

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

FY 2008 GRANT OBLIGATIONS

WISCONSIN

Baraboo

Aldo Leopold Foundation

\$45,000

Project Director: Huffaker, Wellington "Buddy"

Council Approval: 7/08

Program: Interpreting America's Historic Places Planning

Begin: 9/08 End: 8/09

Connecting People and Land Through the Legacy of Aldo Leopold

Planning to develop a new interpretation of the Aldo Leopold Shack and Farm, home of a key figure in the 20th-century conservation movement.

Beloit

Beloit College

\$4,976

Project Director: Meister, Nicolette B.

Council Approval: 11/07

Program: Preservation Assistance Grants

Begin: 1/08 End: 6/09

Preservation of Archaeological Field Maps

The purchase of storage furniture to rehouse 100 archaeological field maps holding data related to Native American cultures in the Northeast, the Southwest, and Mesoamerica. A conservator would oversee the project and conduct training for staff in the care and handling of maps and other oversized materials.

Eau Claire

Chippewa Valley Museum

\$4,965

Project Director: McLeod, Susan M.

Council Approval: 11/07

Program: Preservation Assistance Grants

Begin: 1/08 End: 6/09

Chippewa Valley Museum Environmental Monitoring

The purchase of environmental monitoring equipment and ultraviolet light filters to protect a collection of documents, historic artifacts, agricultural tools and equipment, photographs, and ephemera documenting rural life in northwestern Wisconsin.

University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire

\$4,837

Project Director: McFarland, Colleen

Council Approval: 11/07

Program: Preservation Assistance Grants

Begin: 1/08 End: 6/09

Special Collections and Archives Preservation Assessment (A We the People project.)

A general preservation assessment of a collection of manuscripts, county and municipal records, and business archives documenting the history, culture, social life and industry in the Chippewa Valley region.

Madison

Wisconsin Humanities Council

\$10,000

Project Director: Becker, Jessica E.

Council Approval: 7/07

Program: Grants for State Humanities Councils

Begin: 9/07 End: 2/09

Finding Home: Wisconsin's People and the Land (A We the People project.)

Launching a new initiative, this WTP grant will support humanities-based conferences, lectures, K-12 curriculum development, web discussions, newspaper articles, and sessions at the 2008 Wisconsin Book Festival on the theme of the state's conservation heritage.

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Wisconsin Humanities Council **\$106,090**

Project Director: Becker, Jessica E. Council Approval: 7/08

Program: Grants for State Humanities Councils Begin: 9/08 End: 2/10

Wisconsin: Making It Home (A We the People project.)

To support a series of activities related to the Council's current initiative "Wisconsin: Making it Home," including events at the 2009 Wisconsin Book Festival; community discussions on topics in the humanities, the environment, and conservation; training for discussion leaders; film-based discussion programs, public lectures and discussions; tours for K-12 teachers and development of curricular resources; grants for community projects; and Picturing America activities in Wisconsin.

George, Kenneth M. **\$50,400**

Institution: University of Wisconsin, Madison Council Approval: 11/07

Program: Fellowships for University Teachers Begin: 6/09 End: 5/10

Artist-Citizens and Political Change in Postcolonial Indonesia

University of Wisconsin, Madison **\$5,000**

Project Director: Schroeder, Sissel Council Approval: 11/07

Program: Preservation Assistance Grants Begin: 1/08 End: 6/09

A Preservation Needs Assessment for the Collections of the Department of Anthropology

A general preservation assessment and the creation of a long-term preservation plan for archaeological, ethnographic, and biological artifacts. The collections are used for research and teaching and include stone and bone tools, pottery, clay figurines, basketry, textiles, archives, maps, and photographs documenting archaeological sites from around the world.

University of Wisconsin, Madison **\$4,958**

Project Director: Panczenko, Russell Council Approval: 11/07

Program: Preservation Assistance Grants Begin: 1/08 End: 6/09

Chazen Museum of Art Risk Analysis Project

A conservator's assessment of the collections of the Chazen Museum of Art to identify potential risks and recommend preventative measures to protect the collections during the construction phase of a building expansion and renovation. The assessment would also guide revisions to the museum's plan for disaster preparedness and response. The museum holds an international collection of approximately 18,000 art objects from antiquity to the present including works on paper, paintings, sculptures, and decorative arts.

University of Wisconsin, Madison **\$50,000**

Project Director: Hall, Joan H. Council Approval: 2/07

Program: Reference Materials Begin: 7/07 End: 6/09

Dictionary of American Regional English [DARE] (A We the People project.)

The compilation of the fifth and sixth volumes of the "Dictionary of American Regional English" (DARE), which documents geographical differences in the vocabulary, pronunciation, and morphology of American English.

University of Wisconsin, Madison **\$150,000**

Project Director: Kaminski, John Council Approval: 5/07

Program: Scholarly Editions Begin: 7/07 End: 6/09

The Documentary History of the Ratification of the Constitution and the Adoption of the Bill of Rights (A We the People project.)

Final preparation for publication of two volumes of state debates about the ratification of the Constitution, research on a third, and work to place all previously published volumes and supplementary documents online. (36 months)

Wisconsin Humanities Council **\$590,650**

Project Director: Hanson, John Council Approval: 7/07

Program: State Programs (SO) Begin: 11/07 End: 10/12

State Humanities Program

Milwaukee

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Milwaukee Public Library **\$2,500**
Project Director: Kiely, Paula Council Approval: 7/08
Program: Small Grants to Libraries: Pride and Passion Begin: 9/08 End: 12/12
Pride and Passion: The African American Baseball Experience - A Traveling Exhibition to Libraries (A We the People project.)

Ripon

National Forensic League **\$30,000**
Project Director: Hagy, Mary L. Emergency Grant: 9/08
Program: America's Media Makers Production Begin: 8/08 End: 12/08
Now Debate This (A We the People project.)

Wauwatosa

Machan, Tim William **\$6,000**
Institution: Marquette University Council Approval: 2/08
Program: Summer Stipends Begin: 6/08 End: 7/08
Conflict and Change in the History of English

Whitewater

University of Wisconsin, Whitewater **\$140,000**
Project Director: Cartwright, David E. Council Approval: 5/08
Program: Collaborative Research Begin: 9/08 End: 8/10
Translation of Arthur Schopenhauer's "The Two Fundamental Problems of Ethics" and "On the Fourfold Root and Other Writings"
Translation of four works of Schopenhauer to be published in two volumes. (24 months)

University of Wisconsin, Whitewater **\$45,000**
Project Director: Burkholder, Jo Ellen Council Approval: 5/08
Program: Collaborative Research Begin: 7/08 End: 6/09
Archaeological Pilot Study at Pisanay, Peru: Corporate Identity at the Margins of Andean Tradition
Survey and excavation at an archaeological site with evidence of human occupation from about 200 B.C. through about 1400 A.D. in the Sihuas Valley of present day Peru to illuminate the function of borderland areas in the formation of the Andean state. (12 months)