

Project Title: Jones Library Humanities Center

Project Description: Building renovation and construction of an addition for the creation of a Humanities Center on the ground floor of Jones Library in Amherst, Massachusetts.

#### **Beverly**

Trustees of Reservations Outright: \$345,271

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Lucinda Brockway

Project Title: A Tale of Two Communities in Two Centuries

Project Description: Preserving and providing access to the Colonel John Ashley Papers (1755–1818) and the Boston Natural Areas Network (BNAN) Archives (1977–2014). The project would result in new housing and finding aids for 98 linear feet of materials, three treated and digitized Ashley account books, over 35,500 digitized BNAN slides, and 300 digitized photographs of the Ashley House.

### **Boston**

Center for Independent Documentary, Inc.

Outright: \$618,114

[Media Projects Production]

Project Director: Elizabeth Harrington

Project Title: Our Mr. Matsura

Project Description: Production of a feature-length documentary on the life and work of

Japanese-born photographer Sakae "Frank" Matsura (1873–1913).

Center for Independent Documentary, Inc. Outright: \$75,000

[Media Projects Development]

Project Director: Cathleen O'Connell

Project Title: Nancy Drew: The Case of the American Icon

Project Description: The development of a documentary film exploring the historical and cultural legacies of Nancy Drew, a fictional literary detective whose books have been in print for nearly 100 years.

Match: \$75,000

Outright: \$699,598

Outright: \$700,000

Match: \$500,000

Center for Independent Documentary, Inc.

[Media Projects Development] Project Director: Jack Walsh

Project Title: An Art of Choice: Lucinda Childs

Project Description: Research and development of a feature film about choreographer

Lucinda Childs.

Center for Independent Documentary, Inc.

[Media Projects Production]
Project Director: Jeffrey Bieber

Project Title: Hannah Arendt: Thinking Is Dangerous

Project Description: A documentary about the political philosopher Hannah Arendt

(1906-75).

Center for Independent Documentary, Inc.

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Rita Coburn Project Title: W.E.B. DuBois

Project Description: Production of a 90-minute film exploring the life and legacy of

African American intellectual W.E.B. DuBois (1868-1963).

Jessica Linker Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] Northeastern University

Project Title: The Fruits of Their Labor: The Work of Early American Scientific Women,

1750-1860

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on women's scientific

practices and redefinitions of science in early America.

## Cambridge

Kirsten Weld Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] Harvard University

Project Title: Ruins and Glory: The Long Spanish Civil War in Latin America

Project Description: Writing leading to a book about the legacy of the Spanish Civil War

(1936-1939) in Latin America.

## **Fitchburg**

Fitchburg State University

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Jay Bry

Project Title: Applied Learning Laboratory and Black Box Theater (theaterLAB)

Construction

Project Description: Construction of a learning lab and black box theater at Fitchburg State University to support applied and public humanities activities in downtown

Fitchburg, Massachusetts.

## Marblehead

Marblehead Historical Society Outright: \$40,000

[Historic Places: Planning]

Project Director: Lauren McCormack

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Project Title: Interpretation of the Jeremiah Lee Estate's Mansion House and Brick

Kitchen & Slave Quarters

Project Description: Development of an exhibition examining slavery in New England and an interpretive plan integrating that story into tours of the Jeremiah Lee Mansion.

### Melrose

Filmmakers Collaborative, Inc. Outright: \$700,000

[Media Projects Production] Project Director: Ben Loeterman

Project Title: Bombshell

Project Description: Production of a documentary film chronicling the search for truth

amidst the propaganda about the use of atomic weapons in World War II.

### **North Adams**

Victoria Papa Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts

Project Title: Aesthetics of Survival: Counternarratives of Trauma in American Modernist

Literature

Project Description: Research and writing of a monograph examining how early-

twentieth-century American authors expand representations of trauma.

#### **North Dartmouth**

Pamela Karimi Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Massachusetts

Project Title: Survival by Design: An Environmental History from Iran

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book about the modern

environmental design and architecture movement in Iran, from the 1960s to the present.

## **Pittsfield**

Hancock Shaker Village, Inc. Match: \$750,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: John Skavlem

Project Title: Center for Shaker Studies/ Visitor Center Renovation

Project Description: Renovation of the Visitor Center and Center for Shaker Studies at

Hancock Shaker Village in Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

## Somerville

Trustees of Tufts College Inc. Outright: \$348,881

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Gregory Crane

Project Title: Perseus on the Web: Preparing for the Next Thirty Years

Project Description: A project to expand data related to Greek and Latin sources that is part of the Perseus Digital Library, the largest online open-access reference collection of

Greco-Roman culture and language.

### Watertown

Documentary Educational Resources, Inc. Outright: \$700,000

[Media Projects Production]
Project Director: Kenneth Kilfara
Project Title: Canada Lee, Native Son

Outright: \$140,230

Project Description: Production of a feature-length film examining the life of African American actor and civil rights advocate Canada Lee (1907–52).

#### Worcester

College of the Holy Cross

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Kendy Hess; Karen Teitel (co-project director)

Project Title: The Interdisciplinary Minor in Ethics, Society, and the Institution of

**Business** 

Project Description: A two-year project to create a minor in ethics, society, and the

institution of business.

## MICHIGAN (5) \$571,481

### **Ann Arbor**

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor Outright: \$149,782

[Archaeological and Ethnographic Field Research]

Project Director: Geoff Emberling

Project Title: Urbanism in Ancient Kush: Archaeological Investigation of Settlement at

Jebel Barkal, Northern Sudan

Project Description: Archaeological investigations of the UNESCO World Heritage site of Jebel Barkal in northern Sudan, one of the most important urban centers of the ancient

kingdom of Kush.

## **East Lansing**

Michigan State University Outright: \$349,779

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

**Project Director: Candace Claytor** 

Project Title: Willis E. Bell Photographic Archive

Project Description: Preserving and making accessible 34,923 photographs by Willis E.

Bell, an American photographer who lived in Accra, Ghana, from 1957 to 1999.

### **Mount Pleasant**

Michelle Cassidy Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Central Michigan University

Project Title: Indigenous Veterans and their Families after the U.S. Civil War

Project Description: Research leading to a book on Indigenous veterans, their families,

and their communities following the Civil War (1865–1920).

### **Rochester**

Outright: \$6,000 Erin Dwyer

[Summer Stipends]

Oakland University

Project Title: Gender, Poison, and Slavery in the Atlantic World, 1677–1865

Project Description: Writing a book on slavery and poison in the Atlantic World.

