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**Funding Opportunities (revised February 2020)**

**External funding**

For a fuller list of opportunities with brief descriptions, please see BU’s [site](https://www.bu.edu/cas/faculty-staff/faculty-staff-handbook/research/research-resources/humanities-fellowships-and-grants-deadlines/).

*Most common grantors for research scholars; check archives/centers for fellowships, too:*

* [NEH](https://www.neh.gov/grants/research/fellowships)
* [ACLS](https://www.acls.org/Competitions-and-Deadlines/ACLS-Fellowships)
* [Guggenheim](https://www.gf.org/about/fellowship/)
* [Fulbright](https://www.cies.org/)
* [Mellon](https://mellon.org/programs/higher-education-and-scholarship-humanities/regranting-programs/)
* [Ford postdoctoral](https://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships/PGA_171940)
* [Howard Foundation](https://www.brown.edu/howard-foundation/george-and-eliza-gardner-howard-foundation)
* [AHRC](https://ahrc.ukri.org/)
* [First Book Institute](https://cals.la.psu.edu/programs-series/first-book-institute) (see other summer institutes, too)
* [National Humanities Center](https://nationalhumanitiescenter.org/become-a-fellow/) (residential)
* [CCCC Emergent Researcher](https://cccc.ncte.org/cccc/awards/emergent-research)
* [Pittsburgh Foundation](https://pittsburghfoundation.org/)

*For creative writers:*

* Julia Phillips’s [calendar](https://www.juliaphillipswrites.com/funding-calendar.html) includes most all residencies and prizes/awards, with deadlines
* ProFellow lists the [most common](https://www.profellow.com/fellowships/44-fellowships-for-creative-writers-in-any-career-stage/) grantors for creative writers
* [NEA](https://www.arts.gov/grants-individuals/creative-writing-fellowships)
* [PEN](https://pen.org/literary-awards/grants-fellowships/)
* [Whiting Foundation](https://www.whiting.org/)

**Searchable opportunities and weekly delivery of tailored results:** Use [Pivot](https://www.osp.pitt.edu/how-get-most-out-pivot)

**Overview** of [internal funding](https://www.osp.pitt.edu/find-funding) at Pitt

**Principal contacts:** Office of Research (Shelome Gooden, Ryan Champagne), Philanthropic and Alumni Engagement (Andy Falk, Emily Witthohn), Office of Sponsored Programs (Jeff Pestis)

**Dietrich School-specific** [funding opportunities](https://www.as.pitt.edu/faculty/research/dietrich-school-funding), including book subventions

For assistant professors only: [Summer stipend](https://www.as.pitt.edu/summer-term-research-stipend-program-untenured-faculty)

If you win a grant or fellowship, please contact Kristin Hopkins (khopkins@pitt.edu), fiscal and operations manager for English.