Subject: National Endowment for the Humanities Grant Notification

March 27, 2017

Dear Representative Roskam:

I am proud to announce that the National Endowment for the Humanities is offering grants to institutions and individuals in your 6th district. NEH grants are highly competitive and involve a rigorous peer-review and selection process to ensure that the projects represent the highest level of humanities research and public engagement. Please find the offered grants listed below.

We hope that you or your staff will take the opportunity to call the project directors to congratulate them on their successful grant application. Please find contact information listed below. NEH program staff recently notified the project directors of their awards.

Many congressional offices work with the project directors to announce offered grants publicly. On March 29, NEH will announce the grants on its website, www.neh.gov (https://www.neh.gov). Please hold your public announcements (both traditional and social media) until March 29.

Please contact NEH's Director of Congressional Affairs, Tim Aiken at (202) 606-8273 or taiken@neh.gov (mailto:taiken@neh.gov) if you have any questions or would like more information.

Sincerely,

William D. Adams
Chairman

Community College District 502
Dialogues on the Experience of War
Outright Amount: $72,310
Project Title: Connections and Disconnections in US Military Conflicts: From the Illinois Frontier to the Global Frontier
Project Director: Franz Burnier
Contact: 630-942-3958
Dear Representative Roskam:

I am pleased to announce that the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) has awarded grants to organizations in your 6th district as part of Latino Americans: 500 Years of History. With support from NEH and the American Library Association (ALA), more than 200 sites will receive funding to host public programs that support the American public’s exploration of the rich and varied history and experiences of Latinos Americans. The cornerstone of the project is the six-part, NEH-supported documentary film, Latino Americans, created for PBS in 2013 by the WETA public television station.

The organizations that will receive Latino Americans: 500 Years of History in your 6th district are:

Palatine Public Library District
$3,000
Kristine Kenney, (847) 585-5881, kkenney@palatinelibrary.org

West Chicago Public Library District
$3,000
Jennifer Winter, (630) 311-1552, jwinter@westchicago.lib.il.us

Westmont Public Library
$3,000
Gail Graziani, (630) 695-5625, ggrazi@westmontlibrary.org

NEH notifies Congressional offices of grant awards before notifying the awardees, so that Members of Congress or their staff have the opportunity to contact the project directors to inform and congratulate them on their grant awards. If you call the grantees today, you will be the first to notify them of their award.

Many Congressional offices work with the grant awardees to create press releases either jointly or separately. Please let us know if you would like additional information from NEH for your press release. On June 11 (tomorrow), ALA staff will contact all successful applicants directly and NEH will publicly announce the grants on NEH’s website, www.neh.gov (http://www.neh.gov).

If you have any questions or would like further information on any of these grants, please contact NEH’s Director of Congressional Affairs, Tim Aiken at (202) 606-8273, or taiken@neh.gov

Sincerely,

William D. Adams
Chairman
Dear Representative Roskam:

I am proud to announce new grant awards to your 6th district from the National Endowment for the Humanities. NEH grants are highly competitive and involve a rigorous review and selection process to ensure that the project represents the highest level of humanities research and public engagement. Please find the new grant awards listed below.

NEH notifies Congressional offices of grant awards several days before NEH staff notify the awardees, so that Members of Congress or their staff have the opportunity to personally call the project directors to inform and congratulate them on their NEH grant awards. If you call the grantees between now and March 19, you will be the first to notify them of their award. Please find their contact information below.

Many Congressional offices work with the grant awardees to create press releases either jointly or separately. You may also work with NEH’s Communications Director, Theola DeBose (tdebose@neh.gov) or 202-606-8255) on a press release. On March 19, our staff will contact all successful applicants directly. On March 23, we will publicly announce the grants on our website, www.neh.gov.

If you have any questions or would like further information on any of these grants, please contact NEH’s Director of Congressional Affairs, Tim Aiken at (202) 606-8273, or taiken@neh.gov.

