

Gathering Grants 2027

Michigan Humanities

General Information



Gathering Grants Application

Grant Number*

Character Limit: 15

Mission Statement*

Please enter your organization's mission statement or import it directly from GuideStar.

Character Limit: 5000

Type of Organization*

Please indicate which definition best fits your organization.

Choices

Archive
Arts-related Organization (including art museums)
Community Organization or Center
Cultural Heritage Organization
Festival
Foundation
Government - State or Local
Higher Ed - Four-year College
Higher Ed - Two-year College
Higher Ed – Affiliates (Press, radio station, archive, library, etc.)
Historical Site/House
Historical Society
Incarceration or Detention Facility
Independent Research Library and Center
Indigenous Tribal Organization or Community
Individual
K–12 School or School System
Media Organization
Membership Organization or Association
Museum – History

Museum - Other
Nature Center/Botanical Garden/Arboretum
Private Business or Organization
Public Library
Social Services or Health Organizations
State or National Park

Are you using a Fiscal Sponsor?*

- A fiscal sponsor is a registered nonprofit that agrees to serve as the fiduciary and provide fiscal oversight on projects being conducted by an individual or organization that does not currently have nonprofit status.
- If using a Fiscal Sponsor all grant payments will be sent to that organization.

Choices

Yes

No

Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) Number*

For more information on obtaining a UEI number click [HERE](#)

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Fiscal Officer First Name*

Please note the fiscal officer cannot have any other role in the project, e.g., the Project Director cannot be the Fiscal Officer.

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Fiscal Officer Last Name*

Character Limit: 250

Fiscal Officer Organization*

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Fiscal Officer Email*

Character Limit: 254

Please indicate your organization's Congressional District*

If you need help finding your Congressional District click [HERE](#)

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Please indicate your organization's Michigan Senate District*

If you need help finding your Michigan Senate district click [HERE](#)

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Please Indicate your organization's Michigan House District*

If you need help finding your Michigan House District click [HERE](#)

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Has your organization ever applied for a Michigan Humanities Grant?*

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Yes

No

About Gathering Grants

How did you hear about the Gathering Grants Program?*

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Fiscal Sponsor Information

Sponsoring Organization*

Character Limit: 250

Name of Authorizing Official for the Fiscal Sponsor Organization*

Character Limit: 250

Authorizing Official Email Address*

Character Limit: 254

Authorizing Official Contact Number**Character Limit: 250***Fiscal Sponsor EIN / Tax ID (##-#####)****Character Limit: 25***Fiscal Sponsor Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) Number****Character Limit: 50***Fiscal Sponsor Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) Number***Character Limit: 50***Fiscal Sponsor Mailing Address***

- Street Address
- Town/City
- State
- Zip Code

Character Limit: 2500

Project Description

Project Name**Character Limit: 200***Project Start Date****Character Limit: 10***Project End Date****Character Limit: 10***Project Abstract***

Briefly tell us about your project (100 words or less).

Think of this as the "elevator pitch." What are the highlights and main concepts of your project?

*Character Limit: 750***Project Narrative***

Think of this section as the Who, What, When, Why, Where, and How of the Project:

- What is the project?

- When and Where will this project take place?
- Who is involved with the project and How will it be executed?
- Why is the project important?

You can present this information in any order and most of these concepts will be explored in greater detail in other sections of the application. Repetition is expected

Character Limit: 6000

Project Evaluation*

Describe the evaluation process you will use to determine whether or not the goals and outcomes are met. Please include the survey and reporting tools that will be utilized to evaluate the project.

Character Limit: 5000

Project Audience*

Who is the intended audience for the project and how will you reach those audiences?

Character Limit: 2500

Is there a cost to attend your programming?*

To be eligible for a Gathering Grant, projects cannot have a ticket price higher than \$10

Choices

Yes

No

Cost to Attend Programming

What is the cost to attend the program?*

Character Limit: 20

Project Budget

Grant Request Amount*

Request Amount can be up to \$2,500

Character Limit: 20

Michigan Humanities Grant Request Details

Michigan Humanities Grant Request Details

- In this section, please outline how you will use the grant funds from Michigan Humanities.