### Sault Ste. Marie

Lake Superior State University Outright: \$59,920

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Christy Wenger

Project Title: Developing an Undergraduate Indigenous Literatures and Cultures

Certificate Program

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Outright: \$100,000

Outright: \$349,860

Outright: \$59,962

Project Description: A one-year project to develop a humanities-centered Indigenous languages and cultures certificate program.

## MINNESOTA (3) \$241,771

#### Northfield

Averill Earls Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

St. Olaf College

Project Title: A Social Biography of Same-Sex Desire in Postcolonial Ireland

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a monograph on the history of

sexuality and state-building in Ireland from 1922 to 1973.

### St. Paul

Hallie Q. Brown Community Center, Inc. Outright: \$135,771

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Kayla Jackson

Project Title: Processing, Cataloguing, and Digitizing HQBCA's Collections

Project Description: An implementation project to arrange, rehouse, and describe 22 collections that document the experiences of the African American community in St.

Paul, Minn., after the Great Migration.

Minnesota Humanities Center

[Dialogues on the Experience of War]

Project Director: Karen Sieber; Miki Huntington (co-project director)

Project Title: Examining Military Service from the Margins

Project Description: A two-year series of preparatory and discussion programs exploring the histories of marginalized military service members for veterans and others in three

communities in Minnesota and at sites in Maine and Mississippi.

# MISSISSIPPI (2) \$409,822

### **Hattiesburg**

University of Southern Mississippi

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Susannah Ural

Project Title: Unheard Voices in War, Freedom, and Uneasy Peace: The Civil War &

Reconstruction Governors of Mississippi Project

Project Description: The transcription and annotation of the papers of Mississippi state governors from 1859 to 1882, including official correspondence, military telegrams, and

letters and petitions from the public.

### Itta Bena

Mississippi Valley State University

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Jon Peede

Project Title: Infusing African American literature into the English Curriculum

Project Description: Revision of introductory English course curricula and the

development of an upper-level special topics course on contemporary African American

writers of the South, accompanied by a faculty workshop and symposium.

Outright: \$34,993

## MISSOURI (3) \$46,993

### Columbia

Curators of the University of Missouri

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Kerri McBee Black; Julie Elman (co-project director); Li Zhao (co-

project director)

Project Title: Developing a Disability Studies Minor: Connecting Existing Structures

through Inclusive Curriculum

Project Description: A one-year faculty and curricular development project to create an

interdisciplinary disability studies minor.

Rabia Gregory Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Missouri, Columbia

Project Title: European Christianity in the Age of Paper

Project Description: Writing and revising the manuscript of a book examining the impact of affordable paper on the devotional practices of Christianity in medieval Western Europe.

#### St. Louis

Flannery Burke Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Saint Louis University

Project Title: Back East: How Western Writers Imagine the Eastern United States Project Description: Writing and editing leading to a book on how writers from the American West represent the eastern U.S. in literature from the mid-twentieth century to the 1980s.

# **NEW HAMPSHIRE (3) \$68,867**

#### Durham

Outright: \$6,000 Piero Garofalo

[Summer Stipends]

University of New Hampshire

Project Title: Translation of Italian Poet Giovanni Pascoli's Collection, Myricae

Project Description: Research and writing leading to an annotated translation of Italian poet Giovanni Pascoli's collection Myricae (1911).

### Hanover

Outright: \$6,000 Maron Greenleaf

[Summer Stipends]

**Dartmouth College** 

Project Title: Cities of Trees: Reforesting the Birthplace of Industrial Capitalism

Project Description: Ethnographic fieldwork toward a study of a large, contemporary

reforestation project in North England.

# **Plymouth**

Plymouth State University Outright: \$56,867

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Brian Eisenhauer

Project Title: Humanities in the Sustainability Curriculum

Project Description: A two-year project to fund a speakers' series, educational resources, and development of a humanities course on sustainability.

## **NEW JERSEY (7) \$593,000**

#### Camden

Tesneem Alkiek Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Rutgers University, Camden

Project Title: Interspousal torts in Islamic law: a critical look at what it means for a

woman to experience harm in marriage

Project Description: Research and writing one chapter of a book on notions of harm and divorce in medieval Islamic law.

#### Glassboro

Debbie Sharnak Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

**Rowan University** 

Project Title: Jewish Internationalism and the Southern Cone Dictatorships

Project Description: Research leading to a book about Jewish struggles against antisemitism in Latin America's military dictatorships during the period of the 1960s-

1980s.

Rowan University Outright: \$35,000

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Debbie Sharnak; Julia Richmond (co-project director)

Project Title: Strengthening Humanistic Literacy in the Study of Sport: Developing a

Minor and Certificate in Sports and Society

Project Description: A one-year project to establish a minor and a certificate in sport and

society.

#### Lodi

Felician University Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Lavina Sequeira

Project Title: Humanities Reimagined: Global Perspectives For Twenty-first-Century

Education

Project Description: A two-year project to update a Global Peace, Law, & Justice

concentration.

### Princeton

American School of Classical Studies at Athens Outright: \$276,000

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Bonna Wescoat

Project Title: Research Fellowships at the American School of Classical Studies at Athens Project Description: Eighteen months of stipend support (three fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

Match: \$150,000

### **Summit**

Visual Arts Center of New Jersey

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Melanie Cohn

Project Title: Renovation of Main Floor Galleries

Project Description: Renovation of two galleries, including installation of new lighting and sound systems and automated black out shades at the Visual Arts Center of New Jersey.

Outright: \$60,000

Outright: \$6,000

### **Trenton**

Thomas Edison State University

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Burton Peretti

Project Title: Incorporating DEI Concepts and Content into Humanities General

**Education Courses** 

Project Description: A two-year project to revise seven humanities courses in the general

education curriculum.

## NEW MEXICO (1) \$150,000

### Raton

City of Raton Match: \$150,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Jolene Greene

Project Title: Shuler Theater Restoration Project

Project Description: Replacement of obsolete water, sewer, and electrical systems in the

1915 Shuler Theater located in Raton, New Mexico.

## NEW YORK (27) \$4,859,096

## Albany

Historic Albany Foundation, Inc.

Match: \$500,000 [Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Cara Macri

Project Title: Van Ostrande-Radliff House Reuse

Project Description: Restoration of the oldest building in Albany, New York, the Van Ostrande-Radliff House from 1728, and its later additions, to serve as the seat of the

Historic Albany Foundation.

# Amherst

Christian DiCanio Outright: \$30,000

[Dynamic Language Infrastructure-Documenting Endangered

Languages-F ellowships]

SUNY Research Foundation, University at Buffalo

Project Title: A reference grammar of Itunyoso Triqui

Project Description: Research and writing of a comprehensive reference grammar of

Itunyoso Triqui [ISO 639-3 trq], an endangered Southern Mexican language.

