**AHSS Grant program for student scholarly and creative activities**

2021-22

**Purpose:** To provide grant funding for scholarly and creative activities that contribute to the academic progress of AHSS undergraduate and graduate students in 2021-22 academic year.

Eligible expenses can include, for example, *travel to do research, present or perform* (such as registration fees, transportation costs including tickets, gas, taxi, uber, etc.); *materials* (such as books for research if not available at MU, art supplies, costumes for performances, copying cost, production costs, screen plays, sheet music, software if not available at MU, equipment rental if not available at MU); *incidental* (such as associated parking costs, tolls, food, shipping costs).

**Total amount available in the fund:** $5000, divided in two installments.

**Application:** Student submits an application including 1) a 1-page, maximum 500 word description of the scholarly or creative activity, including the purpose, rationale, dates, and destination; 2) detailed budget; 3) a 1-page support letter from the academic advisor or the faculty overseeing the scholarly or creative activity.

**Deadlines:** For activities taking place between August 24, 2021-February 1, 2022 applications are due on October 11, 2021. For activities taking place between February 1, 2022-June 30, 2022 applications are due on March 1, 2022.

**Approval:** Grants will be allocated by the Dean based on the recommendation of the AHSS Fellowship Committee.

**Amounts:** Funding awards will not exceed $250 per applicant.

**Reimbursement requirements:** To receive reimbursement for the costs of the project, the awardees will need to provide the W-9 form and itemized receipts that include the vendor, the item paid for, and the amount that was paid to the vendor.