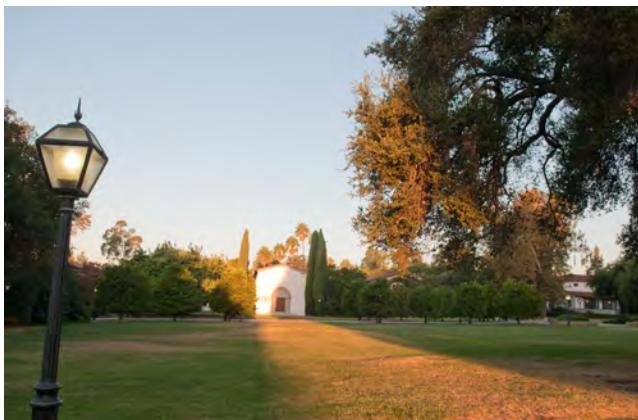


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Working on an LOI or a Grant Proposal? Check out our [Proposal or LOI Checklist](#) for helpful hints.

Ready to apply for an opportunity? Don't forget to complete your [Proposal or LOI Processing Form](#) and return to [Foundation & Corporate Relations](#) at least 2 weeks prior to the deadline.

Upcoming Requests for Proposals:

Oct 30 - [Woodrow Wilson National Fellowship Foundation](#)

Career Enhancement Fellowships for Junior Faculty aims to increase the presence of minority Junior Faculty (African Americans, Hispanics, Native Americans and Native Alaskans) committed to eradicating racial disparities, breaking down stereotypes and promoting cross-racial understanding in core fields in the arts and sciences. Applicants should 1) be in the third year of the tenure-track teaching appointment at the time of application, 2) teach in one of the eligible academic fields, and 3) be able to accept the award for the 2016-2017 academic year. Award includes a maximum \$30,000 stipend, a \$1,500 research, travel or publication grant, and funding to attend the Annual Retreat.

Nov 2 - [The Asian Cultural Council](#)

Proposals are welcome from individuals “exhibiting an abiding passion” and interest in cultural exchange between the United States and the countries of Asia, as well as among the countries in Asia. To apply, you must be an artist, an arts or humanities professional, a scholar, or a graduate/post-graduate student in a related field. Acceptable disciplines include: Archaeology, Architecture, Art History, Arts Administration, Arts Criticism, Conservation, Crafts, Curation, Dance, Film/Video, Literature, Museum Studies, Music, Photography, Theater, and Visual Art.

***NEW!* Nov 15 - [American Association of University Women](#)**

Summer/Short-Term Research Publication Grants provide support to women scholars in all fields of study to prepare research manuscripts for publication and to independent researchers to prepare research for publication. Preference will be given to applicants whose work supports the vision of AAUW: to break through educational and economic barriers so that all women have a fair chance. \$6,000 is available for an eight-week grant period. The grants are for tenure-track, part-time, and temporary faculty, as well as new and established researchers at universities.

***NEW!* Nov 15 - [Newberry Library Fellowship Program](#)**

Long-Term Fellowships available to postdoctoral scholars who wish to be in residence at the Newberry for periods of 4 to 12 months. Long-Term Fellowships are intended to support individual scholarly research and promote serious intellectual exchange through active participation in the Newberry's scholarly activities, including fellows' seminars and a weekly colloquium. Unless stated otherwise, stipends for Long-Term Fellowships are \$4,200 per month.

Dec 9 - [National Endowment for the Humanities' Scholarly Editions and Translations Grant](#)

Scholarly Editions and Translations grants support the preparation of editions and translations of pre-existing texts and documents of value to the humanities that are currently inaccessible or available in inadequate editions. Typically, the texts and documents are significant literary, philosophical, and historical materials; but other types of work, such as musical notation, are also eligible. Projects must be undertaken by a team of at least one editor or translator and one other staff member. These grants support full or part-time activities for periods of one to three years.



Good news? Tell us about it! If you have recently received an award, please contact [Foundation & Corporate Relations](#) so that we can feature your success in an upcoming newsletter.

Dec 10 - [Haynes Foundation](#)

Up to eight (8) Faculty Fellowships of \$12,000 each are awarded annually to faculty members in the social sciences at any university or four-year college in the five county Southern California region (Los Angeles, Orange, Ventura, San Bernardino and Riverside). Funds are restricted to:

- Original social science research into policy issues of the Los Angeles region,
- Research into the history of Southern California,
- Archival and cataloging projects important to Los Angeles,
- Dissertation fellowships at research universities in the five-county Southern California region.
- Faculty fellowships at universities and four-year colleges in the five-county Southern California region.