## **Bayside**

CUNY Research Foundation, Queensborough Community Outright: \$24,500

College

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Ilse Schrynemakers; Sybil White (co-project director)

Project Title: Reimagining the First-Semester College Experience: Building the Welcome

Read Program

Project Description: A one-year project that would expand a first-semester common read

program to reach students in two precollege programs.

### **Binghamton**

Birgit Brander Rasmussen

[Summer Stipends]

SUNY Research Foundation, Binghamton

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Project Title: Signs of Resistance, Signs of Resurgence: Indigenous Literacies and New Media in Native American Literatures, 901 CE to the Digital Age

Project Description: Research and writing for a book tracing the origins and resurgence of pictographic literacy in American Indigenous cultures.

#### **Bronx**

Laura Specker Sullivan Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]
Fordham University

**Project Title: Climates of Distrust** 

Project Description: Research and writing two chapters of a philosophical book on social

theories of trust.

Marisa Lerer Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]
Manhattan College

**Project Title: Latinx Public Memorials** 

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book about Latinx monuments

and memorialization in the United States.

### **Bronxville**

Maria Fajardo Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Sarah Lawrence College

Project Title: Development as Vocation: Latin America in the Neoliberal Era

Project Description: Research leading to an intellectual history of economic development

in Latin America between the 1960s and 1990s.

# Ithaca

Chloe Kessler Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]
Cornell University

Project Title: After Apocalypse: American Ecofascism and the Violent Work of Earthly

Restoration

Project Description: Archival research leading to a book on the intersection of hate groups and environmental movements and how such groups have historically come from both sides of the political spectrum.

# New York

American Academy in Rome Outright: \$255,000

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

**Project Director: Mark Robbins** 

Project Title: Rome Prize Fellowships at the American Academy in Rome

Project Description: Sixteen months of stipend support (two fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

American Academy in Rome Match: \$472,850

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

**Project Director: Mark Robbins** 

Project Title: Building a New Library Annex: The Villa Chiaraviglio

Project Description: Renovation of the lower level of the Villa Chiaraviglio building for an expansion of the Arthur and Janet C. Ross Library at the American Academy in Rome.

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Outright: \$207,000

Outright: \$213,238

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$99,000

Outright: \$75,000

Match: \$337,050

Match: \$51,480

American Council of Learned Societies

Match: \$105,000 [Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Deena Ragavan

Project Title: ACLS China Studies Research Fellowships 2024–2027

Project Description: Twenty-seven months of stipend support (three fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of

fellows.

Center for Jewish History

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Miriam Mora

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships at the Center for Jewish History in New

York

Project Description: Twelve months of stipend support (one fellowship) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

Charlotte Walker-Said

[Summer Stipends]

CUNY Research Foundation, John Jay College

Project Title: A History of Martial and Spiritual Entrepreneurship in Central Africa Project Description: Research and writing of a book about the religiously inspired insurgencies in Central Africa in the modern period.

Clemente Course in the Humanities, Inc.

[Dialogues on the Experience of War]

Project Director: Mark Santow

Project Title: Providence Clemente Veterans Initiative: Extending the Reach

Project Description: A two-year project to hold four 12-week Dialogues on the Experience of War seminars for ten military veterans and interested civilians per seminar, preceded by a preparatory program for six seminar discussion leaders.

Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History

[Exhibitions: Planning]

Project Director: Denver Brunsman

Project Title: The Long Struggle for Equality: The Declaration of Independence at 250 Project Description: Planning of a traveling exhibition, community conversations, and online resources exploring the origins and legacy of the Declaration of Independence.

Intrepid Sea-Air-Space Museum

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

**Project Director: Matthew Woods** 

Project Title: Restoring & Opening Intrepid's Sick Bay

Project Description: Infrastructure upgrades to allow public access to the sick bay, post office, barber shop and berthing/torpedo handling spaces on the historic aircraft carrier

Intrepid, located in New York, New York.

La MaMa Experimental Theatre Club, Inc.

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Sophie Glidden-Lyon

Project Title: Preserving Off Off-Broadway: Designing Improved Climate Control for the

La MaMa Archive

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Project Description: Installation of climate-control equipment and planning of long-term storage solutions for archives from the La MaMa Experimental Theatre Club in New York, New York.

Metropolitan Museum of Art Outright: \$400,000

[Exhibitions: Implementation] Project Director: Andrea Achi

Project Title: Public Humanities: Africa & Byzantium

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition exploring the global impact of the art and culture of Byzantine-era North and East Africa, including public programs,

online media, and a scholarly catalog.

Modern Language Association of America, Inc.

Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Jason Rhody

Project Title: Reimagining Humanities Coursework for Career Readiness: A Virtual

Workshop for Teachers of Languages and Literature

Project Description: A two-year development workshop series for faculty at small or midsized colleges to integrate humanities study, career readiness, and applied humanities in their teaching and mentoring of underserved students

Museum of the City of New York, Inc. Outright: \$100,000

[Exhibitions: Implementation] Project Director: Sarah Henry

Project Title: The New York Century: 100 Years of Imagining the City, 1923–2023 Project Description: Implementation of a short-term exhibition examining how New

York City has been depicted in arts, media, and culture from 1923 to 2023.

New York Public Library Outright: \$309,996

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Matt Knutzen

Project Title: Long-term Research Fellowships at The New York Public Library's Stephen

A. Schwarzman Building

Project Description: Eighteen months of stipend support (two-three fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

Rubin Museum of Art Outright: \$400,000

[Exhibitions: Implementation]

Project Director: Michelle Bennett Simorella Project Title: Gateway to Himalayan Art

Project Description: Implementation of a traveling exhibition geared to university galleries that would introduce essential concepts of Himalayan art and culture and a digital advantional platform.

digital educational platform.

YIVO Institute for Jewish Research Outright: \$349,524

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Stefanie Halpern

Project Title: Jewish Labor and Political Archives Project

Project Description: The arrangement and description of 122 linear feet of archival materials from four collections documenting Jewish immigrant involvement in the U.S. labor movement, as well as the digitization of 293,000 pages from those collections.

# **Niagara University**

Niagara University Outright: \$148,500

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Paula Kot; James McCutcheon (co-project director); Donna Thompson

(co-project director); Lisa Williams (co-project director)

Project Title: Implementing the Vincentian Social Justice General Education Minor Project Description: A three-year project to launch a minor in Vincentian social justice.

