

April 2007 – Grant Opportunities in Humanities

Dear Humanities Faculty Members –

Here is our April 2007 listing of grant opportunities for faculty members in the Humanities. We are still working on establishing a good list of grant opportunities, and would appreciate any suggestions you might have.

All of these notice are posted as PDF file on the Office of Research and Economic Development webpage on the Research Funding webpage (<http://www.research.msstate.edu/funding/>).

Please let my office know if we can help in any way with grant proposals for these or other opportunities.

1. National Endowment for the Humanities (DEADLINE – July 17, 2007)

Synopsis – This grant program — Humanities Collections and Resources — combines support for activities that were funded previously through two separate grant categories – Preserving and Creating Access to Humanities Collections and Reference Materials. Digital technology now makes possible unified access to geographically dispersed collections and the integration of reference materials with related sources and tools. The possibilities presented by advances in technology require a new grant category that encompasses the range of activities funded through the previous programs and encourages digital projects that codify, unite, integrate, or aggregate humanities collections and resources. Humanities Collections and Resources grants support projects that preserve and create intellectual access to such collections as books, journals, newspapers, manuscript and archival materials, maps, still and moving images, sound recordings, art, and objects of material culture. To ensure that significant collections are preserved and available for research, education, or public programming in the humanities, applications may be submitted for the following activities: digitizing collections; preservation reformatting; conservation treatment; deacidification of collections; arranging and describing archival and manuscript collections; and cataloging collections of printed works, photographs, recorded sound, moving image, art, and material culture.

More Information

http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/Collections_and_Resources.html

2. Environmental Protection Agency (DEADLINE – June 8, 2007)

Synopsis - The goal of this Request for Proposals (RFP) is to support demonstration, training, outreach and/or education projects that are aligned with EPA's strategic objective to increase the number of people breathing healthier indoor air as well as our indoor air pollutant priority air objectives and the agency's annual measures and long-term measures detailed in Section I. C. 2 and 3 of this announcement. These awards are

being made under the Clean Air Act §103.

For More Information:

<http://www.epa.gov/region09/funding/reduce-indoorair-2007.html>

3. Mississippi Humanities Council – Minigrants (DEADLINE – July 1, 2007)

Synopsis - MINIGRANTS Requests of \$2,000 or less are considered minigrants. Minigrants must be submitted at least eight weeks in advance of the program date. Deadlines for submitting Minigrant requests are January 1, March 1, May 1, July 1, September 1, and November 1. Two copies with original signatures and five additional copies are required. One copy of other supporting materials should be submitted.

For More Information:

<http://www.mshumanities.org/pages/downloads.asp>