## The Center for Humanities and Information

# Digital Humanities Training Grants

In order to continue building capacity for innovative research and teaching at Penn State, the College of the Liberal Arts is supporting Digital Humanities Training Grants for its faculty and graduate students.

**Eligibility**

Tenured and tenure-track faculty and graduate students currently enrolled in a PhD program in the College of the Liberal Arts are eligible to apply for Digital Humanities Training Grants. Preference will be given to applicants who have not received one of these grants in prior years, but previous recipients are eligible to apply again.

**Funding**

The grant funds are intended to offset the costs of attending courses related to the digital humanities, including tuition, travel expenses, lodging, and food. Awardees will request reimbursement after their course is completed; all campus policies regarding travel reimbursements must be followed.

**Application Guidelines**

Letters of application should consist of:

1. Name, department, rank (if faculty) or doctoral status (if student);
2. A description (up to 500 words) of which institute you would like to attend, what course you wish to take, and how you will incorporate what you learn into your research and/or teaching.
3. A brief budget estimating expenses. For lodging and food, use the appropriate per diem rates for the estimate; you can find these rates linked from the Employee Reimbursement System Documentation page: https://ers.psu.edu/employee-reimbursement-system-documentation

Some recommended options:

1. Digital Humanities Summer Institute (Victoria, British Columbia): http://dhsi.org/courses.php
2. HILT (Lincoln, Nebraska): http://dhtraining.org/hilt/conferences/hilt-2020/
3. Dream Lab (University of Pennsylvania): http://web.sas.upenn.edu/dream-lab/

If you have questions about finding a suitable course, or about other training options that might be available, please contact John Russell (jer308@psu.edu).

Submit your letter of application to John Russell (jer308@psu.edu) by 5:00pm on Friday, February 28, 2020.

Awards will be announced no later than March 13, 2020.