N A T I O N A L

E N D O W M E N T

F O R T H E

HUMANITIES

Research
Opportunities
Through Centers
For Advanced
Study and
International
Research
Organizations

1997-98

National Endowment for the Humanities

RESEARCH
OPPORTUNITIES
THROUGH CENTERS FOR
ADVANCED STUDY AND
INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH
ORGANIZATIONS

1997-98

CONTENTS

| INTRODUCTION | |
|--|----|
| Research Opportunities through Centers for Advanced Study and International Research Organizations | 1 |
| The Humanities | 2 |
| CENTERS FOR ADVANCED STUDY IN THE UNITED STATES | |
| American Antiquarian Society | 3 |
| Folger Shakespeare Library | 3 |
| The Huntington | 4 |
| Institute for Advanced Study | 4 |
| The Institute of Early American History and Culture | 5 |
| John Carter Brown Library | 5 |
| National Humanities Center | 6 |
| Newberry Library | 6 |
| Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture - New York Public Library | 7 |
| School of American Research | 7 |
| Winterthur Museum, Garden, and Library | 8 |
| AMERICAN OVERSEAS CENTERS FOR ADVANCED STUDY AND INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS | |
| Albright Institute of Archaeological Research, Jerusalem | 9 |
| American Academy in Rome | 9 |
| American Center for Oriental Research, Amman | 10 |
| American Council of Learned Societies and Social Science Research Council: Fellowships in International and Area Studies | 10 |
| American Institute of Indian Studies | 11 |
| American Philological Association/Thesaurus Linguae Latinae | 11 |
| American Research Center in Egypt | 12 |
| The American Research Institute in Turkey | 12 |
| American School of Classical Studies at Athens | 13 |
| Committee on Scholarly Communication with China | 13 |
| Cyprus American Archaeological Research Institute | 14 |
| International Research and Exchanges Board | 14 |
| | |

PROGRAMS OF THE NEH DIVISION OF RESEARCH AND EDUCATION

Inside of back cover

PROGRAMS

INTRODUCTION

Research Opportunities through Centers for Advanced Study and International Research Organizations

The National Endowment for the Humanities provides support to independent centers for advanced study and international research organizations for postdoctoral fellowship and research grant programs for humanities scholars. Centers for advanced study offer scholars opportunities to pursue independent research in the humanities while benefiting from collegial association with scholars in other areas or disciplines of study. American overseas centers for advanced study and international research organizations assist scholars conducting research on foreign cultures. The centers and organizations establish their own peer review procedures for the selection of NEH grant recipients and administer the awards. Tenure of the fellowships at residential centers may run from four to twelve consecutive months, and stipends may also vary. Grants made through international research organizations vary in tenure and amount. Eligibility for NEH fellowships and research awards is limited to United States citizens and foreign nationals who have been residents in the United States for the three years immediately preceding the application deadline for the grant. NEH research opportunities are intended for persons who have already completed their formal academic training. Consequently, persons seeking support for work in pursuit of a degree are not eligible for NEH research grants. Some of the institutions listed below support predoctoral students with private funding; interested applicants should contact the organizations or centers directly.

For further information and application materials, write to the appropriate center or organization. No application materials are available from the Endowment.

In 1997-98, NEH fellowships will be available at each of the following centers in the United States:

American Antiquarian Society
Folger Shakespeare Library
The Huntington
Institute for Advanced Study
School of Social Science
Institute of Early American History and Culture
John Carter Brown Library
National Humanities Center
Newberry Library
Schomburg Center for Research in Black
Culture--New York Public Library
School of American Research
Winterthur Museum, Garden, and Library

NEH fellowships and other research grants supporting international research will also be available through the following American overseas centers and international research organizations:

Albright Institute of Archaeological Research (Jerusalem)

American Academy in Rome

American Center for Oriental Research (Amman)

American Council of Learned Societies in cooperation with the Social Science

Research Council

American Institute of Indian Studies

American Philological Association/Thesaurus

Linguae Latinae (Munich)

American Research Center in Egypt (Cairo)

American Research Institute in Turkey (Istanbul and Ankara)

American School of Classical Studies at Athens Committee on Scholarly Communication with China Cyprus American Archaeological Research Institute (Nicosia)

International Research and Exchanges Board

Support for individual research is also available directly from the NEH Division of Research and Education Programs through the Fellowships and Stipends program. A list of these programs and their deadlines and telephone numbers can be found on the inside of the back cover along with descriptions of other programs of the Division of Research and Education Programs.