Sincerely,

William D. Adams
Chairman
North Central College
Summer Stipends
Outright Amount: $6,000
Project Title: Antiquary, Politician, and Scientist Elias Ashmole (1617-1692): Virtuosity and Knowledge in Early Modern England
Project Director: Bruce Janacek
Contact: 630-637-5613
Subject: National Endowment for the Humanities Grant Notification

December 01, 2014

Dear Representative Roskam:

I am proud to announce new grant awards to your 6th district from the National Endowment for the Humanities. NEH grants are highly competitive and involve a rigorous review and selection process to ensure that the project represents the highest level of humanities research and public engagement. Please find the new grant awards listed below.

We notify Congressional offices of grant awards several days before we notify the awardees, so that Members of Congress or their staff have the opportunity to personally call the project directors to inform and congratulate them on their NEH grant awards. If you or your staff call the grantees in the next few days, you will be the first to notify them of their awards. Please find their contact information below.

Many Congressional offices work with the grant awardees to create press releases either jointly or separately. In the next few days, our staff will contact all successful applicants directly and publicly announce the grants on our website, www.neh.gov (http://www.neh.gov).

If you have any questions or would like further information on any of these grants, please contact NEH’s Director of Congressional Affairs, Courtney Chapin at (202) 606-8298, or cchapin@neh.gov (mailto:cchapin@neh.gov).

Sincerely,

William D. Adams
Chairman

Benedictine University
Preservation Assistance Grants
Outright Amount: $5,977
Project Title: Preservation Assessment for Benedictine University’s Special Collections
Project Director: Julie Wroblewski
Contact: 630-829-6064
December 09, 2013

Representative Peter J. Roskam  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative Roskam:

I am pleased to announce that sites in your 6th district will host a traveling exhibition, Changing America: The Emancipation Proclamation, 1863 and the March on Washington, 1963, as part of NEH's Created Equal initiative. Both the initiative and the exhibition explore American history from the movement for Emancipation to the Civil Rights era. Changing America is an adaptation of a Smithsonian exhibition currently on display at the National Museum of American History (NMAH). NEH supported the traveling exhibition program in collaboration with the NMAH, the American Library Association (ALA), and the Smithsonian's National Museum of African American History and Culture (NMAAHC).

The NEH and ALA selected fifty sites to present the traveling exhibition in their communities for a period of six weeks. The sites will receive the exhibition materials and a $1,700 grant to host public programs. Each site will host at least three public programs, including an opening event. The tour and programs will begin in January 2014 and continue through December 2017.

Recipient(s):

DuPage County Historical Museum Foundation  
Sara Buttita, (630) 104-4956

Today, Monday, December 9th, ALA staff will begin contacting recipients directly. The NEH encourages members of Congress and their staff to call and congratulate project directors too. We also encourage your office to collaborate with recipients on press releases or other opportunities to engage the community. NEH grants are highly competitive and involve a rigorous review and selection process to ensure that the projects represent the highest level of humanities research and public engagement.

If you have any questions or would like further information on this program, please contact me at (202) 606-8298 or cchapin@neh.gov.

Sincerely,

Courtney Chapin  
White House Liaison  
Director of Congressional Affairs

May 16, 2017
Subject: National Endowment for the Humanities Grant Notification

Office of the Chairman
1100 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20506

January 08, 2013

Representative Peter J. Roskam
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Representative Roskam:

I am pleased to announce that the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) has awarded grants to libraries in your 6th district for the Bridging Cultures Bookshelf: Muslim Journeys, a project of NEH's Bridging Cultures special initiative. The Bookshelf is a collection of books, films, and other resources that will introduce the American public to the complex history and culture of Muslim societies in the United States and around the world. NEH and the American Library Association compiled the Bookshelf based on the advice of scholars, librarians, and other public programming experts. Support for the development and distribution of the Muslim Journeys Bookshelf was provided by a grant from the Carnegie Corporation of New York, with additional support for the arts and media components from the Doris Duke Foundation for Islamic Art.

