Faculty Fellowships
2015/2016

Humanities and Social Sciences

American Council of Learned Societies
ACLS Collaborative Research Awards
Application Deadline: Expected September 2015
These awards offer small teams of two or more scholars the opportunity to collaborate intensively on a single, substantive project. The fellowship supports projects that aim to produce a tangible research product (such as joint print or web publications) for which two or more collaborators will take credit. The fellowships are for a total period of up to 24 months, to be initiated between July 1, 2015 and September 1, 2017, and provide salary replacement for each collaborator (based on academic rank: up to $35,000 for Assistant Professor; up to $40,000 for Associate Professor; and up to $60,000 for full Professor). Award amounts will depend on the number of collaborators and the duration of the research, but will not exceed $200,000 for any one project. Link

ACLS Digital Innovation Fellowships
Application Deadline: Expected September 2015
This Fellowship supports digitally based research projects in all disciplines of the humanities and related social sciences. It is hoped that projects of successful applicants will help advance digital humanistic scholarship by broadening understanding of its nature and exemplifying the robust infrastructure necessary for creating such works. ACLS Digital Innovation Fellowships are intended to support an academic year (July 1st 2016 – September 1st 2017) dedicated to work on a major scholarly project that takes a digital form. Link

ACLS Comparative Perspectives on Chinese Culture & Society Program
Application Deadline: Expected October 2015
This program supports collaborative work of three types: Planning Meetings: Grants up to $6,000 will be offered for one-day meetings to plan conferences or workshops, or for less structured explorations, e.g., brainstorming sessions. Workshop grants of $10,000 to $15,000 will be offered for workshops designed to promote discussion and the exchange of ideas on newly available or inadequately researched data or texts in a collegial, seminar-like setting. Workshops are not mini-conferences with the presentation of formal papers describing work already done. Conference grants up to $25,000 will be offered for formal research conferences intended to produce significant new research that will be published in a conference volume. The program aims to promote interchange among scholars who may not otherwise have the opportunity to work together. Link

ACLS Fellowships, including ACLS/Social Science Research Council/NEH International and Area Studies and ACLS/NY Public Library Fellowships
Application Deadline: Expected September 2015
These Fellowships are intended as salary replacement to help scholars devote six to twelve continuous months to full-time research and writing. ACLS Fellowships are portable and are

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An ACLS Fellowship may be held concurrently with other fellowships and grants and any sabbatical pay, up to an amount equal to the candidate's current academic year salary. 

1. **ACLS/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies Fellowships** - In order to encourage humanistic research in area studies, special funding from the National Endowment for the Humanities and ACLS has been set aside for ACLS/SSRC/NEH International and Area Studies Fellowships to be designated among the successful applicants to the central ACLS Fellowship competition. Scholars pursuing research and writing on the societies and cultures of Asia, Africa, the Middle East, Latin America and the Caribbean, Eastern Europe, and the former Soviet Union will be eligible for these special fellowships. 

2. **ACLS/New York Public Library Fellowships** - ACLS may give up to five residential fellowships per year in conjunction with the New York Public Library’s Dorothy and Lewis B. Cullman Center for Scholars and Writers. The Center for Scholars and Writers provides opportunities for up to 15 Fellows to explore the rich, diverse collections in the NYPL’s Stephen A. Schwarzman Building (formerly the Humanities and Social Sciences Library). The Center also serves as a forum for the exchange of ideas among Fellows, invited guests, the wider academic and cultural communities, and the interested public. It provides individual office space and common areas in the Library building. Fellows are required to be in residence from the beginning of September through the end of May and to participate in Center activities. These may include lunches, panel discussions, public conversations, symposia, and interviews. 

**American Research in Humanities in China Program**

*Application Deadline: Has not been offered since 2012*

This Program is funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. Stipends are calculated based upon the length of the awardee's stay in China, and include allowances for travel, living expenses, and research/affiliation fees. Stipends for four to five months of research cannot exceed $25,200. The maximum award is $50,400. The award may be reduced if the candidate also receives full or partial salary during the fellowship period. There is no financial support for dependents.

**Frederick Burkhardt Fellowships**

*Application Deadline: Expected September 2015*

These Fellowships support long-term, unusually ambitious projects in the humanities and related social sciences. The ultimate goal of the project should be a major piece of scholarly work by the applicant. ACLS does not fund creative work (e.g., novels or films), textbooks, straightforward translation, or pedagogical projects. Burkhardt Fellowships are intended to support an academic year (nine months) of residence at any one of the 13 national residential research centers participating in the program. Up to 9 fellowships will be awarded, each with a stipend of $75,000.

**Charles A. Ryskamp Research Fellowships**

*Application Deadline: Expected September 2015*

These Fellowships are intended to support an academic year of research (nine months), plus an additional summer's research (two months) if justified for an amount of $64,000 plus $2,500 for research and travel (up to 12 awards). These fellowships support advanced assistant professors and untenured associate professors in the humanities and related social sciences whose scholarly contributions have advanced their fields and who have well-designed and carefully developed plans.
for new research Fellows have three years from July 1, 2016 to use the fellowship funds, and considerable flexibility in structuring their research time: the nine-month period may be taken as one continuous leave, or divided into two single-semester leaves; the two months of summer research may be taken before, after, or between the semesters of the year’s leave. Fellows are encouraged to spend substantial periods of their leaves in residential interdisciplinary centers, research libraries, or other scholarly archives in the United States or abroad. If personal circumstances preclude extended absence from their home campuses, applicants need to demonstrate that they will be released from all academic and administrative responsibilities, and that continual residence at home will successfully advance their projects in other ways—through access to particular colleagues, for example, or to valuable research collections. See Link

