

Lehigh University
The Lawrence Henry Gipson Institute for Eighteenth-Century Studies

Research Grants Fall 2020

The Council of the Lawrence Henry Gipson Institute for Eighteenth-Century Studies offers research grants in eighteenth-century studies for undergraduates, graduate students, and faculty. The Institute is interdisciplinary; these grants apply to any study that falls largely in the years 1700-1800, in any discipline or program.

Faculty and graduate students are eligible for research grants up to \$2,500. Areas of support are research travel, photo duplication, special materials and equipment; per diems for food and lodging must be consistent with Lehigh guidelines.

Deadline for proposals is Monday, October 19, 2020

Send your proposal via email to the Office of Interdisciplinary Programs at incasip@lehigh.edu

Applications should include:

1. **Proposal narrative:** a concise, specific description of the research project (one to two pages, single-spaced).
2. **Budget:** detailed itemized budget statement, including (if applicable) specific repositories where research will be conducted. Budgets should include estimates for each cost: travel, per diem food and lodging, photocopying, admissions, etc. The costs must be justified in the proposal narrative.
3. **Faculty endorsement** for graduate student applications.

Faculty and Graduate Students Travel to Conferences. Small grants (a maximum of \$250) are available to assist Lehigh graduate students to attend a professional conference. Grants (a maximum of \$500) are available to assist Lehigh graduate students who present a paper at a professional conference. The graduate student's studies should focus on the eighteenth century, in any discipline. Small grants are also available for faculty presenting a paper in a relevant topic; these faculty grants are only available after department funds have been exhausted. No deadlines: applications may be submitted to the Office of Interdisciplinary Programs (see above).

Undergraduate or graduate student research grants up to \$400 for travel, copying, admission fees, etc. Contact Professor Michelle LeMaster for an application form. The faculty member supervising the research must approve the application. No deadlines: applications may be submitted to the Office of Interdisciplinary Programs (see above).

Curriculum support for activities related to the eighteenth century in undergraduate classes. Maximum grant: \$200. Grants will be approved for field trips, speakers, admissions to museums, etc., and curricular materials. No deadlines: detailed requests may be submitted to the Office of Interdisciplinary Programs (see above).

For questions contact:

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