IHR Cross-Disciplinary Seed Grant

Value: $12,000 for cross-disciplinary teams of two or more.

Opening Date: February 21, 2022

Due Date: April 15, 2022 (for commencement June 1, 2022)

Funding Cycles: We currently follow two proposal cycles: grants with Fall deadlines are funded January 1 - December 31, and those with Spring deadlines are funded June 2 - June 1.

Grant Description:
The Institute for Humanities Research (IHR) Cross-Disciplinary Seed Grant program is designed to facilitate cross-disciplinary, cross-college research. The Institute of Humanities Research has partnered with a number of units and colleges within the university to co-fund this grant.

Faculty within a unit or college that co-funds with the IHR may apply to this grant. Please ask your unit head and dean to see if your unit or college has partnered with us by way of co-funding. If it is unclear, then contact the Institute.

In recognition of the interdisciplinary work, this application requires two faculty PIs (or co-PIs): one faculty from within a humanities unit and one faculty from another college. Applicants should include an interdisciplinary methodology that substantively includes the humanities.

The IHR Cross-Disciplinary Seed Grant has the following strategic goals:

- Provide support for projects that advance a cross-disciplinary impactful contribution
- Enabling innovative inter- and cross-disciplinary publications and research that will enable them to be competitive for an external national government or industry/community grants
- Enabling the dissemination of their work to a larger public within and/or outside the ASU community. The format and scope of this public engagement are up to the project leads: past events range from a film series to symposia and panel discussions, brownbag lectures, public-facing writing and digital projects

If selected, fellows will be required to:

- Apply for an External grant (at amounts well above the value of their award) within 1 year of the completion of seed grant
- Submit one interim and one final report
Develop and host a public engagement event (see above for possible formats and scope): e.g. conference, symposium, seminar, panel discussions, film series, digital projects, etc.

Complete and submit to a peer-reviewed press/journal: one academic publications, such as journal articles or book chapters

Develop a book proposal and/or literature review

NB: Curricula impact - while strictly pedagogical projects are not eligible for IHR seed grant funding, curricular impacts are welcome additional outcomes (optional)

Eligible Projects:

- All time periods: historical to contemporary
- Unlimited geographic locations: global to local
- All formats: co-authored monographs, journal articles, book chapters to innovative digital projects
- Team-based research (two or more PIs)
- More than one output (one traditional and one public facing): for example, journal article and exhibition/digital project; or book/journal article/chapter and exhibition; or book and panel discussion; or symposium and journal article and creative writing piece, etc.

Ineligible Projects:

- Solely pedagogical or curriculum development projects
- Projects that only collect data without interpretation

Applicant Eligibility:

- Applications are welcomed from any level of tenure and tenure-track faculty in any Humanities unit from any ASU campus.
- Advanced graduate students may be part of project teams but may not serve as PIs.
- Researchers and consultants from outside of ASU are welcomed as project team members, but are not eligible for IHR funds beyond travel to ASU and/or honoraria as invited speakers.

For more detailed information such as allowable expenses, criteria, terms and conditions, etc., please see the guidelines at the InfoReady link.

For questions or assistance with your application contact Ron.Broglio@asu.edu or Nicole Anderson (Director) at: Nicole.Anderson.1@asu.edu.