American Councils for International Education

Balkan Language Initiative
Application Deadline: Expected October 2015 (for Spring 2016 term)
The Balkan Language Initiative (BLI) provides participants the rare opportunity to study language and culture in Southeast Europe. This program offers college students, undergraduates and professionals the choice to study one of four Balkan languages in an overseas immersion setting. Participants can learn to speak Albanian in Tirana, Bosnian in Sarajevo, Macedonian in Skopje, or Serbian in Belgrade. Link

Eurasian Regional Language Program
Application Deadline: March 15, 2015
The American Councils Eurasian Regional Language Program provides graduate students, advanced undergraduates, scholars, and working professionals’ intensive individualized instruction in the languages of Eurasia. Participants may enroll in semester, academic year, or summer programs. All courses are conducted by expert faculty from leading local universities and educational institutions. Link

Title VIII Research Fellowships
Application Deadline: Unknown
1. Combined Research and Language Training Program (CRLT)
   This program provides full support for research and approximately ten hours per week of advanced language instruction for three to nine consecutive months in Central Asia, Russia, the South Caucasus, Southeast Europe, Moldova and Ukraine. The value of this fellowship ranges from $5,000 to $25,000. Link

2. Research Scholar Program
   This program provides full support for three to nine consecutive month research trips to Central Asia, Russia, the South Caucasus, Southeast Europe, Moldova and Ukraine. The value of this fellowship ranges from $5,000 to $25,000. Link

US-Russia Innovation Corridor
Application Deadline: Expected Spring 2015
The US-Russia Innovation Corridor (USRIC) provides assistance to start-up companies, innovative projects, and universities wishing to explore US-Russia collaborations and partnerships around commercializing innovations. Link

The American Historical Association (AHA)
Applications Deadline: Expected February 2016
1. The Albert J. Beveridge Grant for Research in the Western Hemisphere is available to support research in the history of the Western hemisphere; individual grants do not exceed $1,000. Link

2. The Michael Kraus Research Grant in colonial American history, with particular reference to the intercultural aspects of American and European relations, offers cash awards of up to $800. Link

3. The Littleton-Griswold Grant offers grants of up to $1,000 for research in U.S. legal history and the field of law and society. Link

4. The Bernadotte Schmitt Grant supports research in the history of Europe, Asia, and Africa. Individual grants will not exceed $1,000. Link

AHA Short term Fellowship
Application Deadline: Expected Early March 2016
Four short-term fellowships, carrying stipends of $2,000 each, are tenable for a month of continuous research at the Library Company between June 1 and May 31. Link

AHA Fellowship in Aerospace History
Application Deadline: Expected April 2016
This program is supported by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), annually funds one or more research projects from six to nine months. Proposals of advanced research in history related to all aspects of aerospace, from the earliest human interest in flight to the present, are eligible, including cultural and intellectual history, economic history, history of law and public policy, and history of science, engineering, and management. The fellowship is open to applicants who hold a doctoral degree in history or a closely related field, or who are enrolled in and have completed all course work for a doctoral degree-granting program. The stipend is $20,000. Link

AHA/Folger Shakespeare Library Fellowship
Application Deadline: March 1, 2016
The American Historical Association/Folger Shakespeare Library Fellowship is sponsored jointly by the AHA and the Folger Shakespeare Library. It is awarded for research on seventeenth- and eighteenth-century western European history. The fellow will be awarded a 1-3 month fellowship to be taken at the Folger Shakespeare Library with a stipend of $2,500 a month. Link

J. Franklin Jameson Fellowship
Application Deadline: Expected Early April 2015
The J. Franklin Jameson Fellowship in American History is sponsored jointly by the AHA and the Library of Congress. It is awarded annually to support significant scholarly research in the collections of the Library of Congress by scholars at an early stage in their careers in history. The fellowship will last 2-3 months at the Library of Congress with a stipend of $5,000. PhD degree or equivalent required. Applicants must have received this degree within the past seven years, and must not have published or had accepted for publication a book-length historical work. Link

American Philosophical Society
The Phillips Fund of the American Philosophical Society
Deadline: Expected March 2016
The Phillips Fund provides grants for research in Native American linguistics, ethnohistory, and the history of studies of Native Americans, in the continental United States and Canada. Grants are not made for projects in archaeology, ethnography, psycholinguistics, or for the preparation of pedagogical materials. The committee distinguishes ethnohistory from contemporary ethnography as the study of cultures and culture change through time. The grants are intended for such costs as
travel, tapes, films, and consultants’ fees but not for the purchase of books or permanent equipment. Link

**APS Library Resident Fellowships**

*Deadline: Expected February/March 2016*

These Fellowships offer short-term residential fellowships for conducting research in its collections. It is a leading international center for research in the history of American science and technology and its European roots, as well as early American history and culture. The Library houses over 11 million manuscript items, 350,000 volumes of printed materials, thousands of maps and prints, and more than a thousand hours of audio recordings of Native American languages. Collections are renowned for their depth and interdisciplinary strengths in diverse fields, including Early American History and Culture to 1840 • Atlantic History • Intellectual History • Travel, Exploration and Expeditions • History of Science, Technology and Medicine • History of Biochemistry, Physiology and Biophysics including 20th-Century Medical Research • History of Eugenics and Genetics • History of Physics, especially Quantum Physics • History of Natural History in the 18th and 19th Centuries • Anthropology, particularly Native American History, Culture and Languages • Caribbean and Slavery Studies. The Library does not hold materials on philosophy in the modern sense. Link

**The Lewis and Clark Fund for Exploration and Field Research in Astrobiology Fellowship**

*Deadline: Expected February 2016*

These Fellowships are open to field studies in any area of interest to astrobiology. Applications will be reviewed by a committee that includes members of the NAI, the APS, and the wider science community as needed. Recipients will be designated as Lewis and Clark Field Scholars in Astrobiology. The NAI-supported Lewis and Clark Fund for Exploration and Field Research in Astrobiology has awarded nearly $250,000 in its first seven years of existence. Link