# Oswego

SUNY Research Foundation, College at Oswego Outright: \$35,000

[Humanities Connections Planning] Project Director: Tiffany Deater

Project Title: New Minor in Environmental Humanities and Visual Media

Project Description: A one-year faculty and curricular development project to build an

environmental humanities and visual media minor.

#### **Rochester**

University of Rochester Outright: \$129,970 [Archaeological and Ethnographic Field Research] Match: \$20,000

Project Director: Michael Jarvis

Project Title: The Archaeology of Earliest Bermuda, 1610–c.1630

Project Description: Archeological excavation investigating the English settlement of

Bermuda by the Virginia Company in the seventeenth century.

# Troy

Museum Association of New York Outright: \$499,988

[Humanities Discussions] Project Director: Megan Eves

Project Title: A New Agora for New York: Museums as Spaces for Democracy

Project Description: Implementation of a discussion and public program series exploring

democracy in America to be conducted at twelve museums across New York.

# NORTH CAROLINA (5) \$824,809

### Albemarle

Stanly Community College Outright: \$25,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Lorri Barrier

Project Title: Humanities OER Course Conversion

Project Description: A one-year project to convert humanities courses that currently

depend upon a textbook to open educational resources (OER).

### Asheville

Sophie Mills Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of North Carolina, Asheville

Project Title: The Discipline of Classics in Modern Fiction

Project Description: Research and writing of a book that examines the popular appeal of classical literature and myths from 1850–2022.

#### **Brevard**

Brevard Music Center, Inc. Outright: \$398,946

[Humanities Discussions]

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Project Director: Joseph Horowitz Project Title: Music Unwound

Project Description: Implementation of a series of public programs bringing historical and cultural context to performances of early twentieth-century classical music.

# **Chapel Hill**

Brandi Brimmer Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Project Title: The Other Frederick Douglass: A Black Freedom Fighter in the Post-

**Reconstruction South** 

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the role Black pension

claims agents played in the post-emancipation South.

## **Charlotte**

University of North Carolina, Charlotte Outright: \$388,863

[Media Projects Production]

Project Director: Heather Freeman

Project Title: Magic in the United States: 400 Years of Magical Beliefs, Practices, and

**Cultural Conflicts** 

Project Description: Production of three seasons of a podcast on how magical beliefs and

practices have evolved in the U.S. from the 1600s to the present.

## OHIO (9) \$636,915

#### Berea

Baldwin Wallace University Outright: \$34,968

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Denise Kohn

Project Title: Planning a Minor in Medical Humanities

Project Description: A one-year initiative to develop a new minor in medical and health humanities with the aim of attracting students in the health sciences as well as from

STEM, business, and the humanities.

#### Cincinnati

Brianna Leavitt-Alcántara Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Cincinnati

Project Title: Maya Women's Religious and Political Activism in Colonial Chiapas Project Description: Research leading to a book about Maya women's religious and political leadership between 1650 and 1850 in modern-day Chiapas, Mexico.

### **Columbus**

Hollie Nzitatira Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Ohio State University

Project Title: Reentry and Reintegration of People Convicted of Genocide

Project Description: Completion of a monograph on the post-prison reintegration of people convicted of genocide in Rwanda, based on interviews with 200 individuals both before and after being released from jail.

#### Granville

Diana Mafe Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

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**Denison University** 

Project Title: Haunted Houses of the Black Atlantic

Project Description: Writing a book on how Black writers and artists have represented

haunted houses across the last three centuries.

Megan Threlkeld Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] Denison University

Project Title: Selective Justice: The Draft, the Law, and the Vietnam War

Project Description: Research and writing of a book examining the legal cases of men

who refused induction into the military during the Vietnam war.

## Kent

Kent State University Outright: \$165,947

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Virginia Hall

Project Title: Pauline Trigère: Fifty Years of American Fashion Entrepreneurship and

Design

Project Description: The digitization of 106 fashion illustration books dating from 1944 to 1994 and 226 pressbooks dating from 1942 to 1992 by designer Pauline Trigère (1908–

2002).

#### Marietta

Nicole Livengood Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Marietta College

Project Title: Beyond Seduction and Abortion: The Life and "Memoir" of Zulma Marache Project Description: Research and writing of a two-part digital humanities recovery project on Zulma Marache (1818–1869), the only woman to testify in an abortion trial who also published an eyewitness account of her experience.

## **Oberlin**

Amy Berg Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Oberlin College and Conservatory

Project Title: Living a Well-Rounded Life

Project Description: Research and writing one chapter of a philosophical book on the

ethics of a well-rounded life.

### Toledo

Toledo Museum of Art Match: \$400,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Patricia O'Toole

Project Title: Edward B. Green Building Plumbing Renovations at the Toledo Museum of

Art

Project Description: Design and installation of plumbing infrastructure in the main historic building of the Toledo Museum of Art to reduce risk, protect the collection of art, and enhance the visitor experience.

## OKLAHOMA (3) \$403,374

## Norman

Sarah Hines Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

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University of Oklahoma, Norman

Project Title: The Life and Death of the Glaciers of Bolivia's Cordillera Real

Project Description: Research leading to a book about the importance of Andean glaciers and the impact of climate change on Bolivia's indigenous peoples from the nineteenth century to today.

University of Oklahoma, Norman

Outright: \$47,487

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Amanda Minks Project Title: Indigenous Media Portal

Project Description: The planning stage of creating a digital public platform of Indigenous Knowledge through oral histories, music, and audiovisual materials in partnership with Native American community members. The Indigenous Media Portal would draw content from selected archival photographs, broadcasts, and other media housed at the University of Oklahoma, along with new audiovisual materials created with Tribal members.

University of Oklahoma, Norman

Outright: \$349,887

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Caroline Schroeder

Project Title: Expanding Coptic Digital Online Collections

Project Description: The expansion of Coptic Scriptorium, an open-access database of Coptic language texts, and the development of digitized corpora, data models, and natural language tools for several Coptic dialects.

## OREGON (10) \$1,057,778

## Bend

Central Oregon Community College Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Charlotte Gilbride

Project Title: Expanding a Lecture Series to Engage Students and the Public in Real-World Applications of Humanities Topics

Project Description: A two-year project to expand the Nancy R. Chandler Lecture Series to include events on the campuses and to integrate speakers' content into curriculum.

### **Eugene**

**Dustin Bowers** Outright: \$60,000

[Dynamic Language Infrastructure-Documenting Endangered

Languages-Fellowships]

Project Title: Nishnaabemwin Text-Dictionary Linking

Project Description: Annotating words that appear in a corpus of Nishnaabemwin, a native language of Canada and the USA, to their entries in an online bilingual dictionary, and building a search function for both.