The Humanities

The act that established the National Endowment for the Humanities says, "The term 'humanities' includes, but is not limited to, the study of the following: language, both modern and classical; linguistics; literature; history; jurisprudence; philosophy; archaeology; comparative religion; ethics; the history, criticism, and theory of the arts; those aspects of social sciences which have humanistic content and employ humanistic methods; and the study and application of the humanities to the human environment with particular attention to reflecting our diverse heritage, traditions, and history and to the relevance of the humanities to the current conditions of national life."

Equal Opportunity

Endowment programs do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age. For further information, write to the Equal Employment Opportunity Officer, National Endowment for the Humanities, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20506. TDD (for hearing impaired only) 202/606-8282.

Note

If a proposed project relates to American Indians, Aleuts, Eskimos, or native Hawaiian people and artifacts, an applicant should obtain from the Endowment a copy of its Code of Ethics concerning native Americans. The code establishes certain standards of conduct in research, publication, and public programs involving native American peoples.

CENTERS FOR ADVANCED STUDY IN THE UNITED STATES

American Antiquarian Society

The American Antiquarian Society (AAS) maintains a major research library in American history, literature, and culture through 1876. The library includes some 700,000 books and pamphlets; 15,000 newspaper titles; 200,000 pieces of graphic arts materials including broadsides, political cartoons, maps, and photographs; 60,000 pieces of sheet music; and nearly 2,000 running feet of manuscripts. The society's holdings are especially rich for projects in the history of the book, including bibliography and the history of printing and publishing; literature; the history of Puritanism; cultural history; intellectual history; American state and local history; and social history, including the history of reform, family history, and women's history. The collections are strong chronologically from the early colonial period to the late nineteenth century. The AAS-NEH fellows are part of a community that includes the AAS staff, area faculty, and the recipients of AAS short-term fellowships (including scholars from all over the U.S. and abroad, Ph.D. candidates, teachers and librarians in grades K-12, and creative artists and writers producing work for the general public). Further opportunities for collegial association are provided by the society's Program in the History of the Book in American Culture; its seminars in American history, American literary history, American bibliography and book trade history, American art history, and American music history; lunchtime colloquia; and more informal gatherings. At least two AAS-NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: January 15, 1997

John B. Hench, Director of Research and Publication Room 106 American Antiquarian Society 185 Salisbury Street Worcester, Massachusetts 01609-1634 508/752-5813 or 755-5221

Folger Shakespeare Library

Known internationally for its preeminent collections of Shakespearean and Elizabethan writings, the Folger Shakespeare Library is also a center for research on virtually every aspect of social, cultural, and political life from the medieval period to the mid-eighteenth century. Its 250,000 books, 55,000 manuscripts, 250,000 playbills, and 24,000 artworks and artifacts relate not only to the British Isles but also to the Continent and, to some extent, the New World. Fellows may join more than 4,000 registered readers and members of the Folger Institute in any of the series of seminars, conferences, workshops, symposia, lectures, and colloquia regularly scheduled at the library. Fellows also have easy access to the Library of Congress. Up to two NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: November 1, 1996

Werner Gundersheimer, Director Folger Shakespeare Library 201 East Capitol Street, S.E. Washington, D.C. 20003