**APS Scholar in Residence Program**

*Deadline: Expected March 2016*

The American Philosophical Society Library offers short-term residential fellowships for conducting research in its collections. They are a leading international center for research in the history of American science and technology and its European roots, as well as early American history and culture. A stipend of $2,500 per month is awarded for a minimum of one month and a maximum of three months. Link

**Andrew W. Mellon Foundation Post-Doctoral Curatorial Fellowship**

*Deadline: Expected December 2016*

This two-year fellowship is offered to recent PhDs in the fields of history of science, art history, 18th or 19th-century American history, or any other related humanities disciples. Hands-on experience in curatorial work will be provided as the Fellow conducts research in the APS collections in preparation for the APS Museum’s exhibitions. The Fellow’s primary responsibility will be to conduct scholarly research for exhibitions, programs, and other related activities. Twenty percent of the Fellow’s time will be reserved for his or her own independent research, ideally using resources at the APS or kindred regional institutions. Link

**American-Scandinavian Foundation, The**

**Academic Fellowship & Grants**

*Deadline: November 1 Annually*
The American-Scandinavian Foundation (ASF) offers fellowships (up to $23,000) and grants (up to $5,000) to individuals to pursue research, study or creative arts projects in one or more Scandinavian country for up to one year. During the past 100 years, over 4,000 fellowships and grants have been given to Americans and Scandinavians engaged in study or research projects. [Link]

**John Carter Brown Library**

The John Carter Brown Library Research Fellowship Program  
*Application Deadline: Expected January 2016*  
This program was created to give scholars of the early Americas from the U.S. and abroad an opportunity to pursue their work in proximity to a distinguished collection of primary sources. Approximately forty fellowships are awarded annually for periods of two to ten months. Fellowships are available to advanced graduate students, scholars, and independent researchers. The main criteria for awards are the merit and significance of the proposal, the qualifications of the candidate, and the relevance the Library's holdings to the proposed research project. [Link]

**James McKeen Cattell Fund Fellowships**  
*Application Deadline: Expected January 2016*  
For over half a century, the James McKeen Cattell Fund has provided support for the science and the application of psychology. The Fund offers a program of supplementary sabbatical awards ("James McKeen Cattell Fund Fellowships"). These awards supplement the regular sabbatical allowance provided by the recipients’ home institutions, to allow an extension of leave-time from one to two semesters. Information on the history of the fund, application materials, requirements for award eligibility, and a list of previous recipients are available on this site. See topics listed in the left hand column. [Link]

**Council for International Exchange of Scholars**  
**Core Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program**  
*Application Deadline: August 2, 2015*  
This program provides approximately 800 teaching and/or research grants to U.S. faculty and experienced professionals in a wide variety of academic and professional fields. Grants are available in over 125 countries worldwide. [Link]

**Fulbright International Education Administrators Program (IEA)**  
*Deadline: India - August 3, 2015; Japan/Korea – November 2, 2015; France/Germany – February 1, 2015*  
Fulbright IEA Programs are open to experienced international education administrators and other senior administrators responsible for enhancing the international dimensions of their institutions. These 2 week seminars engage U.S. administrators with overseas peers in a comparative study of the society, culture and higher education systems of France, Germany, India, Japan or South Korea. [Link]

**Fulbright Specialist Program**  
*Deadline: Rolling Admission*  
The Fulbright Specialist Program promotes linkages between U.S. scholars and professionals and their counterparts at host institutions overseas. The program awards grants for short-term (2-6 weeks) collaborative projects in over 140 countries and 24 academic disciplines. Shorter grant lengths give Fulbright Specialists greater flexibility to pursue projects that work best with their current academic or professional commitments. [Link]

**Center for Advanced Studies in Behavior Sciences at Stanford University**
Residential Postdoctoral Fellowship

*Application Period: Expected July 16-October 6, 2015*

The Center offers a residential postdoctoral fellowship program for scientists and scholars from this country and abroad. Since 1954, CASBS Fellowships have been awarded to scholars working in a diverse range of disciplines. These include the five core social and behavioral disciplines of anthropology, economics, political science, psychology and sociology as well as scholars from a wide range of humanistic disciplines, education, linguistics and the biological sciences. [Link](#)

Dumbarton Oaks

*Project Grants*

*Application Deadline: November 2015*

Dumbarton Oaks makes a limited number of grants to assist with scholarly projects in Byzantine Studies, Pre-Columbian Studies, and Garden and Landscape Studies. The normal range of awards is $3,000–$10,000, and the funding may be used only for direct costs for which original documentation must be submitted at the conclusion of the project. Support is generally for archeological research, as well as for the recovery, recording, and analysis of materials that would otherwise be lost. Funding is typically awarded for transportation, meals, housing, vehicle rental, workmen’s wages, costs of technical analyses, etc.; grants are not normally made for the purchase of computers or the salary of the principal investigator. Funds can only be disbursed to individuals, and not to academic or other institutions, and only on a reimbursement basis, upon submission of receipts, and after the final report has been submitted. [Link](#)

European University Institute

*The Max Weber Fellowship Programme*

*Application Deadline: October 25, 2015*

This program offers 1- and 2-year fellowships. Two year fellowships involve additional academic activities in the EUI departments, such as limited graduate teaching. The annual deadline for applications is October 25th. Please note that applications for self-funded fellowships are considered from October 25th, 2014 to March 25th, 2015 on a first-come first-served basis for as long as there is capacity in the Max Weber Programme. The Programme is designed for junior post-docs who have received a doctorate in economics, law, history, social and political sciences, or a related field, within the last 5 years, and who wish to advance their research and academic training within a multidisciplinary environment before entering the international job market or continuing their career as a recently appointed academic. The Max Weber Programme is Europe’s largest postdoctoral programme in the social sciences and humanities. It is funded by the European Commission (DG Education and Culture) and hosted by the European University Institute in Florence where the research community of professors, researchers and fellows provides an excellent environment for the Programme. [Link](#)