- Please provide a description in the "Expense Description" column for line items where an amount is entered.
- The individual categories should equal the Grant Request Amount.

Expense Descriptions

- Salaries: funds to pay project team members that are part of the applicant organization
- Fringe Benefits: benefits for team members that are part of the applicant organization
- Honoraria: funds to pay project partners outside of your organization such as contractors and presenters
- Travel: can include reimbursement for presenters and performers and coverage for travel expenses associated with your project
- Rentals: can includes venues, equipment, etc.
- Promotion: marketing and publicity expenses
- Project Equipment: includes items such as computers, audio/video equipment, and other such items that are relevant to the project.
- Evaluation: development and implementation of project evaluation
- Other: everything else, Michigan Humanities will reach out if any categories are ineligible and funds can be reallocated

Expense Category	Expense Description	Budgeted Amount	Actual Amount
Salaries			
Fringe Benefits			
Honoraria			
Travel			
Rentals			

Promotion			
Project Equipment			
Evaluation			
Other			
Total			

Cost-Share Details

- In this section, please list all of the other funds and in-kind support that are going into the project.
- All grant requests require a cost-share match, cash and/or in-kind, that is equal to or greater than 100% of the amount being requested.
- Please provide a description in the "Expense Description" column for line items where an amount is entered.
- Federal dollars may not be used as cost-share

Cost-Share Budget

Expense Category	Expense Description	Budgeted Cost-Share Cash Amount	Actual Cost-Share Cash Amount	Budgeted Cost-Share In-Kind Amount	Actual Cost-Share In-Kind Amount
Salaries					
Fringe Benefits					

Honoraria					
Travel					
Rentals					
Promotion					
Project Equipment					
Promotion					
Other					
Additional Grant Funds (non-Federal only)					
Total					

Cost-Share Total*

Cost-Share: Cash + In-Kind

*Character Limit: 20***Total Grant Budget***

Total Grant Budget=Michigan Humanities Grant Request + Cost-Share (cash and in-kind).

Character Limit: 20

Projected Total Project Cost*

For this question, please estimate the total cost of the project including Michigan Humanities grant funds, cost-share (cash and in-kind), and all other sources of revenue that will go into the project.

Character Limit: 20

Application Attachments

Optional Attachments

- Optional attachments can include itemized budgets, past work samples, a list of board members, publicity samples, additional letters of support, and other materials relevant to your project

Additional Attachment 1

File Size Limit: 10 MB

Additional Attachment 2

File Size Limit: 5 MB

Additional Attachment 3

File Size Limit: 5 MB

Additional Attachment 4

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Additional Attachment 5

File Size Limit: 5 MB

External Links

Links to work samples and other relevant websites can be included here

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Acceptance of Terms and Conditions

Authorizing Official

Enter the name of the person (such as the president, executive director, or school principal or superintendent) who is authorized to submit an application for funding on the organization's behalf and who will agree to comply with the certifications set forth below.

Authorizing Official Name*

Character Limit: 250

Certifications

1. Certification Regarding the Nondiscrimination Statutes. The grantee (applicant organization) certifies that it will comply with the following nondiscrimination statutes and implementing regulations:

a. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C 2000d et seq.), which provides that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the applicant received federal financial assistance;

b. Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 794), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance;

c. Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in education programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance;

d. The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance, except that actions which reasonably take age into account as a factor necessary for the normal operation or achievement of any statutory objective of the project or activity shall not violate this statute.

2. Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion-Lower Tier Covered Transactions (45 CFR 1169) a. The prospective lower tier participant certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency. b. Where the prospective lower tier participant is unable to certify to any of the statements in the certification, such prospective shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

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Choices

I certify that I will comply with the above non-discrimination statutes.