To learn more about the Muslim Journeys Bookshelf, please visit the project's description (http://www.neh.gov/divisions/bridging-cultures/featured-project/neh-announces-bridging-cultures-programs-libraries) or the list of books (http://www.neh.gov/files/divisions/bridging-cultures/muslim_journeys_booklet.pdf) on our website.

The libraries that will receive the Muslim Journeys Bookshelf in your 6th district are:

Helen M. Plum Memorial Library District
Michele Piver, (630) 627-0316

North Central College, Oesterle Library
Belinda Cheek, (630) 637-5703

West Chicago Public Library District
Benjamin Weseloh, (630) 231-1552

We notify you of the award prior to notifying the grant recipient because in the past, some members of Congress have personally informed and congratulated project directors. NEH grants are highly competitive and involve a rigorous review and selection process to ensure that the project represents the highest level of humanities research and public engagement. We hope that you will take the time today or tomorrow to contact the grant recipients listed above. Tomorrow, our staff will contact all successful applicants and publish the list of grantees on our website, www.neh.gov. (http://www.neh.gov/)

If you have any questions or would like further information on this program, please contact NEH's Director of Congressional Affairs,
Roskam FOIA

Courtney Chapin at (202) 606-8298, or cchapin@neh.gov (mailto:ccchapin@neh.gov).

Sincerely,

James A. Leach
Chairman
November 28, 2012

Representative Peter J. Roskam
United States House of Representatives
Room 227
Cannon House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Representative Roskam:

I am pleased to notify you that one or more grants have recently been made in your 6th district by the National Endowment for the Humanities. NEH grants are highly competitive and involve a rigorous review and selection process to ensure that the best of humanities research, education, preservation and public programs is cultivated.

We are notifying the grantees of their award, but have not yet publicly announced this information. We are pleased to be able to notify Members of the House and Senate of these awards in advance of their public release.

If you would like further information on any of these grants, please contact Courtney Chapin in my office at (202) 606-8298, or cchapin@neh.gov.

Sincerely,

James A. Leach
Chairman

Poplar Creek Public Library District
Small Grants to Libraries: America's Music
Outright Amount: $1,500
Project Title: America's Music: A Film History of Our Music from Blues to Bluegrass to Broadway
Project Director: Mary Tetzlaff
Contact: 630-483-4769
Hi Joe,
That is great! We are still on regardless of changes in schedule.
Best,
Caitlin

From: Kallenbach, Joe [mailto:Joe.Kallenbach@mail.house.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 23, 2017 4:50 PM
To: Green, Caitlin <cgreen@neh.gov>
Subject: RE: Reminder: Humanities Recess Event at the Folger Shakespeare Library

Thanks, Caitlin. I will be bringing a colleague with me. I did want to confirm that the event will be taking place regardless of if Congress is in session or not. I would like to plan regardless of Congress’ schedule.

Thank you again,

Joe Kallenbach
US Representative Peter J. Roskam (IL-06)
(202)225-4561

From: Green, Caitlin [mailto:cgreen@neh.gov]
Sent: Thursday, March 23, 2017 4:48 PM
To: Green, Caitlin
Subject: Reminder: Humanities Recess Event at the Folger Shakespeare Library

Thank you for RSVP’ing to tomorrow’s Humanities Recess Event at the Folger Shakespeare Library. We look forward to seeing you at 2:00pm tomorrow. Please feel free to bring colleagues with you as well.

Best,
Caitlin

Caitlin Green
Congressional Affairs Specialist
National Endowment for the Humanities
202-208-7122 | cgreen@neh.gov

TOMORROW - Humanities Recess Event at the Folger Shakespeare Library
Dear Colleague:

Please join us for the March Humanities Recess Event (HRE) for a curated tour of the Folger Shakespeare Library’s exhibition 500 Years of Treasures from Oxford on Friday March 24th at 2:00 pm. A Folger Docent will walk us through the collection of rare books, manuscripts, and illustrations drawn from Corpus Christi College on the occasion of its 500th anniversary.

