

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE HUMANITIES

FY 2007 GRANT OBLIGATIONS

**MISSISSIPPI**

**Hattiesburg**

**Library of Hattiesburg, Petal and Forrest County** **\$1,000.00**  
Project Director: Pridgen, Pamela J. Council Approval: 5/07  
Program: Small Grants to Libraries Begin: 9/07 End: 9/09  
*Benjamin Franklin: In Search of a Better World - A Traveling Exhibition for Libraries (A We the People project.)*

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**Mississippi Valley State University** **\$30,000.00**  
Project Director: Zheng, Jianqing Council Approval: 11/06  
Program: Humanities Initiatives for Faculty: HBCUs Begin: 1/07 End: 12/07  
*Richard Wright: A Mississippi Writer (A We the People project.)*  
A project on Richard Wright and his works, to include workshops and the development of teaching materials, for faculty and school teachers from the Mississippi Delta.

**Jackson**

**Mississippi Humanities Council** **\$75,100.00**  
Project Director: Carpenter, Barbara Council Approval: 7/07  
Program: Grants for State Humanities Councils Begin: 9/07 End: 3/09  
*We the People: Learning Who We Are (A We the People project.)*  
Mississippi Moments segments on public radio, the Mississippi Online Timeline and a teacher workshop on Mississippi writers.

**Millsaps College** **\$151,382.00**  
Project Director: Marrs, Suzanne Council Approval: 7/07  
Program: Landmarks of American History Begin: 10/07 End: 9/08  
*Eudora Welty's Secret Sharer: The Outside World and the Writer's Imagination (A We the People project.)*  
Two one-week workshops for 100 school teachers to study landmarks and archival collections associated with Eudora Welty in their historical context.

**Jackson State University** **\$133,067.00**  
Project Director: McLemore, Leslie B. Council Approval: 7/07  
Program: Landmarks of American History for Community Colleges, WTP Begin: 10/07 End: 9/08  
*Landmarks of American Democracy: From Freedom Summer to the Memphis Sanitation Workers' Strike (A We the People project.)*  
Two one-week workshops for 50 community college faculty anchored in landmarks central to Freedom Summer and the Sanitation Workers' Strike, important episodes in the Civil Rights Movement of the 1960s.

**Mississippi Department of Archives and History** **\$150,000.00**  
Project Director: White, Mary Alice Council Approval: 11/03  
Program: Challenge Grants Begin: 12/01 End: 7/08  
*Eudora Welty House (A We the People project.)*  
Endowment for educational programming and a Welty Scholar at the Eudora Welty House in Jackson, Mississippi.

**Millsaps College** **\$34,000.00**  
Project Director: Galaty, Michael L. Council Approval: 5/07  
Program: Collaborative Research Begin: 8/07 End: 8/08  
*The Shala Valley Project*  
Archival research in Istanbul in Turkey, Venice and Rome in Italy, Shkodër and Tirana in Albania, London in the UK, and Washington, DC, to study the history of isolation from outside influences in the Shala River Valley in northern Albania. (13 months)

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**Mississippi Humanities Council**

**\$516,350.00**

Project Director: Risley, Rod A.

Council Approval: 7/04

Program: State Programs (SO)

Begin: 11/04 End: 10/09

*State Humanities Program*

**Perkinston**

**Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Perkinston Campus**

**\$29,984.00**

Project Director: Sullivan, Charles L.

Emergency Grant: 3/07

Program: Grants to Preserve & Create Access to Humanities Collections

Begin: 4/07 End: 3/08

*Down South with the Dixie Press: Saving the Images of the Pre-Katrina Mississippi Gulf Coast HURRICANE*

*KATRINA (A We the People project.)*

**Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Perkinston Campus**

**\$12,978.00**

Project Director: Sullivan, Charles L.

Council Approval: 2/07

Program: Stabilization Grants

Begin: 5/07 End: 4/08

*Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College Humanities Collections Preservation Following Damage by Hurricane*

*Katrina*

The purchase of dehumidifiers and air circulation equipment for library and archival collections affected by Hurricane Katrina.