The George A. and Eliza Gardner Howard Foundation

*Creative Writing (Fiction), Creating Writing (Poetry), and Philosophy*

*Application Deadline: Expected November 2015*

The Howard Foundation awards a limited number of fellowships each year for independent projects in selected fields. The Foundation targets its support specifically to early mid-career individuals, those who have achieved recognition for at least one major project. Stipends of $30,000 will be awarded to support individuals working on projects for one academic year. Howard Fellowships are intended primarily to provide artists and scholars with time to complete their work. They are not intended for publication subsidies, for equipment purchase, for preparation of exhibits, or to support institutional programs. Note that music and playwriting (excluding TV and film scripts) are this year’s entries in the creative arts, while proposals for historical and critical
studies in history, musicology, and theatre studies are invited. There are no residency requirements for individuals during the time in which they receive awards. We are aware that leave patterns and individual career plans do not necessarily correspond to the Howard Foundation cycle of awards for individuals, and fellowship recipients in a given year may accordingly postpone receipt of their fellowship funds, if that is more convenient for them. Link

The Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History
Gilder Lehrman Fellowships
*Applications Deadline: May 15, 2015*
Gilder Lehrman Fellowships are open to doctoral candidates, postdoctoral scholars, college and university faculty at every rank, and independent scholars working in American history. International scholars are eligible to apply. Fellows will complete their research within a year of notification of the award, meet with the fellowship coordinator during their visit to New York City, and submit a 750-1000 word essay on their topic for possible inclusion on the Gilder Lehrman website and a separate paragraph documenting the archival collections consulted during the fellowship. Link

Harvard University’s Davis Center for Russian Studies
Post-Doctoral and Senior Fellowships
*Application Deadline: The application for the 2016–2017 Fellows Program will be available October 1, 2015.*
The Davis Center's Fellows Program brings together scholars at early and later stages in their careers to consider a common theme spanning the social sciences and humanities. Each year, a team of faculty affiliates coordinates this theme and leads a regular interdisciplinary seminar series in which Fellows participate, with advanced graduate students and invited speakers, in addition to pursuing their own research. Previous year's themes have included “Mapping Cultural Space: Sites, Systems, and Practices across Eurasia” and “Subjectivities and Identities in Eurasia”. Link

Harvard’s Villa I Tatti in Florence
I Tatti Fellowships (for study of the Italian Renaissance)
*Application Deadline: October 2015*
Fellows are selected by an international and interdisciplinary committee that welcomes applications from Italian Renaissance scholars from all nations. The committee aims to assess the ability of candidates to contribute in a collegial way to the intellectual life of the Harvard Center. It pays special attention to the candidate’s curriculum vitae, the strength of the proposed project, and its potential to yield original results. At the time of application, scholars must hold a PhD, dottorato di ricerca, or an equivalent degree. They must be conversant in either English or Italian and able to understand both languages. They should be in the early stages of their career, having received a PhD between 2004-2013 and have a solid background in Italian Renaissance studies. The project must represent advanced research in the Italian Renaissance, broadly defined as the period ranging from the 13th to the 17th centuries. The fellowship year runs from July 1-June 30 in which time Fellows are expected to spend at least three days a week at the Villa and are required to live in Florence. Link

Humboldt Research Fellowships
*Application Deadline: There is no closing date for submitting applications. Applications are processed as part of an ongoing procedure*
This fellowship is for experienced researchers allows you to carry out a long-term research project (6-24 months) you have selected yourself in cooperation with an academic host you have selected yourself at a research institution in Germany. The fellowship is flexible and can be divided up into
as many as three stays within three years. Scientists and scholars of all nationalities and disciplines may apply to the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation directly at any time. The Humboldt Foundation grants approximately 600 Humboldt Research Fellowships for postdoctoral researchers. Link

The Huntington Library
Various Short Term & Long Term Fellowships
Application Deadline: Expected November 2015
The Huntington is an independent research center with holdings in British and American history, literature, art history, and the history of science and medicine. The Library collections range chronologically from the eleventh century to the present and include seven million manuscripts, 413,000 rare books, 275,000 reference works, and 1.3 million photographs, prints, and ephemera. The Burndy Library consists of some 67,000 rare books and reference volumes in the history of science and technology, as well as an important collection of scientific instruments. Within the general fields listed above there are many areas of special strength, including: Middle Ages, Renaissance, 19th- and 20th-century literature, British drama, Colonial America, American Civil War, Western America, and California. The Art Collections contain notable British and American paintings, fine prints, photographs, and an art reference library. In the library of the Botanical Gardens is a broad collection of reference works in botany, horticulture, and gardening. The Huntington will award to scholars over 150 fellowships for the academic year 2015-2016. These fellowships derive from a variety of funding sources and have different terms. Recipients of all fellowships are expected to be in continuous residence at the Huntington and to participate in and make a contribution to its intellectual life. Link

The John W. Kluge Center & American Historical Association
Application Deadline: April 1, 2015
The Franklin Jameson Fellowship in American History is offered annually by the Library of Congress and the American Historical Association to support significant scholarly research for one semester in the collections of the Library of Congress by scholars at an early stage in their careers in history. The fellowship is named in honor of J. Franklin Jameson, a founder of the Association, longtime managing editor of the American Historical Review, formerly Chief of the Manuscript Division of the Library of Congress, and the first incumbent of the Library's Chair of American History. It is designed to assist scholars early in their careers. Link

