

University of California Humanities Research and Scholarship Opportunities

Humanities research is critical to understanding ourselves. Federal funding from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) allows scholars to gain new insights as we imagine the future. Since its creation more than 50 years ago, the NEH provides support that leverages critical additional funding from states, philanthropists, industry and foundations. UC scholars and researchers compete for NEH funds, which they use to strengthen teaching and learning; create new knowledge through extensive, in-depth study; preserve and protect cultural and educational treasures; and, benefit students and people in local communities through projects with museums, libraries, local schools, other colleges, public television and radio. Many of these projects produce information and materials that provide access to cultural and educational resources and opportunities for lifelong learning that would otherwise not be available in some areas. The impact of the humanities goes beyond UC campuses to local communities—and through research and scholarship—beyond.

Below is a list of UC centers, institutes and efforts focused on the humanities. Additional information, including the links to the centers and institutes, is available at www.ucop.edu/federal-governmental-relations.

SYSTEM-WIDE: [UC Humanities Network](#) // [University of California Humanities Research Institute](#)

UC BERKELEY

- [Berkeley Language Center](#)
- [Center for New Music and Audio Technologies](#)
- [Center for Race and Gender](#)
- [Center for Science, Technology, Medicine & Society – Program for the Medical Humanities](#)
- [Center for the Study of Sexual Culture](#)
- [Digital Humanities](#)
- [Doreen B. Townsend Center for the Humanities](#)
- [Global Urban Humanities Initiative](#)
- [The Center for the Tebtunis Papyri](#)
- [The Emma Goldman Papers](#)
- [UC Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive](#)

UC DAVIS

- [Humanities Institute](#)
 - [Digital Humanities Initiative](#)
 - [Environmental Humanities Supercluster](#)
- [Gamification](#)
- [Interdisciplinary Frontiers in the Humanities and Arts](#)
- [Jan Shrem and Maria Manetti Shrem Museum of Art](#)
- [Language Center](#)
- [Library Resources in the Digital Humanities and Media Ecologies](#)
- [Mentor-Mentee Program in Humanities and Social Sciences](#)
- [ModLab](#)
- [Native American Language Center](#)
- [Robert and Margrit Mondavi Center for the Performing Arts](#)
- [The Versatile PhD: A Career Resource for Humanities and Social Sciences PhD Student](#)

UC IRVINE

- [Center for Asian Studies](#)
- [Center for Ethnography](#)
- [Center for the Advancement of Logic, its Philosophy, History and Applications](#)
- [Center in Law, Society and Culture](#)
- [Humanities Commons](#)
- [Interdisciplinary Center for the Scientific Study of Ethics and Morality](#)
- [Samuel Jordan Center for Persian Studies and Culture](#)
- [The Thesaurus Linguae Graecae ®](#)
- [UCI Critical Theory](#)

UC LOS ANGELES

- [Alan D. Leve Center for Jewish Studies](#)
- [Asia Institute](#)
- [Center for Digital Humanities](#)
- [Center for Liberal Arts and Free Institutions](#)
- [Center for Medieval & Renaissance Studies](#)
- [Center for Southeast Asian Studies](#)
- [Center for the 17th and 18th Century Studies](#)
- [Center for the Study of Religion](#)
- [Center for World Languages](#)
- [International Institute](#)
- [Language Alliance](#)
- [Latin American Institute](#)
- [National Heritage Language Resource Center](#)
- [Russian Flagship Center](#)
- [Urban Humanities](#)

UC MERCED

- [Blum Center for Developing Economies](#)
- [Center of Excellence on Health Disparities](#)
- [Interdisciplinary Humanities Graduate Group](#)
- [Resource Center for Community Engaged Scholarship](#)
- [Sierra Nevada Research Institute](#)
- [Spatial Analysis Research Center](#)
- [The Center for Humanities](#)

UC RIVERSIDE

- [California Digital Newspaper Collection](#)
- [California Museum of Photography](#)
- [Center for Ideas and Society](#)
- [FACES: Faces, Art, and Computerized Evaluation Systems](#)
- [Narrative in Tandem](#)
- [The Early California Cultural Atlas](#)

UC San Diego

- [Arthur C Clarke Center for Human Imagination](#)
- [Center for Iberian and Latin American Studies](#)
- [Center for Research in Language](#)
- [Center for Urban Ecologies](#)
- [Institute of Arts & Humanities](#)
 - [Center for Hellenic Studies](#)
 - [Center for the Humanities](#)
- [The Laboratory of Comparative Human Cognition](#)

UC SAN FRANCISCO

- [Center for Humanities and Health Sciences](#)
- [The Medical Humanities Student Interest Group](#)
- [UC Medical Humanities Book Series](#)
- [UCSF Medical Humanities Program](#)

UC SANTA BARBARA

- [American Cultures and Global Contexts Center](#)
- [Art, Design and Architecture Museum](#)
- [Arts Initiative](#)
- [Carsey-Wolf Center](#)
- [Center for Black Studies Research](#)
- [Center for Cold War Studies and International History](#)
- [Center for Information Technology and Society](#)
- [Center for Interdisciplinary Study of Music](#)
- [Center for Middle East Studies](#)
- [Center for Nanotechnology in Society](#)
- [Center for Research in Electronic Art Technology](#)
- [Center for Taiwan Studies](#)
- [Center for the Interdisciplinary Study of Music](#)
- [Center for the Study of Work, Labor and Democracy](#)
- [Center of Portuguese Studies](#)
- [Chicano Studies Institute](#)
- [Confucius Institute](#)
- [East Asia Center](#)
- [Environmental Humanities Initiative](#)
- [Graduate Center for Literary Research](#)
- [Interdisciplinary Humanities Center](#)
- [Italian Studies Multi-Campus Research Program Initiative](#)
- [Subaltern-Popular, Multi Campus Research Group](#)
- [The Early Modern Center](#)
- [Transliterations – Multi-Campus Research Group](#)
- [Voice of the Shuttle](#)
- [Walter H. Capps Center for the Study of Ethics, Religion and Public Life](#)

UC SANTA CRUZ

- [Chicano Latino Research Center](#)
- [Digital Humanities Research Cluster](#)
- [The Institute for Humanities Research](#)
- [The Dickens Project](#)

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