Kate Mondloch Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Oregon

Project Title: Art of Attention: Body-Mind Awareness and Contemporary Art in the 21st Century

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book about mind-body awareness in contemporary art, with a focus on immersive art experiences, museum programming, and visual art pedagogy in the twenty-first century.

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Narayan Sharma Outright: \$60,000

[Dynamic Language Infrastructure-Documenting Endangered

Languages-Fellowships]

University of Oregon

Project Title: Creating a Comprehensive Trilingual Dictionary and Annotating a Digital

Corpus of Mewahang

Project Description: Research and writing of an annotated corpus and dictionary of

Mewahang, a Tibeto-Burman language, spoken in Eastern Nepal.

University of Oregon

Outright: \$149,827

[Archaeological and Ethnographic Field Research]

Project Director: Michael Coughlan

Project Title: Culturally Modified Trees in Traditional Landscapes: Documenting the

Legacy of Indigenous Foods and Cultural Practices in the Oregon Cascades

Project Description: Archaeological, dendrochronological, and ethnographic research that documents the modification of living trees in culturally significant ways by

Indigenous peoples in Oregon.

## **McMinnville**

Linfield University Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Rachel Norman

Project Title: Revealing Student Voices by Re-envisioning First-Year Writing

Project Description: A two-year project to create and pilot an inquiry-based writing course incorporating student voices and linguistic diversity, as a key component in a

revised first-year general education core.

### Monmouth

Jaime Marroquin Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Western Oregon University

Project Title: *Translatio* and *Doctrīna*: Natural Science and the Indies of the West Project Description: Archival research for a book on how Indigenous knowledge about the natural world informed the development of scientific knowledge in colonial New Spain.

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Portland

Cassio de Oliveira Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

**Portland State University** 

Project Title: Mark Twain's Mississippi Writings in the Russian Imagination

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the Soviet reception of

Mark Twain's writings, from 1917 to 1991.

Literary Arts, Inc Match: \$500,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

**Project Director: Andrew Proctor** 

Project Title: Literary Arts-Renovations on 716 SE Grand

Project Description: Renovation and refurbishment of Literary Arts' newly purchased building in Portland, Oregon, to include classroom and meeting spaces, staff offices, and

other amenities.

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Portland State University Outright: \$149,951

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Rachel Noorda

Project Title: Building a Humanities-Focused Minor in Creative Industries

Project Description: A three-year curricular project to develop a new humanities-focused

minor in creative industries, incorporating experiential learning with community

partners.

# PENNSYLVANIA (14) \$1,800,066

## **Bryn Mawr**

Edwige Crucifix Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Bryn Mawr College

Project Title: Illegible Subjects: Jewish Women, Writing, and the Performance of Identity

in the Colonial Maghreb

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the French-language writings of North African Jewish women during the French colonial period (1830–1962).

## Carlisle

Amy Farrell Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Dickinson College

Project Title: Girl Scouts of the USA: Race, Feminism, and American Empire

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the history of the Girl Scouts of the USA, exploring its struggles over race, civil rights, feminism, and the legacies of empire and colonialism.

## Collegeville

Lori Daggar Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Ursinus College

Project Title: Indigenous Visions of Rights and Sovereignty in the Age of Revolutions, 1760–1840

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on Indigenous assertion of rights and sovereignty across North America and the Atlantic world, 1760–1840.

# Harrisburg

Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission Match: \$48,400

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Christopher Stokum

Project Title: Eckley Miners' Village Research & Learning Center

Project Description: Preparatory architectural and engineering work for a renovation project to house a new Research & Learning Center at the Eckley Miners' Village Museum in Weatherly, Pennsylvania.

## Huntingdon

Juniata College Outright: \$149,989

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Amanda Page

Project Title: Explorations of Rural Experience: Fostering Narrative Imagination and

Civic Curiosity

Project Description: A three-year project to establish a new minor focused on rural experience, including experiential learning opportunities in Pennsylvania and Alabama.

# **Philadelphia**

La Salle University Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Joanne Woods

Project Title: ALTA (Access Language Through Academics): Bridge to Success Project Description: A 15-month project to develop and offer a free humanities-rich bridge program supporting Spanish-speaking students in enhancing their English proficiency and college readiness.

Library Company of Philadelphia

Outright: \$220,500

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Christine Nelson

Project Title: The Library Company of Philadelphia Post-Doctoral Fellowship Program Project Description: Fourteen months of stipend support (two-three fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

Presbyterian Historical Society

Outright: \$330,678

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Natalie Shilstut

Project Title: Digitizing the Religious News Service Photograph Collection, 1945–1982 Project Description: The digitization, description, and preservation of 22,500 images and related documents from the Religious News Service collection. The digitized images would be made publicly available via the Presbyterian Historical Society's digital repository, and the project would support the physical rehousing of the entire collection of 60,000 photo files.

Science History Institute

Outright: \$204,428

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Michelle DiMeo

Project Title: Long-Term Postdoctoral Research Fellowships at the Science History

Institute

Project Description: Twelve months of stipend support (one-two fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

### **Pittsburgh**

Judy Suh Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

**Duquesne University** 

Project Title: Precarious Translations: Korean Language Media and the American

**Political Imagination** 

Project Description: Research and writing the introduction and conclusion for a book about the shared cultural and political terrains of Koreans and Korean Americans.

Patrick McKelvey Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Pittsburgh

Project Title: Supporting Actors: A Disability History of Theatrical Welfare in the United

States

Project Description: Research leading to a book about the history of social services for disabled actors in the United States since the late nineteenth century, with particular focus on The Actors' Fund of America and allied organizations.

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WQED Multimedia Outright: \$196,071

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Minette Seate

Project Title: Pittsburgh Black History and "Black Horizons" Digitization Project Project Description: The digitization of 2,000 media assets relating to the Black

experience in Pittsburgh, PA, from WQED Multimedia.

## Wayne

Eastern University Match: \$500,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Brian Williams

Project Title: Expanding the Humanities at Eastern University

Project Description: Renovation of Workman Hall to house the Templeton Honors College and construction of a contiguous lecture hall and art gallery on the campus of

Eastern University, St. Davids, Pennsylvania.

### **West Chester**

West Chester University of Pennsylvania Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Laguana Cooke

Project Title: Expanding iCAMP: Humanities Inquiry and Public Engagement

Project Description: A two-year project engaging underserved high school students with

public digital humanities projects.

## PUERTO RICO (3) \$425,496

## **Bayamon**

University of Puerto Rico Outright: \$24,854

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Jacelyn Smallwood Ramos

Project Title: Revising an Online Business Writing Course

Project Description: A one-year project for the assessment and revision of an online

course required for majors in business administration.