The Kluge Foundation David B. Larson Fellowship in Health and Spirituality
Application Deadline: April 17 annually
The Library of Congress invites qualified scholars to apply for a post-doctoral fellowship in the field of health and spirituality. Made possible by a generous endowment from the International Center for the Integration of Health and Spirituality (ICIHS), the fellowship is named in honor of the Center's late founder, David B. Larson, an epidemiologist and psychiatrist, who focused on potentially relevant but understudied factors which might help in prevention, coping, and recovering from illness. The fellowship is designed to continue Dr. Larson's legacy of promoting meaningful, scholarly study of these two important and increasingly interrelated fields. It seeks to encourage the pursuit of scholarly excellence in the scientific study of the relation of religiousness and spirituality to physical, mental, and social health. Link

National Endowment for the Humanities
Fellowships
Application Deadline: April 30, 2015
These Fellowships support individuals pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both. Recipients usually produce articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources in the humanities. Projects may be at any stage of development. Link

**Summer Stipends**

*Application Deadline: October 1, 2015*

These stipends support individuals pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both. Recipients usually produce articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources. Summer Stipends support continuous full-time work on a humanities project for a period of two months. Summer Stipends support projects at any stage of development. Summer Stipends are awarded to individual scholars. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Link

**NEH Summer Seminars and Institutes**

*Application Deadline: February 25, 2016*

These grants support faculty development programs in the humanities for school teachers and for college and university teachers. NEH Summer Seminars and Institutes may be as short as two weeks or as long as five weeks. Link

**Collaborative Research Grants**

*Application Deadline: December 9, 2015*

Collaborative Research Grants support interpretive humanities research undertaken by a team of two or more scholars, for full-time or part-time activities for periods of one to three years. Support is available for various combinations of scholars, consultants, and research assistants; project-related travel; field work; applications of information technology; and technical support and services. All grantees are expected to communicate the results of their work to the appropriate scholarly and public audiences. Link

**Documenting Endangered Languages**

*Application Deadline: September 15, 2015*

The Documenting Endangered Languages (DEL) program is a partnership between the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) and the National Science Foundation (NSF) to develop and advance knowledge concerning endangered human languages. Made urgent by the imminent death of an estimated half of the 6000-7000 currently used languages, this effort aims also to exploit advances in information technology. Awards support fieldwork and other activities relevant to recording, documenting, and archiving endangered languages, including the preparation of lexicons, grammars, text samples, and databases. DEL funding is available in the form of one- to three-year project grants as well as fellowships for six to twelve months. At least half the available funding will be awarded to projects involving fieldwork. Link

**Fellowships for Advanced Social Science Research on Japan**

*Application Deadline: April 30, 2015 for Projects Beginning January 2016*

The Fellowship Program for Advanced Social Science Research on Japan is a joint activity of the Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission (JUSFC) and the National Endowment for the Humanities. Awards support research on modern Japanese society and political economy, Japan’s international relations, and U.S.-Japan relations. The program encourages innovative research that puts these subjects in wider regional and global contexts and is comparative and contemporary in nature. Research should contribute to scholarly knowledge or to the general public’s understanding of issues of concern to Japan and the United States. Appropriate disciplines for the research include
anthropology, economics, geography, history, international relations, linguistics, political science, psychology, public administration, and sociology. Awards usually result in articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources. The fellowships are designed for researchers with advanced language skills whose research will require use of data, sources, and documents in their original languages or whose research requires interviews onsite in direct one-on-one contact. Fellows may undertake their projects in Japan, the United States, or both, and may include work in other countries for comparative purposes. Projects may be at any stage of development. Link

National Humanities Center (Research Triangle, NC)
Residential Fellowships
Application Deadline: Expected October 2015
The National Humanities Center offers 40 residential fellowships for advanced study in the humanities for the period September 2014 through May 2015. Applicants must have doctorate or equivalent scholarly credentials. Young scholars as well as senior scholars are encouraged to apply, but they must have a record of publication, and new Ph.D.s should be aware that the Center does not normally support the revision of a doctoral dissertation. In addition to scholars from all fields of the humanities, the Center accepts individuals from the natural and social sciences, the arts, the professions, and public life who are engaged in humanistic projects. The Center is also international and gladly accepts applications from scholars outside the United States. Link

Phi Beta Kappa Society
The Walter J. Jensen Fellowship for French Language, Literature, and Culture
Application Deadline: Expected February 2016
This fellowship is awarded for at least six continuous months of study in France. The purpose of the award is to help educators and researchers improve education in standard French language, literature and culture and in the study of standard French in the United States. The fellowship is awarded annually and has a stipend of $15,500 for the year 2014. Phi Beta Kappa will also cover a single round-trip, economy-class ticket for the recipient to travel to France; some additional support may be available to those with dependent children. Link

Harry Ransom Center, The
Research Fellowship
Application Deadline: Expected January 2016
The Harry Ransom Center annually awards over 50 fellowships to support projects that require substantial on-site use of its collections. The fellowships support research in all areas of the humanities, including literature, photography, film, art, the performing arts, music, and cultural history. The fellowships range from one to three months, with stipends of $3,000 per month. Also available are $1,200 to $1,700 travel stipends and dissertation fellowships with a $1,500 stipend. The stipends are funded by individual donors and organizations. Link

University of Edinburgh
Postdoctoral Bursaries
Application Deadline: June 1, 2015
The bursaries are tenable for Fellowships of three to nine months. Awards will be up to a maximum of £10,000. The bursary may be used to top up an existing postdoctoral Fellowship (e.g. British Academy), or as a contribution towards living expenses. Applicants are asked to indicate other sources of support for which they have applied and the expected date of outcome. No teaching is required, but successful applicants may be able to supplement the bursary by contributing, by arrangement with the appropriate Head of subject area, to undergraduate teaching programmes.
Office accommodation and research facilities are provided by the Institute in a postdoctoral suite which can accommodate up to six Postdoctoral Fellows at any one time. All Fellows of the Institute are expected to take part in the Institute’s research programme and to offer a paper in one of the research seminars during their Fellowship. There are opportunities to participate in and to design seminars, workshops, colloquia etc. at the Institute, and to collaborate with colleagues working in similar areas of research. The Institute’s arrangements particularly encourage interdisciplinary collaboration. [Link]