Telephone: 202/675-0348; E-Mail: brobeck@mail.folger.edu

The Huntington

The Huntington is an independent research center with extensive holdings in British and American history, literature, art history, and the history of science. These collections range chronologically from the eleventh to the twentieth centuries. The library contains approximately 500,000 rare books, pamphlets, extra-illustrated books, maps, and ephemera, 500,000 reference works, 3.5 million manuscripts, and 600,000 photographs. Published guides are available for the American, British, medieval, and literary manuscript collections. The art division holds 75,000 British and American paintings, drawings, watercolors, and fine prints. The Smithsonian Archives of American Art also has a center at the Huntington. There are separate reference libraries in the art and garden divisions. The research division supports an extensive fellowship program to fund short-term fellows and sponsors a number of conferences, lectures, and seminars. Up to three NEH fellowships will be available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: December 15, 1996

Robert C. Ritchie, Research Director The Huntington 1151 Oxford Road San Marino, California 91108

Telephone: 818/405-2194; FAX: 818/449-5703

Institute for Advanced Study, School of Social Science

The Institute for Advanced Study was founded in 1930 and since its beginning has been internationally recognized as one of the world's foremost centers for theoretical research and intellectual inquiry. There are four schools: Historical Studies, Social Science, Mathematics, and Natural Sciences. Located on an 800-acre site, the institute is totally independent of Princeton University; however, there is a great deal of intellectual, cultural, and social interaction. The School of Social Science is devoted to a multidisciplinary, comparative, and international approach to social science research and brings together scholars with various perspectives to examine historical and contemporary problems. Disciplines represented in the school have included history, philosophy, and literary studies as well as anthropology, politics, economics, sociology, and other social science disciplines. The school organizes a weekly seminar at which members as well as invited guests present their ongoing work. Each year there is also a general theoretical or empirical focus that provides common ground for roughly half of the members. About fifteen postdoctoral fellows are selected each year. About three NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: November 15, 1996

Phillip A. Griffiths, Director Institute for Advanced Study Olden Lane Princeton, New Jersey 08540 609/734-8000

The Institute of Early American History and Culture

The Institute of Early American History and Culture supports study and publication in early American history from the sixteenth century to approximately 1815. Its field of interest encompasses all aspects of the lives of North America's indigenous and immigrant peoples during the colonial, revolutionary, and early national periods of the United States and related histories of the Caribbean, Latin America, the British Isles, Europe, and Africa. An autonomous organization founded in 1943 by its joint sponsors, the College of William and Mary and the Colonial Williamsburg Foundation, the institute publishes the William and Mary Quarterly, monographs, and documentary editions, and regularly plans and supports scholarly conferences. The institute annually offers a single, two-year, junior postdoctoral fellowship, one year of which is supported by the NEH. In addition to research and writing, fellows are encouraged to participate with the senior staff of working scholars in the institute's varied academic activities. Institute fellows also have the option of spending a summer at the Huntington Library, on a full grant, within five years of their residency in Williamsburg. The potential of an applicant's project for book publication is a major factor in awarding the fellowship.

Application deadline: November 1, 1996

Ronald Hoffman, Director The Institute of Early American History and Culture P. O. Box 8781 Williamsburg, Virginia 23187-8781 804/221-1114

John Carter Brown Library

The John Carter Brown Library is an independently funded and administered institution for advanced research on the campus of Brown University. The library's collection consists almost entirely of primary printed sources (books, pamphlets, and maps), and some manuscripts, relating to all aspects of the European discovery, exploration, settlement, and development of the Americas, from Hudson Bay to Tierra del Fuego, during the colonial period (1493 to ca.1825). Maritime history; the history of European expansion to the West with the responses to that expansion; the comparative history of the cultures of the Americas--Spanish, Portuguese, French, Dutch, English, African, and Amerindian; and the effects of the American discovery upon Europe are the major emphases of the collection. The library's holdings are nearly unrivaled in such areas as European impressions about the Americas, Braziliana, native American languages, American revolutionary pamphlets, and Caribbeana. The library awards approximately fifteen short-term fellowships (two to four months) each year, which are open to citizens of every country and to both pre- and post-doctoral scholars, and several long-term fellowships (five months), supported by the NEH and other agencies, which are open only to U.S. citizens or to permanent residents of this country. Prospective applicants should write to the John Carter Brown Library for further details and application forms. Two NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: January 15, 1997

