

FAHSS RESEARCH AND INTERDISCIPLINARY INITIATIVES FUND

The Offices of the Provost, the Vice President for Research, and the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, are pleased to invite applications for the new FAHSS RESEARCH AND INTERDISCIPLINARY INITIATIVES FUND.

The purpose of FAHSS is to encourage interdisciplinary dialogue, research, and teaching, in the Fine Arts, Humanities, and lettered Social Sciences at Stony Brook. For more information on FAHSS, see <http://stonybrook.edu/fahss>.

FAHSS Individual Grants

Full-time faculty from the Fine Arts, Humanities, and lettered Social Sciences may apply for up to \$3000 each academic year for funds to provide seed money for special research and teaching initiatives and creative activities, matching funds for grants, publication subsidies and other expenses, research personnel, summer research grants, travel grants, research materials, special equipment, and other items or activities not supported through other channels. A preference will be given to applications from junior faculty.

FAHSS Interdisciplinary Initiatives Fund

Grants of up to \$6000 to encourage curricular initiatives, new research partnerships and working groups, and special events such as colloquia, conferences, performances, and exhibitions. Projects should contribute to the development of interdisciplinary contacts across the FAHSS departments, help build partnerships with other areas across the campus, and engage with national and international discussions about the future of our disciplines.

NOTE: Special attention for both awards will be given to projects that are intended to lead to the development of proposals and applications for external grants and fellowships. Recipients who submit a grant proposal to an external agency or foundation within one year of the fellowship period will receive an additional support allocation of \$500.

Applications will be evaluated by the FAHSS Steering Group:

Diane Barthel-Bouchier, Sociology
Lou C. Deutsch, Hispanic Languages & Literature
Daniel Finer, Linguistics
David Gilmore, Anthropology
Perry Goldstein, Music
Eric Haralson, English
Don Ihde, Philosophy
E. Ann Kaplan, HISB and English
John Lutterbie (Co-Chair), HISB and Theater
Peter Manning, English
Oyeronke Oyewumi, Sociology and Women's Studies
Mel Pekarsky, Art
Donald Petrey, Comparative Literary and Cultural Studies
Nicholas Rzhovsky, European Languages and Literature
Michael Schwartz, Sociology
S.N. Sridhar, Asian and Asian American Studies
Kathleen Wilson, History
Michael Zelenak, Theater

Please direct inquiries about guidelines or proposal preparation to Femi Vaughan (632-7211) Olufemi.Vaughan@stonybrook.edu

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Submission Deadlines

May 1 (for projects conducted May 20-September 6)

September 5 (for the 2007-2008 academic year)

Submit two hard copies and electronic file to:

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Check the program to which the application is being submitted.

_____ **FAHSS Individual Grant**

_____ **FAHSS Special Initiatives Fund**

(coordinator of project should provide contact information below)

Name _____

Department _____

Campus Phone _____ Email _____

Title of Project _____

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

The **complete** proposal must contain the following in this order:

- This application page as the cover sheet
- Project description of one-three pages, including a timetable of activities and expectations of your research. In the case of joint projects, the description should include a list of all participants.
- Project budget page including potential funding from all sources
- Plans to pursue external funding including sponsor agencies and foundations with a timeline
- Curriculum vita(e)
- Letter of support from the department chair(s) if significant department resources are needed

Award recipients must submit a report on the project to the FAHSS Steering Group within six months of the date of the award.