Visiting Research Fellowships
Deadline: February 28, 2016
Applications are invited for Visiting Research Fellowships of between two and six months. No limitation is placed on the area of research within the Humanities and Social Sciences. The Institute exists to foster interdisciplinary activities in the Humanities and Social Science and has a particular interest in using its visiting fellowships to build international collaborations. The Institute is housed in an 18th century courtyard close to the University Library and about 20 scholars are in residence at any time. Fellows are allocated a private office in the Institute with all the usual research facilities and are expected to play a full part in the activities of the Institute. They are also encouraged to develop their contacts with colleagues within the College of Humanities and Social Science. They give at least one seminar on their current research work during their tenure. The Fellowships are not funded. [Link]

IASH-SSPS Visiting Research Fellowships
Deadline: February 26, 2016
These Fellowships seek to encourage outstanding research, international scholarly collaboration, and networking activities of Visiting Research Fellows together with academics in the School of Social and Political Science (SSPS). Fellows will be expected to work in collaboration with one or more members of SSPS academic staff, and to take an active part in IASH interdisciplinary events. The Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities is housed in an 18th century courtyard close to the University Library and about 20 scholars are in residence at any time. Fellows are allocated a private office in the Institute with all the usual research facilities. During the course of their stay in Edinburgh, IASH-SSPS Visiting Research Fellows will be expected to make two seminar presentations on their research – one at IASH and one in SSPS – and to take part in IASH work-in-progress sessions and relevant seminars in SSPS. [Link]

The European Institutes for Advanced Study (EURIAS) Fellowship Programme (Junior and Senior Fellowships)
Deadline: April 9, 2015
The European Institutes for Advanced Study (EURIAS) Fellowship Programme is an international researcher mobility programme. It builds on the strong reputation of the Institutes for Advanced Study for promoting the focused, self-directed work of excellent researchers within the stimulating environment of a multidisciplinary and international group of fellows. The programme offers 10-month residencies – mainly in the Humanities and Social Sciences – in Berlin, Bologna, Budapest, Cambridge, Delmenhorst, Edinburgh, Freiburg, Helsinki, Jerusalem, Lyon, Marseille, Paris, Uppsala, Vienna, Wassenaar, and Zürich. [Link]

Marion and Jasper Whiting Foundation Fellowship for Travel
Deadline: Expected January, 2016
The primary purpose of the Foundation is to award fellowships to present and prospective teachers with an emphasis on present teachers at the college or university level, to enable them to study
The aim is to stimulate and broaden the minds of the teachers so as to improve and enhance the quality of their instruction. Only applications from the New England area are considered.  

**Woodrow Wilson Center (Washington, D.C.) Fellowship**  
*Deadline: October 1, 2015*  
Through an international competition, the Center offers 9-month residential fellowships. Fellows conduct research and write in their areas of interest, while interacting with policymakers in Washington and Wilson Center staff. The Center accepts non-advocacy, policy-relevant, fellowship proposals that address key challenges of past, present and future issues confronting the United States and the world. [Link](#)  

**Sciences**  

**American Chemical Society - Petroleum Research Fund Awards**  
ACS PRF research grant programs support fundamental research in the petroleum field, and development of the next generation of engineers and scientists through advanced scientific education. Research areas supported include chemistry, the earth sciences, chemical and petroleum engineering, and related fields such as polymers and materials science. Membership in the American Chemical Society is not a requirement or a factor in awarding ACS PRF grants. The goals of the American Chemical Society Petroleum Research Fund are:  
- To support fundamental research in the petroleum field  
- To develop the next generation of engineers and scientists through support of advanced scientific education  

**New Directions Grant Program**  
*Application Deadline: September 14 to October 16, 2015*  
The New Directions Grants Program aims to stimulate a new direction of research for established faculty, and to support the careers of their student scientists and engineers. The New Directions (ND) grants program provides funds to scientists and engineers with limited—or even no—preliminary results for a research project they wish to pursue, who intend to use the PRF-driven preliminary results to seek continuation funding from other agencies. ND grants are to be used to illustrate proof of concept/feasibility. Accordingly, they are to be viewed as seed money for new research ventures.  

A "new research direction" is something different from previous research performed by the lead principal investigator (lead PI). But, it may involve a field of science or engineering in which others are already working. Therefore, the proposed research should not be in the same direction as—or overlap with—current projects in the lead PI’s research group. DNI awards are $110,000 over 2 years; approximately 100 awards are given each year. [Link](#)  

**Doctoral New Investigator (DNI) Grants**  
*Deadline: September 14-October 16, 2015*  
DNI Grants provide start-up funding for scientists and engineers in the United States who are within the first three years of their first academic appointment at the level of Assistant Professor or the equivalent. Applicants may have limited or no preliminary results for a research project they wish to pursue, with the intention of using the preliminary results obtained to seek continuation
funding from other agencies. The DNI grants are to be used to illustrate proof of principle or
concept, to test a hypothesis, or to demonstrate feasibility of an approach.