NEW! Jan 5 - [Russell Sage Foundation](#)

The foundation's program on Social Inequality supports research on the social, economic, political, and labor market consequences of rising economic inequalities in the United States. Priority will be given to projects that use innovative data or other methodologies to address important questions about inequality. Topics that are of interest include, but are not limited to, economic well-being, equality of opportunity, and intergenerational mobility; the political process and the resulting policies; psychological and/or cultural change; education; labor markets; child development and child outcomes; neighborhoods and communities; families, family structure, and family formation; and other forms of inequality. Two-year grants of up to \$150,000 will be awarded to qualified organizations. Awards are available for research assistance, data acquisition, data analysis, and investigator time for conducting research and writing up results. Presidential Awards, with a maximum budget of \$35,000 (no overhead allowed) are also available. Letters of Inquiry must be received no later than Jan 5, 2016. Upon review, select applicants will be invited to submit proposals by Mar 14, 2016.

NEW! Jan 11 - [American Society for Cell Biology](#)

The American Society for Cell Biology is inviting applications from biology instructors seeking to acquire, apply, and assess effective ways to promote active learning when they teach. Through its Mentoring in Active Learning and Teaching program, ASCB will award grants of up to \$2,000 to individual undergraduate biology educators to visit, observe, and work with mentors skilled in active learning and evidence-based teaching strategies that align with the society's principles. This immersion/mentoring experience is intended to provide clarity and practical interactive opportunities for MALT Fellows so they can analyze particular elements of teaching protocols; ask timely, pointed questions about how to activate them in their own classrooms and disciplines; and immediately put their new skills into practice. The program also provides a \$500 mentor stipend.



NEW! Jan 15 - [Harry Ransom Center](#)

The Harry Ransom Center will award approximately 70 fellowships for 2016–2017 for projects that require substantial on-site use of its collections. Fellowships support research in all areas of the humanities, including literature, photography, film, art, the performing arts, music, and cultural history. One-to-three month fellowships are available for postdoctoral or independent scholars.

Jan 28 - [Simons Foundation](#)

This program provides five-year grants to support travel and visitors for mathematicians in the U.S. who do not have access to substantial research funding. Each collaboration grant provides \$7,000 per year for five years: \$5,000 per year for collaboration, travel, and research expenses for the awardee; \$1,000 per year in discretionary funds for the awardee's department; and \$1,000 per year in indirect costs to the awardee's institution. The five-year grant will commence Sept 1, 2016, and end Aug 31, 2021.

NEW! May 1 - [California Historical Society](#)

The California Historical Society (CHS) and Heyday have established the California Historical Society Book Award for a book-length manuscript that makes an important contribution to both scholarship and to the greater community by deepening public understanding of some aspect of California history. The prize carries a \$5,000 advance and publication in both print and e-book formats by CHS/Heyday, with an awards ceremony, ample promotion, and an author tour throughout the state.

The purpose of the award is to recognize and promote an exciting new literary work in celebration of California's heritage. The ideal manuscript will inform the mind and delight the imagination of readers while generating a deeper understanding of California's rich history. The work must adhere to high scholarly and literary standards and must be lively and engaging to general readers. In addition to conventional works of historical scholarship, other genres will be considered such as biographies, collections of letters or essays, creative nonfiction or other stimulating literary forms. Manuscripts, when finished, should be at least 40,000 words. While open to other possibilities, preference will be given to manuscripts of fewer than 75,000 words.

NEW! [Beckman Center](#)

The Beckman Center for the History of Chemistry at the Chemical Heritage Foundation, an independent research library in Philadelphia, is inviting applications for short- or long-term fellowships related to the history of science, technology, medicine, and industry. The center supports roughly twenty fellows each year, creating a vibrant community of scholars whose work is in some way tied to the history of materials and materiality, chemistry, and related sciences. Applications come from people in a wide range of disciplines across the humanities and social sciences.

- 1) Senior Fellowships include stipends of \$60,000 for a nine-month residence program and are open to scholars who have had their Ph.D. for at least five years.
- 2) Postdoctoral Fellowships include stipends of \$45,000 for a nine-month residence program and are open to scholars at the postdoctoral level.
- 3) Dissertation Fellowships include stipends of \$26,000 for a nine-month residence program and are open to graduate students at the dissertation stage.
- 4) Short-Term Fellowships include stipends of \$3,000 per month in for residence programs of one to four months and are open to all scholars and researchers. Short-term fellowships are specifically designed around access to the center's research collections, while long-term fellows' work must help support the mission of the institution and fit with the collections more generally.