The exhibition introduces us to the college’s founder, Bishop of Winchester Richard Fox, advisor to Kings Henry VII and Henry VIII, and its first President, John Claymond. As Oxford’s first Renaissance college, the school pursued humanist ideals of its era, promoting scholarship in Latin, Greek, and Hebrew, the original languages of the Bible, and philosophy as well as the study of astronomy, mathematics, and medicine.

The displays include one of the most important collections of Anglo-Jewish manuscripts dating back to the 12th century and what may be the oldest serving Ashkenazi prayer book as well as scientific observations on Halley’s Comet penned by Sir Isaac Newton and Robert Hooke’s notes from his observations with one of the first microscopes.

We will be meeting at 2:00 pm inside the lobby to the visitor entrance at 201 East Capitol Street, S.E. The tour will start promptly at 2:05 pm. Please RSVP to Caitlin Green at cgreen@neh.gov.

We hope to see you there!

Leigh Whittaker & Bri Hearn
Hi Joe,
Thank you for your kind email. I will pass along your contact information to the Congressional Humanities Caucus so that you are included on future HRE invitation lists. We are glad you enjoyed it. If you have ideas for future tours, we are happy to hear them.

Dr. Ward’s email is wardd@si.edu.

Thanks,
Caitlin

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From: Kallenbach, Joe [mailto:Joe.Kallenbach@mail.house.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, March 1, 2017 9:58 AM
To: Green, Caitlin <cgreen@neh.gov>
Cc: Aiken, Timothy <taiken@neh.gov>
Subject: RE: Humanities Recess Event Today

Caitlin and Timothy,

Thank you so much for including me as part of last week’s Humanities Recess Event at the National Portrait Gallery. I absolutely loved it and would love to be included in all other HREs. Additionally, I would like to write to Mr. David Ward and thank him for taking the time to lead the tour. If you could provide any contact information for him, I would greatly appreciate it.

Again, thank you for all your hard work,

Joe Kallenbach
US Representative Peter J. Roskam (IL-06)
(202)225-4561

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From: Green, Caitlin [mailto:cgreen@neh.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, February 22, 2017 11:49 AM
To: Green, Caitlin
Cc: Aiken, Timothy
Subject: Humanities Recess Event Today

We look forward to having you join us at this afternoon’s Humanities Recess Event, a tour of the National Portrait Gallery’s America’s Presidents and American Origins exhibitions. Please meet up at 2:45pm in the lobby by the F Street entrance to the museum.

We still have space, so feel free to bring colleagues who would be interested in attending.
Thanks,
Caitlin

Caitlin Green
Congressional Affairs Specialist
National Endowment for the Humanities
202-208-7122 | cgreen@neh.gov

Humanities Recess Event

The Congressional Humanities Caucus is pleased to invite you to join us **TOMORROW, February 22nd at 3:00 pm** for our first Humanities Recess Event (HRE) of 2017! We will be meeting at the National Portrait Gallery for tour of *America’s Presidents and American Origins*. David C. Ward, Senior Historian and Director of Scholarly Programs Smithsonian Institution will be providing the tour. **You don’t want to miss this!**

Thank you to everyone who has reached out and please feel free to forward to folks in your office if you are not available to attend.

The National Portrait Gallery, whose mission is to tell the American story through the individuals who helped shape it, houses the nation’s only complete collection of presidential portraits outside the White House. Painted, engraved, and sculptured likenesses of the presidents, in fact, were once the only way most Americans could know their leaders.

*American Origins* offers a “conversation about America” through a series of chronologically arranged galleries beginning with first contact between Native Americans and European explorers through the struggles of independence to the Gilded Age. Major figures include Pocahontas, Alexander Hamilton, Nathaniel Hawthorne, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Frederick Douglass and Thomas Edison. Three of the galleries are devoted exclusively to the Civil War that examine the conflict in depth and include a group of modern photographic prints produced from Mathew Brady’s original negatives.