The DNI grants program is seeking investigator-initiated, original research across the spectrum of
our mission. Original research is defined as being different from that performed previously by the
PI as part of their graduate or postdoctoral studies. Excluded from consideration are proposals in
which the ideas being presented are a mere extension of research from the PI’s graduate or
postdoctoral experience. Research projects must be unique. Although a PI may send the same
proposal to more than one agency, PRF will not support a project having overlap, or partial overlap,
with research funded by another agency. DNI awards are $110,000 over 2 years. Approximately 90
awards are given each year. Link

DOE Visiting Faculty Program
Deadline: Expected January 2016
The Department of Energy’s Visiting Faculty Program (VFP), formerly known as the Faculty and
Student Teams (FaST) seeks to increase the research competitiveness of faculty members and their
students at institutions historically underrepresented in the research community in order to
expand the workforce vital to the DOE mission areas. As part of the program, selected
university/college faculty members collaborate with DOE laboratory research staff on a research
project of mutual interest. Faculty member participants may invite up to two students (one of
which may be a graduate student) to participate in the research project. The students must also
complete the application process for program participation. The program duration is 10 weeks
typically from late May to late August. Participating faculty will receive a 10 week stipend of
$13,000 as well as a maximum travel allowance of $500 and housing allowance of $1,500.
Undergraduate students will receive a 10 week stipend of $5,000, travel allowance of $500 and
housing allowance of $1,500. Graduate students are expected to be supported by their institutions
but also receive travel and housing allowances. Link

Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation
The Camille Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program
Deadline: Expected February 2016
This program supports the research and teaching careers of talented young faculty in the chemical
sciences. Based on institutional nominations, the program provides discretionary funding to faculty
at an early stage in their careers. Criteria for selection include an independent body of scholarship
attained within the first five years of their appointment as independent researchers, and a
demonstrated commitment to education, signaling the promise of continuing outstanding
contributions to both research and teaching. The Camille Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program
provides an unrestricted research grant of $75,000. The Camille Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards
Program accepts nominations from academic institutions in the States, Districts, and Territories of
the United States of America that grant a bachelor’s or higher degree in the chemical sciences,
including biochemistry, materials chemistry, and chemical engineering. Link

Henry Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program
Deadline: May 18, 2015
The Henry Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Awards Program supports the research and teaching careers of
talented young faculty in the chemical sciences at undergraduate institutions. Based on institutional
nominations, the program provides discretionary funding to faculty at an early stage in their
careers. The award is based on accomplishment in scholarly research with undergraduates, as well
as a compelling commitment to teaching, and provides an unrestricted research grant of $60,000.
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Postdoctoral Program in Environmental Chemistry
Expected Deadline: August 3, 2015
The Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation seek to further the development of scientific leadership in the field of environmental chemistry with a postdoctoral fellowship program. The Postdoctoral Program in Environmental Chemistry provides a principal investigator with an award of $120,000 over two years to appoint a Postdoctoral Fellow in environmental chemistry. The Postdoctoral Program in Environmental Chemistry is open to all academic and other not-for-profit organizations in the States, Districts, and Territories of the United States of America. Applications are accepted from principal investigators who have well-established research efforts in environmental science or engineering. These research activities need not be located in traditional departments in the chemical sciences, and collaboration across departments and institutions is encouraged. The postdoctoral fellow is usually not already identified nor in the principal investigator's lab at the time of application. Link

Senior Scientist Mentor Program
Deadline: September 10, 2015
The Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation supports emeritus faculty who maintain active research programs with undergraduates in the chemical sciences. The Senior Scientist Mentor Program provides an award of $20,000 over two years for undergraduate stipends and modest research support. Successful applicants are expected to be closely engaged in a mentoring relationship with undergraduate students. The evaluation will be based on both an assessment of the research proposed and the plans for undergraduate participation in the research. Link

Humboldt Research Fellowships for Postdoctoral Researchers
Application Deadline: There is no closing date for submitting applications. Applications are processed as part of an ongoing procedure.
The Humboldt Research Fellowship for Postdoctoral Researchers is a six to twenty-four month long program for postdoctoral researchers to work in cooperation with an academic host of their choosing at a research institution in Germany. The fellowship is flexible and can be divided up into as many as three stays within three years. Scientists and scholars of all nationalities and disciplines may apply to Alexander von Humboldt Foundation directly at any time. It should be expected that application reviews will take several months. Approximately 600 fellowships will be granted. Link

Charles Kaufman Foundation
Application Deadline: Grant announcements for 2016 expected to be released December 2015
The Kaufman Foundation awards annual research grants to Pennsylvania universities to carry out fundamental research in the areas of biology, chemistry and physics. Two different types of research grants are available: New Investigator Research Grants and New Initiative Research Grants. New Investigator Research Grants provide up to six awards at a maximum of $150,000 over a two year period. The goal of the New Investigator Research Grants is to provide research support for innovative basic scientists in Pennsylvania as they transition into an academic position as a new independent investigator. Proposals are required to address basic (fundamental, pure) questions addressing core principles in biology, physics and chemistry or at the disciplinary boundaries between these fields. New Initiative Research Grants provide up to four awards at a maximum of $300,000 over a two year period. The goal of the New Initiative Research Grants is to stimulate existing investigators with strong records of research accomplishments to establish collaborations that facilitate innovative interdisciplinary approaches towards a common research question and that require expertise beyond that of any single researcher. Link
NASA Glenn Faculty Fellowship Program Description

Application Deadline: Expected February 2016

The ten-week 2014 NASA Glenn Faculty Fellowship Program (NGFFP) is open to full-time science and engineering faculty members at accredited U.S. universities and colleges and will be offered at the NASA Glenn Research Center in Cleveland. Proposed faculty work must be aligned with the needs of the NASA Glenn Research Center and have a high probability to advance NASA mission.

The NGFFP is intended to provide university and college faculty challenging opportunities to:
(1) Enhance their professional knowledge through relevant and cutting-edge research engagement at NASA Glenn Research Center;
(2) Stimulate exchange of ideas between faculty and NASA Glenn Research Center employees;
(3) Enrich and refresh the research and teaching at US academic institutions through infusion of NASA mission-related research and technology content into classroom teaching; and
(4) Contribute to the research, technology and engineering work packages and objectives of GRC.

