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NEH notifies congressional offices of newly offered grants several days before NEH staff members notify the project directors, so that Members of Congress or their staff have the opportunity to personally call the project directors to inform and congratulate them on their successful applications. If you call the project directors between now and March 16, you will be the first to notify them of their projects’ approval. Please find their contact information below.

Many congressional offices work with the project directors to announce publicly offered grants. Please find additional resources from NEH for a public announcement here (http://50.neh.gov/about/chairman/congressional-affairs/grant-announcement-toolkit) (the access code is “humanities”). On March 16, NEH staff will contact all successful applicants directly. On March 23, NEH will announce the grants on its website, www.neh.gov (http://www.neh.gov/). Please hold your public announcements (both traditional and social media) until March 23.

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

Sincerely,

William D. Adams
Chairman

J. Sargeant Reynolds Community College
Humanities Initiatives: Community Colleges
Outright Amount: $97,406
Project Title: Community College Humanities Education and Local Engagement
Project Director: Jane Rosecrans
Contact: 804-523-5590
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Many Congressional offices work with the project directors to publicly announce offered grants either jointly or separately. Please find additional information from NEH for a public announcement here (http://50.neh.gov/about/chairman/congressional-affairs/grant-announcement-toolkit) (the access code is humanities). On December 8, NEH staff will contact all successful applicants directly. On December 14, NEH will announce the grants on its website, www.neh.gov (http://www.neh.gov). Please hold your public announcements (both traditional and social media) until December 14.

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

Sincerely,

William D. Adams
Chairman

University of Richmond
Fellowships for University Teachers
Outright Amount: $25,200
Project Title: Raising the Dead: War, Plague, Magic, Modernism
Project Director: Elizabeth Outka
Contact: [350x110]

Randolph-Macon College
Preservation Assistance Grants
Outright Amount: $5,375
Project Title: Assessment of the Flavia Reed Owen Special Collections and Archives at McGraw-Page Library
Project Director: Laurie Preston
Contact: 804-752-4718
Subject: National Endowment for the Humanities Grant Notification

June 10, 2015

Dear Representative Brat:

I am pleased to announce that the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) has awarded grants to organizations in your 7th 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 7th district are:

University of Richmond
$3,000
Patricia Herrera, pherrera@richmond.edu

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.

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,

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Chairman