We will be meeting at 2:45 pm in the lobby inside the visitor entrance at 8th and F Street, N.W. The tour will start promptly at 3:00 pm. Please RSVP to Caitlin Green at cgreen@neh.gov.

We hope to see you there!

Leigh Whittaker & Bri Hearn
Joe Kallenbach
US Representative Peter J. Roskam (IL-06)
(202)225-4561
Hi Leigh,
Thanks again for your help in coordinating yesterday’s Humanities Recess Event—it was definitely a success! Attached please find the RSVP list in case you wanted to send folks a follow up email. Here are a few NEH-funded resources related to what we saw yesterday:

- Murder of a President, which explores James Garfield’s assassination.
- This episode of BackStory with the American History Guys looks at the history of inaugurations.
- Chronicling America, a database of historic newspapers, has sections on many of the presidents.

Also, in case it might be helpful for future events, attached please find our list of Arts Issue staff.

Tim and I can also follow through on some of the things we discussed like a “meet the NEH” event and sharing resources/cool projects with you (the podcasts email I described is attached).

Best,
Caitlin

Caitlin Green
Congressional Affairs Specialist
National Endowment for the Humanities
202-208-7122 | cgreen@neh.gov
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Good afternoon,

“As summer winds down . . .” fittingly begins the promotion for the latest podcast from BackStory with the American History Guys on the history of American tourism. BackStory is a public radio program and podcast that “brings historical perspective to the events happening around us today.” On each show, National Endowment for the Humanities grant recipients and renowned U.S. historians Ed Ayers, Peter Onuf, and Brian Balogh take inspiration from today’s headlines to explore popular topics’ historical connections to the past.

The National Endowment for the Humanities is proud to share with you the link to this podcast and other free podcasts to stream or download while on long flights, on the road, enjoying some downtime or returning to D.C. The podcasts are part of the Endowment’s mission to make high quality projects and programs in the humanities available to all Americans.

Save travels,

Tim Aiken and Caitlin Green
National Endowment for the Humanities
Office of Congressional Affairs
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Afropop Worldwide
From Bikutsi to Reggae-ton-explore the culture and history of contemporary Africa and the African diaspora through music.

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Hidden Kitchens travels the world chronicling little known kitchen rituals and traditions that explore how communities come together through food.

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- Available for download on itunes, feedburner, NPR, website

On Being
On Being opens up the animating questions at the center of human life: What does it mean to be human, and how do we want to live?

- Standout episodes include Mathematics, Purpose, and Truth and Science of Mindlessness and Mindfulness
- Available for download on itunes, soundcloud, website
Radio Diaries
First-person diaries, sound portraits, and hidden chapters of history. The extraordinary stories of ordinary life.

- Standout episodes include *The Last Man on the Mountain* and *Shirley Chisholm: The Politics of Principle*
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Studio 360: American Icons
The NPR radio series focuses on fundamental works in American cultural history and literature featuring one-hour podcasts that span our history

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With Good Reason examines a wide range of topics with leading scholars. You may discover the traditions of the samurai warrior, hear about the ways we pre-judge others based on their accents, or learn the surprising history of Hawaiian shirts.

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- Available for download on itunes, feedburner

The World in Words
The World in Words podcast is about language — everything from bilingual education to the globalization of English to Icelandic insults.

- Standout episodes include *Is Bilingual Better?* and *ARRR and Other Words*
- Available for download on itunes, feedburner, website

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Hello. I am no longer with the Office of Congressman Peter Roskam. If you have any scheduling inquiries, please contact the Congressman's new Scheduler, Mary Sobczak at mary.sobczak@mail.house.gov or (202) 225-4561.

If you would like to request a meeting with the Congressman, please follow the link below and fill out the Scheduling Request Form.