Fellows work on projects to complement in-house efforts by their GRC professional colleagues. [Link]

NIH Academic Research Enhancement Award (AREA) Program (R15)

Standard Deadlines: June 25 and October 25, 2015
AIDS-Research Deadlines: May 7, September 7, January 7, 2015

The AREA program supports small-scale research projects in the biomedical and behavioral sciences conducted by faculty and students at educational institutions that have not been major recipients of NIH research grant funds. These grants support meritorious research, expose students to research, and strengthen the research environment of the institution.

Key Features:
- Project period is limited to 3 years
- Direct costs are limited to $300,000 over the entire project period
- Grants are renewable
- Preliminary data is not required

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NSF Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Program

Deadlines: July 21, 2014: BIO, CISE, EHR, OCI
July 22, 2014: ENG
July 23, 2014: GEO, MPS, SBE

The Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Program is a Foundation-wide activity that offers the National Science Foundation’s most prestigious awards in support of junior faculty who exemplify the role of teacher-scholars through outstanding research, excellent education and the integration of education and research within the context of the mission of their organizations. The CAREER budget request should reflect the scope of the research and education plans, and the practices within the discipline. NSF encourages submission of CAREER proposals from junior faculty members at all CAREER-eligible organizations and especially encourages women, members of underrepresented minority groups, and persons with disabilities to apply. The minimum CAREER award size is $400,000 for a 5 year period for all directorates except for the Directorate of Biological Sciences and Polar Programs which have minimum award sizes of $500,000 over 5 years. NSF anticipates awarding approximately 600 awards per year. [Link]

NSF Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI)

Deadline: Submission deadlines vary by program. PIs should contact cognizant program officers for guidance
The Research in Undergraduate Institutions (RUI) and Research Opportunity Awards (ROA) funding opportunities support research by faculty members at predominantly undergraduate institutions (PUIs). RUI proposals support PUI faculty in research that engages them in their professional field(s), builds capacity for research at their home institution, and supports the integration of research and undergraduate education. ROAs similarly support PUI faculty research, but these awards typically allow faculty to work as visiting scientists at research-intensive organizations where they collaborate with other NSF-supported investigators. RUI awards for faculty research projects will typically be for a period of 3 years. In recent years, the annual award size of individual investigator RUI projects has ranged between $75,000 and several hundred thousand dollars, although some awards are higher. Typical ROA awards are for up to $80,000 for periods of two to 12 months, although the amount varies depending on the type of request and duration. Link

An RUI proposal may be:
- A request to support an individual research project or a collaborative research project involving PUI faculty and students at their own or other institutions.
- A request involving shared research instrumentation.

The types of ROA opportunities include:
- A supplement to an existing NSF award to support ROA activities for PUI faculty.
- Requests to rebudget funds in an existing NSF award to support ROA activities for PUI faculty.
- Submission of a new collaborative proposal between a PUI and another institution(s), with a ROA component as a subaward or as part of a linked collaborative proposal.

Research Corporation
Cottrell College Science Award Program (CCSA)
Deadline: May 15, 2015

The CCSA program was created to promote basic research as a vital component of undergraduate education at primarily undergraduate institutions. Program initiatives are aimed at helping early career faculty to start active research programs targeting complex scientific problems. The CCSA program strengthens teacher-scholars while supporting research at undergraduate institutions; helps early career faculty become competitive for federal funding; encourage faculty to conduct meaningful collaborative work with undergraduate researchers; and enhances the research culture of numerous science departments at public and private institutions. Research projects supported by CCSA must involve undergraduate students and enable them to participate in highly effective research. Link

The National Academies
Jefferson Science Fellowship
Application Deadline: Expected January 2016

Tenured, or similarly ranked, academic scientists, engineers and physicians from U.S. institutions of higher learning, who are U.S. citizens, are eligible to apply for the Jefferson Science Fellowship. Each Fellow will spend one year at the U.S. Department of State or USAID in Washington, D.C. The assignments may be coordinated with the relevant U.S. embassy overseas. All JSF assignments will be designed through a consultation that considers both the interests and expertise of the Fellow and the needs of the hosting office. Following the fellowship year, the Jefferson Science Fellow will return to his/her academic career, but will remain available to the U.S. government as an experienced consultant for short-term projects. The fellow will be paid a per diem of up to $50,000 by the U.S. Department of State/USAID to cover living expenses for the year. In addition, $10,000 will be made available to the Fellow for travel associated with their assignments at the U.S.
Department of State/USAID. Travel support may also be provided by the Fellow's office or bureau. 

**Research Associate Programs**  
*Application Availability: June 1-August 1, 2015 and September 1-November 1, 2015*  
The mission of the Research Associateship Programs (RAP) is to promote excellence in scientific and technological research conducted by the U. S. government through the administration of programs offering graduate, postdoctoral, and senior level research opportunities at sponsoring federal laboratories and affiliated institutions. In these programs, prospective applicants select a research project or projects from among the large group of opportunities listed on the website. There are multiple participating agencies engaged in the program and award funding depends on the agency and program duration. 

**The Smithsonian Institution**  
**Smithsonian Institution Fellowship Program**  
*Application Deadline: Expected December 2015 (Applications are expected to open in September 2015)*  
The Smithsonian Institution Fellowship Program is open to graduate students, postgraduates, and predoctoral students, as well as conservators, postdoctoral and senior investigators. All fellows at the Smithsonian work with a Smithsonian advisor to conduct independent study or research relating to Smithsonian collections, facilities, or staff expertise. These fellowships are offered through the Smithsonian's Office of Fellowships, and are administered under the charter of the Institution. Fellowships vary in length depending on the type of fellowship, application and opportunity but typically graduate student fellowships are 10 weeks in length while predoctoral, postdoctoral and senior fellowships can run from 3-24 months. Funding allowances for graduate student fellowships are $6,500, $30,000 for predoctoral fellowships, $35,000 for post graduate conservator fellowships, $45,000 for postdoctoral fellowships, and $45,000 for postdoctoral fellowships. 

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