Upcoming grant deadlines in the Humanities ~ Fall 2020

- Please contact Beth Torres, Humanities Grants Officer, if you plan to apply for a grant or fellowship: btorres14@fordham.edu
- Check websites for new information before making a decision to apply.

American Association of University Women
http://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/
2020 deadline: Nov. 1.
Two Non-residential grants: Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowships and Summer/Short Term Research Publication Grants. For women scholars planning research leave from accredited institutions or preparing research for publication. Applicants must demonstrate commitment to helping women and girls. Check eligibility; some grants are not for tenured faculty.

American Council of Learned Societies
https://www.acls.org/programs/acls/
2020 Deadline: September 30
Non-residential. This year, the fellowships are open to untenured scholars who have earned a PhD in the humanities or humanistic social sciences on or after October 1, 2012.

American Philosophical Society Franklin Grants
http://www.amphilsoc.org/grants
2020: choose either deadline: Oct. 1 or Dec. 1.
The Franklin grants program (Non-residential-$6,000 max.) helps meet the costs of travel to libraries and archives for research purposes; the purchase of some research materials; the costs associated with fieldwork; or laboratory research expenses.

John Carter Brown Fellowship Program
https://www.brown.edu/academics/libraries/john-carter-brown/fellowships.description-fellowship-program
2020 deadline: December 1.
Residential (Providence, RI): The John Carter Brown Library for advanced research in history and the humanities, houses a renowned collection of primary historical sources on the Americas, both North and South, before ca. 1825.

Folger Shakespeare Library
www.folger.edu/fellowships
Deadline: check website
The Folger is undergoing a renovation that began earlier this year. Check the website to see if they will offer fellowships in 21-22.

Ford Foundation/National Academies Fellowships
http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/fordfellowships/index.htm
Residential at a host institution. Review all eligibility requirements, including date of degree, ethnic background, and pedagogy. Awards are made in the humanities, sciences, and interdisciplinary fields.

George and Eliza Howard Foundation
http://www.brown.edu/initiatives/howard-foundation/
2020 Deadline: November 1.
Non-residential. Awards annual fellowships for projects in selected fields, targeting early mid-career individuals who have achieved recognition for at least one major project. Fellowships are offered in a five-year sequence of fields; check website.
Harry Ransom Center at the University of Texas at Austin  
https://www.hrc.utexas.edu/research/fellowships/  
2020 Deadline: November 11.
**Short-term residencies (Austin, TX).** Fellowships support research projects that require substantial on-site use of its collections in all areas of the humanities.

Huntington Library https://www.huntington.org/fellowships  
2020 Deadline: November 16.  
**Residential Fellowships (Los Angeles)** for research at the Huntington Library for scholars that need to use the collections, which range from the eleventh century to the present.

**Non-residential grants:**  
2020 Sabbatical grant for researchers. **Deadline: Nov. 1.**  
First Book Grant for Minority Scholars. **Deadline: January 15.**  
For junior, non-tenured religion scholars of color to complete a major research project on an issue in North American Christianity related to the priorities of the Louisville Institute.

Metropolitan Museum of Art https://www.metmuseum.org/about-the-met/fellowships  
The 2019 deadline was the first Friday in November.  
Applications will be available online in September, 2020. **The 2020 deadline has not been announced.**  
Fellowships are an opportunity to use the Museum as a place for exchange, research, and professional advancement.

National Humanities Center  
https://nationalhumanitiescenter.org/become-a-fellow/  
2020 Deadline: Oct. 8  
**Residential** (North Carolina). Applicants must have a doctorate or equivalent scholarly credentials. Mid-career and senior scholars are encouraged to apply. Emerging scholars with a strong record of peer-reviewed work may also apply.

New York Public Library—Cullman Center Fellowships  
https://www.nypl.org/help/about-nypl/fellowships-institutes/center-for-scholars-and-writers/fellowships-at-the-cullman-center  
2020 Deadline: September 25  
Fellowships are for persons whose work will benefit directly from access to the research collections at the Stephen A. Schwarzman Building at Fifth Avenue and 42nd Street.

New York Public Library – Schomburg Center Fellowships  
2020 Scholars in Resident **Deadline: December 1.**  
2020 Lapidus Center **Deadline: December 31.**  
2021 NYPL Short-term Research Fellowship **Deadline: Jan. 15**  
Long- and short-term fellowships for scholars and writers working on projects that would benefit from access to the Center's extensive resources for the study of African diasporic history, politics, literature, and culture.
Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Studies
https://www.radcliffe.harvard.edu/fellowship-program/become-fellow
2020 Deadline: September 10
Residential. 50 fellowships awarded each academic year. Applicants may apply as individuals or in a group of two to three people working on the same project.

Tulane University - The Murphy Institute/Center for Ethics & Public Affairs
http://murphy.tulane.edu/programs/center/faculty-fellowships
2019 deadline was Dec. 30. Check website for 2020 deadline in the fall.
Residential (New Orleans). Fellowships support faculty whose teaching and research focus on ethics, political philosophy, political theory, or questions of moral choices in such areas as (but not limited to), business, government, law, economics, and medicine.

Residential (Charlottesville, VA), one or two semesters. The Foundation seeks applications that are intellectually stimulating, imaginative, and accessible to the public. No restrictions on topic; applications are invited from across the broad spectrum of the humanities.

Yale Institute of Sacred Music http://ism.yale.edu/
2020 deadline: October 15.
Residential. Fellows are scholars, religious leaders, and artists at all career stages whose work is in or is moving to the fields of sacred music, liturgical/ritual studies, or religion and the arts. Scholars whose work is directly related to these areas, are also encouraged to apply.