It has been great working with you for the past few years! Have a wonderful day.

Amanda Grey (Scherb)
Director of Operations
Congressman Peter J. Roskam (IL-06)
June 25, 2014

Representative Peter Roskam  
United States House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C.  20515

Dear Representative Roskam:

I am pleased to announce that on June 19th a student from your district was named a National Endowment for the Humanities Scholar at the 2014 National History Day competition. This student competed at local, regional, and state competitions before reaching the prestigious national finals. More than half a million students throughout the country entered projects on this year’s theme, “Rights and Responsibilities.”

Mary Kate Baughman, from Immanuel Lutheran, was named a National Endowment for the Humanities Scholar by NEH Chairman Carole Watson in the Junior Individual Exhibit division for her project, The Living Dead: The Radium Dial Painters of Ottawa, Illinois, and Their Impact on Workplace Safety. Students in grades 6 through 8 compete in the junior division while students in grades 9 through 12 compete in the senior division.

The NEH has long supported National History Day’s efforts to engage students in interactive explorations of history through a variety of written and digital mediums. To learn more about National History Day, please visit www.nhd.org. If you would like to send congratulatory letters to these students or post an announcement on your website, newsletter, or social media, please contact Micah Azzano, Director of Public Affairs for National History Day, via email at micah@nhd.org or via phone at 301.405.0536.
Dear Representative Roskam:

On behalf of the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH), I am pleased to announce that 65 libraries, museums, and universities, including the Wheaton Public Library in Wheaton, will participate in the Library of America’s *World War I and America* program, sponsored by NEH.

NEH awarded funding to Library of America to create a series of public programs that mark the 100th anniversary of the U.S. entry into World War I. These public programs will explore World War I and its relevance today by bringing members of the veteran with the general public in libraries and museums around the country to explore the transformative effects of the First World War on our nation by reading, discussing, and sharing insights into the writings of Americans who experienced it firsthand. Library of America has created and made available online an annotated narrative collection about the war, *World War I and America: Told by the Americans Who Lived It*.

Please consider reaching out to the institution(s) listed below to congratulate the project director on the award or collaborate on a public announcement:

Sincerely,

Courtney Chapin  
White House Liaison  
Director of Congressional Affairs  
National Endowment for the Humanities  
400 7th Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20506  
Office: 202.606.8298  
Cell: 202.315.6074  
cchapin@neh.gov
If you have any questions or would like further information on this program, please feel free to contact me at (202) 606-8273 or taiken@neh.gov.

Sincerely,

Tim Aiken
Timothy B. Aiken
Director of Congressional Affairs
National Endowment for the Humanities
400 7th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20506
Office: 202-606-8273

Dear Lee,
I am pleased to share with you that the West Chicago Public Library will host an NEH-funded event on October 14th, at 7:00 pm as part of Latino Americans: 500 Years of History. The Library will host a lecture called “Latinos in West Chicago.”

Produced by the National Endowment for the Humanities and the American Library Association, Latino Americans: 500 Years of History is a nationwide initiative that supports public programs at more than 200 colleges, public libraries, museums and nonprofit organizations across the country. Launched during Hispanic Heritage Month, the program allows venues to host public events and screen segments of Latino Americans, an NEH-funded documentary. Host organizations have been encouraged to reach out to Members of Congress to invite them to events in their district. Click here to find more information, or to schedule a visit, please contact the
Dear Lee,

I am pleased to share with you that the DuPage County Historical Museum is hosting the NEH-funded exhibition *Changing America* from January 25th to March 10th. *Changing America* explores two historic events separated by 100 years--the Emancipation Proclamation in 1863 and the March on Washington in 1963.

The exhibition is one of many NEH-funded exhibitions that travel to locations across the country providing high-quality humanities programming. To learn more about the exhibition or to schedule a visit, please contact the museum directly at (630) 510-4941.

Thank you,
Tim

Timothy B. Aiken
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