

# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT GRANTS

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**DEADLINE: October 15, 2019**

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## PURPOSE

To advance the mission, goals and diversity of the Global Arts + Humanities Discovery Theme by amplifying the transformative power of cross-disciplinary methods and practices in public-facing, community partner-engaged work.

## PRIORITY CONSIDERATION

Priority consideration will be given to:

- + New projects that build upon extant Ohio State community-focused projects or communities where Ohio State currently sustains such projects, *whether or not the proposers have already been central to those partnerships*. GAHDT wishes to encourage building strength on strength and deepening commitments to current community partners.
- + Projects that include undergraduate student service-learning or other high-impact-practice curricular opportunities as a significant portion of the project.
- + Projects that include graduate student pedagogy and facilitation training and/or experiential learning as a significant portion of the project.

## ELIGIBILITY

Faculty (including lecturers) and staff can apply. A tenure-track faculty team leader from the Division of Arts and Humanities of the College of Arts and Sciences must be identified. If the project uses human subjects research, all collaborators should have PI status through the Office of Research and the proposal must include verification that IRB approval has been (or is being) sought.

## EVALUATION PROCESS + CRITERIA

Grant evaluation process and criteria can be found on page twenty of this brochure.

## CONTACT

Applicants may email questions to GAHDT Program Manager, Puja Batra-Wells, at [batra-wells.1@osu.edu](mailto:batra-wells.1@osu.edu).

## TIMELINE

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| + <b>Call for proposals issued</b>  | September 5, 2019                                      |
| + <b>Information session</b>        | September 12, 2019, from 10-11 a.m. in Denney Hall 311 |
| + <b>Deadline for proposals</b>     | October 15, 2019                                       |
| + <b>Target dates for decisions</b> | December 1, 2019                                       |
| + <b>Funds to be released</b>       | January 11, 2020 (or thereafter)                       |

# HOW TO APPLY

All proposals must be submitted online, where applicants will be guided through the submission process for their proposal type. For more information, visit the Current Opportunities page on our website: [go.osu.edu/gahdt](http://go.osu.edu/gahdt).

## PROPOSAL GUIDELINES

1. Projects may request up to \$100,000 to be distributed across a two-year term to invest in sustainable community partnerships. There will be potential for a third year of support in the form of either a small bridge grant or matching funds pending a review and evidence that the project's PIs have sought or received external funding.
2. Proposals must articulate how they engage one or more of GAHDT's four Focus Areas: Im/Mobility, Livability, Community, and Methods and Practices Amplifier.
3. Proposals must be submitted by teams of collaborators. A team leader or PI (or co-PI) who is a tenure-track faculty member from the Division of the Arts and Humanities must be identified. Concise, two-page CVs of all PIs must be included.
4. Proposals should run NO more than twelve double-spaced pages, exclusive of all addenda (letters of support, team CVs and budgets).
5. Must include an explanation of the project's relevance and impact, as well as a vision for meaningful involvement of students. Proposals should also describe how the project promotes issues of equity, inclusion and diversity.
6. Must include verification that leaders of pertinent extant Ohio State projects engaging with the proposed community partner are aware of and support this proposal. Must include letters of support from the community partner(s).
7. Include a detailed, itemized budget that articulates a clear plan for how the proposed partnership will be sustained beyond the funding offered by GAHDT and also for how funding will be allocated across the two-year cycle.
  - a. Proposals may request cash allocations for student programs; consultations; course releases for tenure-track faculty (at the lecturer rate) or off-duty (summer) salary for faculty; post-doctoral researcher; hourly supplemental pay for lecturers; lecturer travel; venue rental; equipment; documentation; student support, including small grants for undergraduate or graduate students; GA tuition and fees. These suggestions are intended to be illustrative and not exclusive. Proposers are encouraged to be visionary and imaginative in thinking about possible application of funds. If partnerships are with for-profit institutions, an explanation of how the partner will cost share (including in kind contributions) is required.
  - b. Indicate the potential of the proposed initiative to secure extramural (non-Ohio State) funding, and please note if any additional funding has already been secured. Sources of funding may be identified using this Office of Research resource: [research.osu.edu/award-lifecycle/funding/](http://research.osu.edu/award-lifecycle/funding/).
8. Depending upon the scope of their contribution to the project, PIs on collaborative cross-disciplinary projects will be awarded between \$500-\$2,000 in cash as research funds for up to a maximum of \$10,000 to be divided evenly among teams that consist of five or more proposers. These funds are NOT considered part of the proposal budget; however, all proposals must indicate how these PI research monies will be divided.