### Cayey

University of Puerto Rico, Cayey University College Outright: \$343,983

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Rosa Ficek

Proiect Title: Collective Care: Puerto Rican Responses to Natural and Human-Made

Disasters in Puerto Rico

Project Description: The preservation of and access to approximately 2,000 born digital items that document community-led responses to Hurricane María and other recent disasters between 2018 and 2022. The materials for this project were collaboratively collected with seven community-based organizations and would result in a bilingual virtual archive, a web portal on the Internet Archive, and a bilingual companion reference book.

#### San Juan

Universidad del Sagrado Corazon Outright: \$56,659

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Nadesha Gonzalez

Project Title: Encouraging Key Humanistic Competencies in Hispanic Students through

**Curricular Improvements** 

Project Description: A two-year project to design five master classes.

## RHODE ISLAND (2) \$155,889

## **Kingston**

University of Rhode Island Outright: \$149,889

[Humanities Connections Implementation]

Project Director: Sigrid Berka

Project Title: A New Model for Integrated Humanities and Engineering Education Project Description: Implementation of a two-year course revision and development project to expand the scope of the existing International Engineering Program.

### **Providence**

Rebecca Moorman Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] Providence College

Project Title: The Allure of Disgust in Ancient Rome: Knowledge, Poetics, and the Senses Project Description: Research and writing of a book that examines the aesthetics of

disgust and negative affect experience in classical Latin literature.

## **SOUTH CAROLINA (3) \$36,962**

### Clemson

Outright: \$6,000 Clare Mullanev

[Summer Stipends]

Clemson University

Project Title: A Word Made Flesh: Disability and Editorship in U.S. Literary Culture Project Description: Research and writing of a monograph examining the relationship between authorship and disability through nineteenth and twentieth-century editors and writers with a range of disabilities.

#### Columbia

**Mollie Barnes** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of South Carolina

Project Title: Real-Life Heroines: How Women Reformers Wrote One Another's Lives in

the Sea Islands, 1838–1902

Project Description: Research and writing of a book on how women reformers in the Sea Islands of South Carolina historicized their peers in journals, diaries, biographies, and other forms of life writing.

### **Conway**

Coastal Carolina University Outright: \$24,962

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Alli Crandell; Scott Mann (co-project director)

Project Title: Expanding Opportunities for Place-based Storytelling With(in) Community Project Description: A one-year project resulting in expansion of a community-based storytelling lab through integration into the humanities curriculum.

## **SOUTH DAKOTA (1) \$24,999**

### **Brookings**

South Dakota State University Outright: \$24,999

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Exploration]

Project Director: Amber Jensen

Project Title: Building Cognitive and Cultural Bridges in the Composition Classroom

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Outright: \$49,600

Match: \$500,000

Project Description: A one-year project featuring two summer workshops for faculty to assess and develop new materials for their introductory composition course.

# **TENNESSEE (5) \$740,600**

## **Johnson City**

East Tennessee State University

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Ronald Roach; Jeremy Smith (co-project director)

Project Title: Planning for an Open-Access, Online Encyclopedia of Appalachia

Project Description: A Foundations project to plan for an updated and interactive online edition of the Encyclopedia of Appalachia. The work would include creating a list of articles and potential authors, documenting standard operating procedure for editorial work and content creation, developing a sustainability plan for future support and updates, and designing a website.

## Maryville

Maryville College Outright: \$35,000

[Humanities Connections Planning]

Project Director: Phillip Sherman; Daniel Klingensmith (co-project director)

Project Title: Citizenship and Sense of Place

Project Description: A year-long series of faculty work group meetings that would revise curriculum and plan a new interdisciplinary minor focused on citizenship and place in Appalachia.

## **Memphis**

National Ornamental Metal Museum

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Carissa Hussong

Project Title: "Reigniting the Fire" Capital Expansion Project

Project Description: Renovation and adaptive reuse of Rust Hall, an architecturally significant mid-century modern building in downtown Memphis, Tennessee, as the new seat of the National Ornamental Metal Museum (Metal Museum).

## Nashville

Meng Zhang Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Vanderbilt University

Project Title: Swiftlets and Capital: A Transnational History of Edible Birds' Nests, 1600-

1900

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the history of the trade in edible birds' nests in China, focusing on the spread of consumer tastes and their consequences for the environment.

Vanderbilt University Outright: \$150,000

[Archaeological and Ethnographic Field Research]

Project Director: Angela Sutton

Project Title: Descendant-led Excavation at the Reconstruction-Era Black Civil War

Veteran Community at Bass Street, Fort Negley Park

Project Description: Collection of oral histories and an archaeological excavation examining a neighborhood in Tennessee founded by Black Civil War veterans.

Outright: \$34,903

Outright: \$60,000

Outright: \$349,959

Outright: \$6,000

Outright: \$58,052

Outright: \$377,135

# TEXAS (13) \$1,872,551

Austin

St. Edward's University

[Humanities Connections Planning] Project Director: Georgia Seminet

Project Title: Developing a Certificate in Advanced Spanish for the Health and Helping

Professions: Integrating the Sciences, Social Science

Project Description: A one-year project to create a certificate in advanced Spanish for the

health and helping professions.

St. Edward's University

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Jimmy Luu

Project Title: Diversifying the Narratives of Graphic Design History

Project Description: A two-year program for the development of a lecture series to incorporate new materials and to make graphic design history more inclusive.

# **College Station**

Texas A & M University, College Station

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Daniel Schwartz

Project Title: Linking Texts and Data from the Medieval Middle East: Next-Generation

Discovery and Access Tools for Syriac Cultural Heritage

Project Description: A project to expand data related to the primary sources included in Syraca.org, an online hub that hosts an advanced corpus of Syriac texts in translation,

alongside contextual discovery tools.

## **Denton**

Rebecca Geoffroy-Schwinden

[Summer Stipends]

University of North Texas

Project Title: Stories of Music, Luxury, and Loss in the Age of Revolutions

Project Description: Research leading to a book about music in the lives of elite women and their households along trade routes from the East and West Indies, 1760s–1820s.

University of North Texas

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Maristella Feustle; Candace Bailey (co-project director)

Project Title: Binders Volumes Research Initiative

Project Description: The creation of a cross-institutional digital collection of binders' volumes by establishing a new metadata schema, piloting the digitization of 10 binder's volumes, and integrating the catalog records of over 400 more volumes.

University of North Texas

[Documenting Endangered Languages - Preservation]

Project Director: Shobhana Chelliah

Project Title: Documenting Language and Environment

Project Description: The expansion of a corpus of Lamkang (lmk, South Central Tibet-Burman) texts, constructed from first-person narratives, that document language change related to migration and relocation due to environmental changes.

