## **Building a More Perfect Union: Pandemic Recovery Grants for Humanities Organizations**

#### **Proposal Template**

***Instructions:*** *Use this template to write your proposal in no more than 8 pages with a 12-point font. Upload your completed proposal as a PDF in the* [*online application intake form*](https://survey.nwp.org/s3/Building-a-More-Perfect-Union-Grant-Application)*.*

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| **Project Title** |  |
| **Organization Name** |  |

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**Project Overview**
*Share with us a summary of the project you are proposing.*

* *Briefly introduce your organization and its humanities-focused work*.
* *Summarize your project proposal*.
* *Describe impacts of coronavirus and associated pandemic restrictions on your organization and explain how your proposed project will enable recovery*.
* *Explain how the proposed project will engage the resources and assets of the organization to respond to the needs of diverse or underserved audiences and stakeholders*.

**Community Contributions**
*Share with us your thoughts on the contributions your proposed project will make to your community and beyond.*

* *Explain how your proposed humanities-oriented project will contribute to the themes associated with Building a More Perfect Union in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the nation’s founding. (See* [*NEH and the Semiquincentennial*](https://www.neh.gov/article/neh-and-semiquincentennial)*)*
* *Discuss the potential of your project to expand and/or enhance access to engagement in public humanities consistent with goals of diversity, equity, and inclusion*.
* *Describe the resources and program models that will be created through your proposed project and how you will share them. If applicable, discuss how your resources and program models might be adapted by other organizations interested in public-facing humanities work*.

**Project Details**
*Expand on the details of your proposed project, including:*

* *Describe the local or regional settings where your work will occur and any connections with community or stakeholder groups. If applicable, describe how your project engages stakeholder groups or organizations to promote sustained community engagement*.
* *Include a timeline of the major activities and milestones for your proposed project over the 12-month period of performance beginning April 1, 2022 and ending March 31, 2023*.
* *List the team who will be involved in the proposed project. Explain how the members of this team will contribute to developing programming that can broaden and engage communities in humanities work in anticipation of the 250th anniversary of the nation’s founding*.

**Budget Narrative**

*Describe in one paragraph how the grant funds requested in the budget contribute to the goals of recovery from the coronavirus pandemic and the development of programming that engages audiences and contributes to the themes of the 250th anniversary of the nation’s founding*.