Funding Opportunities and Guidelines

Proposals across all categories will be accepted by the 1st of the month on a rolling basis. Applicants will be notified of their funding status by the beginning of the following month.

Any LVEHC-funded project work must comply with CDC and state guidelines as well as the relevant campus policies relating to COVID-19.

Course Development and Enhancement

- Stipends of \$1,500 for course development, \$750 for enhancement, \$350 for use of LVEHC digital content
- Additional funding available to support research, partnerships and materials (up to \$2,000 per proposal)

To develop courses to emphasize the themes of diversity, work, storymaking, and sense of place. Awards support one semester of course planning/development followed by one semester executing the course. Contact the grant co-Directors (contact info below) if you would like to submit a proposal for a summer course, an interim course, or for the semester immediately following a deadline.

Collaborations with Artists and Writers

- Semester-long (\$5,000 each)
- Week-long (\$1,500 each)
- Day-long (\$500 each)

Digital Collections

- Faculty stipends @ \$1,500 each (up to 2 collaborators)
- Additional funding for supplies, materials and project development (up to \$2,000 per proposal)

To build well-defined digital collections that adhere closely to the LVEHC Main Themes. We welcome proposals from librarians, archivists, educators, and community members who seek to catalogue, curate, and digitize relevant existing physical collections, acquire new physical collections for digitization, or build new audiovisual collections, for instance of oral histories.

Public Events

- Public forums, screenings, performances, and dialogues (up to \$2,500 each)
- Support is available for the development and implementation of digital event(s).

Stipends to attend LVEHC Symposiums and Workshops

• Stipends (\$100-\$250) awarded for attendance at LVEHC symposiums and workshops.

Please note: In addition to overhead, indirect costs, and capital costs (construction, renovation, equipment), the LVEHC Mellon Grant cannot fund food and catering expenses, venue rentals, projects in social sciences or STEM fields, endowment management fees, one-off conferences, and undergraduate travel, tuition, or financial aid. If you have any questions about the viability of a specific budget item, please contact the LVEHC Co-Directors or Coordinator for clarification.

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^{*} Calls for proposals are subject to change. Please consult the website (http://sites.lafayette.edu/lvehc) for up to date guidelines and restrictions.