Outright: \$349,931

Match: \$500,000

# **Edinburg**

University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Katherine Christoffersen; Ryan Bessett (co-project director); Ana

Carvalho (co-project director)

Project Title: Bilingual Voices in the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands: Preserving, Expanding &

**Elaborating Sociolinguistic Collections** 

Project Description: The preservation, expansion, and elaboration of two collections of bilingual sociolinguistic interviews, which document language varieties along the U.S.-Mexico border—the Corpus Bilingue del Valle (CoBiVa) and the Corpus del Espanol en sel Sur de Arizona (CESA).

#### **Fort Worth**

Jessica Fripp Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Texas Christian University

Project Title: Aging and Old Women in Eighteenth-Century France

Project Description: Research for a book exploring the changing perceptions of the elderly and aging women in eighteenth-century French visual and material culture.

#### Houston

Alexander Regier Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

William Marsh Rice University

Project Title: Awkwardness: The History and Art of Unease, 1750-1980

Project Description: Research and writing of a monograph on the idea of awkwardness as an aesthetic and critical category in British and American literature since the eighteentth century.

University of Houston System

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Gabriela Ventura

Project Title: Digital Archives for Recovered U.S. Latino Collections

Project Description: Establishment of a cloud-based digital repository and content management system to preserve and enhance access to nearly 500,000 digitized Hispanic literary materials at the University of Houston, in Houston, Texas.

# Lubbock

**Emily Skidmore** Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

**Texas Tech University** 

Project Title: Breastfeeding Advocacy, Race, Class, and American Parenthood, 1940-

Present

Project Description: Research leading to a book on the history of breastfeeding advocacy in the United States.

# Marshall

Bishop Blue Outright: \$60,000

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Rae Phillips

Project Title: Southern Reading Program on the African American Experience

Project Description: A one-year series of community workshops about the literature of

the African American experience.

#### **Prairie View**

Prairie View A & M University Outright: \$58,571

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Malachi Crawford

Project Title: Developing History Courses in Digital Storytelling

Project Description: A two-year project to create two new courses in digital storytelling.

# UTAH (2) \$295,753

## Logan

Danielle Ross Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]
Utah State University

Project Title: Bloody Turgai: Land, Labor, and Violence in Russia's Steppe, 1860–1916 Project Description: Research and writing leading to a monograph on the Kazakhs of Turgai District from the 1860s to 1917.

# **Salt Lake City**

University of Utah Outright: \$289,753

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Allie McCormack

Project Title: Expanding Access to Visual Books through Metadata Enhancement Project Description: Hiring a project assistant to enhance the catalog records for 1,800 artists' books and 660 fine press books in the Rare Books Collection at the University of Utah, as well as for 240 artists' books from the university's Fine Arts Library.

# VERMONT (3) \$1,001,425

# **Burlington**

City of Burlington Match: \$245,425

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Gale Batsimm

Project Title: Enhancing Humanities through Fletcher Free Library Renovation Project Description: Exterior repair, restoration, and window upgrades on the Fletcher Free Library in Burlington, Vermont.

## **Middlebury**

Michael Newbury Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends] Middlebury College

Project Title: Steam Boilers and Ideal Accidents, 1850-1910

Project Description: Research and writing of an article examining how industrial disasters made way for advancements in technology in nineteenth-century American industry.

### **Shelburne**

Shelburne Museum Match: \$750,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Thomas Denenberg

Project Title: Perry Center for Native American Art at Shelburne Museum

Project Description: The design and construction of the new Perry Center for Native American Art on the campus of the Shelburne Museum in Shelburne, Vermont.

Outright: \$60,450

Outright: \$6,000

# VIRGINIA (17) \$1,120,949

## Alexandria

American Center of Research Outright: \$71,000

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Helen Malko

Project Title: Long-Term Research Fellowships in Jordan at the American Center of

Research

Project Description: 6 months of stipend support (1 fellowship) per year for two years

and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

# Arlington

Federation of State Humanities Councils

[State Projects]

Project Director: Phoebe Stein

Project Title: National Humanities Conference Equitable Access Grants

Project Description: Travel, lodging, and registration expenses for up to 30 humanists at the National Humanities Conference, as well as expenses related to a roundtable session on the conference theme where program participants will share their work on this topic

and hear from other humanists.

## **Blacksburg**

Su Fang Ng Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University

Project Title: Brokering with Caliban: A Literary History of Early Modern English

Diplomacy in the East Indies

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on early modern English

literary depictions of diplomatic relations with the East Indies.

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University Outright: \$49,999

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Jessica Taylor; Sarah McLennan (co-project director); Chreston Miller (co-project director)

Project Title: Dangerous Harbor: Finding Escaped Unfree Laborers in the 17th Century Chesapeake

Project Description: The planning phase of a project that aims to make accessible seventeenth-century court accounts of escape attempts of the Chesapeake Bay's unfree people through digitization, guiding documents, transcriptions, a database, and a plan for expansion and broad, long-term accessibility and outreach.

# Charlottesville

Jacqueline Arthur-Montagne

[Summer Stipends]

Rector and Visitors of the University of Virginia

Project Title: The Classical Past in the Ancient Classroom, 280 BCE-400 CE

Project Description: Research and writing of a monograph that examines classical curricula while also compiling a searchable digital database of Greek and Latin sources on education in the classical period, from the 4th-1st centuries BCE.

John Handel Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Rector and Visitors of the University of Virginia

Project Title: The British Financialization of American Slavery

Outright: \$350,000

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the British financial sector's engagement with American slavery following British abolition in 1833.

#### **Fairfax**

George Mason University

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Lincoln Mullen; John Turner (co-project director)

Project Title: Mapping American Religious Ecologies: The 1926 U.S. Census of Religious

**Bodies** 

Project Description: The digitization of approximately 130,000 schedules from the 1926 U.S. Census of Religious Bodies, association of the records with spatial data, and transcription of the data for a subset of congregations.

# Harrisonburg

Mollie Godfrey Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

James Madison University

Project Title: Black Women's Writing, the Fictions of Segregation, and the Human

Project Description: Writing leading to a book on Black women writers' distinct humanist vision and interventions in social realist literature.

Steven Reich Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

James Madison University

Project Title: The Story of Sandy Beulah, Texas: Race, Violence, and the Search for

Justice in the Jim Crow South

Project Description: Research and writing of a history of Sandy Beulah, a Black settlement in east-central Texas that was destroyed by mob violence in 1910.

