

**Wyoming Institute for Humanities Research**  
**Humanities Research Group**  
**Faculty Fellowship Application**  
**Spring 2019**

The Wyoming Institute for Humanities Research (WIHR) calls for UW faculty to apply for Faculty Fellowships for spring semester 2019.

These fellowships are generously supported by the Office of Research and Economic Development.

Fellows will receive a stipend of \$3000 and the opportunity to work with other UW faculty in a weekly Research Group meeting, in which fellows will workshop projects in progress.

Fellows will commit to the submission of a publication, performance, or exhibit of their work, or an external grant or fellowship proposal within twelve months of the receipt of the fellowship and to acknowledging WIHR their final publication, performance, or exhibition.

We welcome projects in the humanities, broadly defined. Interdisciplinary work is welcome, provided that the humanities content of the project is substantial. For questions about defining the humanities, please see the information by the Wyoming Humanities Council at this link: <https://www.thinkwy.org/about-the-humanities/>. Fellows will be encouraged to share their work with the community; therefore projects with a public-facing character will receive special consideration.

To apply for the Faculty Fellowship program, please follow the format below. This format is modeled on the application requirements for fellowships and grants from the National Endowment for the Humanities, the American Council of Learned Societies, and the Wyoming Humanities Council, as well as the format generally accepted by university presses for book proposals. (For sample applications, see <https://www.neh.gov/grants/research/fellowships>.) The result will be that all faculty who apply for WIHR fellowships will therefore have advanced drafts of proposals to submit for external funding and for publication.

The deadline for application is **15 January 2019**. Fellowships will be announced on approximately 22 January 2019.

Please send the completed application form in a single PDF by e-mail to [humanities@uwyo.edu](mailto:humanities@uwyo.edu) with a copy to [scott.henkel@uwyo.edu](mailto:scott.henkel@uwyo.edu).

**Name:**

**Department/Program:**

**E-mail:**

**Title of fellowship project:**

**1. Narrative (not to exceed three single spaced pages, using a font no smaller than 11 points)**

The narrative must provide an intellectual justification for your project, organized into these four areas: research and contribution; methods and work plan; competencies, skills, and access; final product and dissemination.

For *Research and Contribution*, describe the intellectual significance of the proposed project, including its value to humanities scholars and the public. Provide an overview of the project, explaining the basic ideas, problems, or questions examined by the study. Explain how the project will complement, challenge, or expand relevant studies in the field. For *Methods and Work Plan*, describe your method(s) and indicate the current state of the project and the part or stage of it that will be supported by the fellowship. Provide a work plan describing what will be accomplished during the award period and how you will spend your time. For *Competencies, Skills, and Access*, explain your competence or background in the area of your project. If the area of inquiry is new to you, explain your reasons for working in it and your qualifications to do so. Specify the level of competence in any language or digital technology needed for the study. For *Final Product and Dissemination*, describe the intended audience and the intended results of the project. Explain how the results will be disseminated and why these means are appropriate to the subject matter and audience.

**2. Bibliography (not to exceed one single spaced page)**

The bibliography should consist of primary and secondary sources that relate directly to the project. Evaluators will use the bibliography to assess your knowledge of the subject area. Any standard format is acceptable.

**3. Short CV (not to exceed two single spaced pages)**

Your CV should provide the following:

- Current and Past Positions
- Education (List degrees, dates awarded, and titles of theses or dissertations.)
- Publications (Include full citations for publications and presentations.)
- Other Relevant Professional Activities and Accomplishments
- Level of competence in any relevant foreign languages