## Lexington

Barton Myers Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Washington and Lee University

Project Title: Champions of the Union: Lincoln's Southern Commanders and the

American Civil War Era

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on southern-born military officers who fought to preserve the Union during the Civil War.

Melissa Kerin Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Washington and Lee University

Project Title: Turbans and Turquoise: 17th-Century Painted Patron Scenes at Basgo's

Chamchung Temple in Ladakh, India

Project Description: Research and writing leading to an article on seventeenth-centrury patron scenes in three Buddhist temples in Basgo (Northern India).

# Richmond

Christopher Ewing Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Virginia Commonwealth University

Project Title: Making "Hate Crimes" Transnational

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Project Description: Research and writing leading to an article on the influence of transnational hate crime legislation on the persecution of religious minorities in Germany in the 1990s.

#### Roanoke

Christopher Florio Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

**Hollins University** 

Project Title: The Problem of Poverty in the Anglo-American Age of Slave Emancipation,

1780-1865

Project Description: Writing a book on responses to poverty across the Anglo-American world in the wake of slave emancipation.

### **Staunton**

Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library Foundation Match: \$150,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Robin von Seldeneck

Project Title: HVAC System for President Wilson's Birthplace and Future Education

Center

Project Description: Replacement of the HVAC system for the Woodrow Wilson birthplace and an adjacent building that will serve as an education center for the Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library in Staunton, Virginia.

## Williamsburg

Jack Martin Outright: \$60,000

[Dynamic Language Infrastructure-Documenting Endangered

Languages - Fellowships]

College of William and Mary

Project Title: Muskogee Online Dictionary and Learner's Grammar

Project Description: Research and writing of an online dictionary and grammar of Muskogee (mus), a Native American language spoken in Oklahoma, Alabama, Georgia, and Florida.

Michelle Lelievre Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

College of William and Mary

Project Title: Reclaiming Indigenous Communities from Colonial Archives: Analysis of a

Public-Facing Digital Data Dissemination Project from Mi'kma'ki

Project Description: Research and writing leading to an article on how researchers of Indigenous or other marginalized communities can effectively work with historical archives in which these peoples have been erased, misrepresented, or obscured.

Omohundro Institute of Early American History and Culture Outright: \$319,500

[Fellowship Programs at Independent Research Institutions]

Project Director: Catherine Kelly

Project Title: Residential Fellowships at the Omohundro Institute of Early American

History and Culture

Project Description: Eighteen months of stipend support (2–3 fellowships) per year for three years and a contribution to defray costs associated with the selection of fellows.

# WASHINGTON (3) \$213,607

### **Pullman**

Susan Peabody Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Washington State University

Project Title: The Failure of the Succès: Anatomy of a Slave Smuggling Voyage

Project Description: Research and writing leading to a book on the French slave ship. Le

Succès, and the clandestine Indian Ocean slave trade.

### Seattle

Outright: \$57,607 University of Washington

[Spotlight on Humanities in Higher Education: Development]

Project Director: Vanessa de Veritch Woodside

Project Title: The UW Tacoma Careers and Community Initiative

Project Description: A two-year project to create community-engaged humanities learning opportunities at University of Washington, Tacoma, through internship experiences and accompanying coursework

## Vashon

Friends of Mukai Match: \$150,000

[Infrastructure and Capacity Building Challenge Grants]

Project Director: Rita Brogan

Project Title: Restoration of Mukai Farm & Garden's Historic Mukai Cold Process Fruit

**Barreling Plant** 

Project Description: Restoration of the 1926 Mukai Cold Process Fruit Barreling Plant on Vashon Island, Washington, to increase public engagement and interpretation of Japanese immigration, internment, and innovation in the first half of the twentieth century.

## WEST VIRGINIA (2) \$424,571

#### Matewan

West Virginia Mine Wars Museum Outright: \$74,991

[Historic Places: Planning]

Project Director: Mackenzie New Walker

Project Title: Courage in the Hollers: Interpreting Coal Miners' March and Battle on Blair

Mountain

Project Description: Planning a multi-format interpretive tour of the 1921 Coal Mine

Wars in West Virginia.

## Morgantown

West Virginia University Research Corporation Outright: \$349,580

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Danielle Emerling

Project Title: The American Congress Digital Archives Portal Project

Project Description: A multi-institutional project to advance the content and technical development of the American Congress Digital Archives Portal, which aggregates online

Outright: \$6,000

the personal papers of former members of the United States Congress.

### WISCONSIN (6) \$328,292

### Kenosha

Elizabeth Brownson

[Summer Stipends]

University of Wisconsin, Parkside

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Project Title: Colonizing Health: Gender and the Politics of Reproductive Healthcare in British Mandate Palestine and Colonial Sudan 1921–54

Project Description: Archival research for an article analyzing midwifery and health policies affecting women in Mandate Palestine and Colonial Sudan.

### Madison

Jeremy Morris Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Wisconsin, Madison

Project Title: The History of Podcasting and Its Precarious Future

Project Description: Completion of a monograph on the history of podcasting from the

format's inception in the early 2000s to the present.

University of Wisconsin, Madison Outright: \$298,292

[Humanities Collections and Reference Resources]

Project Director: Eric Hoyt

Project Title: Love, Links, Archives: Saving and Sharing the Wendy Clarke Tape

Collection

Project Description: The digitization of 863 original videotapes produced by artist Wendy Clarke for a series of 15 video projects dating from the 1970s to 1990s that explored themes of love, community, culture, and self-reflection across multiple underrepresented communities.

Walter Stern Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Wisconsin, Madison

Project Title: A Legal Lynching in Louisiana: Gary Tyler and The Criminalization of Black

**Students During Desegregation** 

Project Description: Research and writing of two chapters of a book about the

criminalization of Black students in Louisiana during desegregation (1960s and 1970s).

#### Milwaukee

Daniel Collette Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

Marquette University

Project Title: The Philosophical Writings of Blaise and Jacqueline Pascal

Project Description: Research and writing of an introduction and annotations for a translation of the writings of philosophers and siblings Blaise Pascal (1623–1662) and Jacqueline Pascal (1625–1661).

Derek Handley Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee

Project Title: Mapping Racism and Resistance

Project Description: Research and writing leading to an article about African American resistance to restrictive covenants and housing discrimination in mid twentieth century Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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# **UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (1) \$6,000**

# Abu Dhabi

Nathalie Peutz Outright: \$6,000

[Summer Stipends]

New York University Abu Dhabi (NYUAD)

Project Title: Forced Migration and Displacement in Yemen and the Horn of Africa in the

Twenty-First Century

Project Description: Writing and revisions toward a book analyzing the experiences of refugees and migrants in the Red Sea region.