Norman Fiering, Director and Librarian The John Carter Brown Library Box 1894 Providence, Rhode Island 02912 Telephone: 401/863-2725; FAX: 401/863-3477

e-mail: Karen Demaria@Brown.edu

National Humanities Center

The National Humanities Center offers thirty-five to forty fellowships annually for scholars in the humanities to work at the center during the academic year. In 1997-98, approximately six of these fellowships will be supported by the National Endowment for the Humanities. Fellowships are open to scholars in all fields of the humanities and also to individuals from other fields of inquiry or from professional and public life whose work has a humanistic dimension. Up to one-third of the center's fellowships are awarded to promising young scholars who are no more than ten years beyond the completion of their graduate training and are working on projects beyond the revision of their dissertations. Applications are evaluated by specialists and by an interdisciplinary panel of distinguished scholars in the humanities. The center provides technical assistance with the preparation of manuscripts, and daily delivery of books and research materials; fellows also have the use of private studies. The center's building includes facilities for lectures, seminars, conferences, and luncheons. The center is situated in the Research Triangle Park of North Carolina, adjacent to Chapel Hill, Durham, and Raleigh. In addition to a fellowship stipend, the center provides travel expenses to and from North Carolina for fellows and their immediate families.

Application deadline: October 15, 1996

Mary Donna Pond, Fellowship Program
National Humanities Center
7 Alexander Drive
P. O. Box 12256
Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27709-2256

Phone: 919/ 549-0661 FAX: 919/ 990-8535

Newberry Library

The Newberry Library, founded in 1887, is a privately endowed independent research library dedicated primarily to study in the humanities. Its collections are composed of more than 1.5 million volumes and 5 million manuscripts, with a strong general collection focused on Europe and the Americas from the late Middle Ages to the twentieth century. Many of the Newberry's special collections are internationally noted, including materials in the following fields: European discovery, exploration, and settlement of the New World; history of Native Americans; the American West; family and community history; literature and history of the Midwest, especially the Chicago Renaissance; the Renaissance in Europe; Portuguese and Luso-Brazilian history; cartography; music history and theory; printing; and early philology and linguistics. A variety of fellowships, conferences, and seminars enriches the Newberry's academic community. At least five NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: January 20, 1997

Committee on Awards The Newberry Library 60 West Walton Street Chicago, Illinois 60610 312/943-9090

Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture - New York Public Library

The Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture is a research unit of the New York Public Library. It is devoted to collecting, preserving, and providing access to research resources on black heritage. Established in 1926 as a reference collection, it has evolved into a comprehensive research library whose collections number more than 5 million items. They include more than 120,000 bound volumes, 85,000 microforms, 3.5 million manuscripts, 8,000 works of art, 250,000 photographs, and 1,700 serials.

The Schomburg Center's Scholars-in-Residence Program assists scholars whose research and writing on black history and culture would benefit from extended access to the center's resources. The program supports postdoctoral research in the humanities on African, Afro-American, and Afro-Caribbean themes. Fellowships funded by the program allow recipients to spend from six to twelve months in residence at the Schomburg Center. Although fellows devote most of their time to research and writing, they are also encouraged to take part in the center's scholarly and educational program, which includes colloquia, symposia, seminars, forums, and research conferences. One NEH fellowships is available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: January 15, 1997

Drs. Hylan Lewis and Nell Painter, Co-Directors Scholars-in-Residence Program Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture 515 Malcolm X Boulevard New York, New York 10037-1801 212/491-2203

School of American Research

Founded in 1907, the School of American Research is a center for advanced studies in anthropology and allied disciplines. It is dedicated to supporting scholars and publishing original research that contributes to a better understanding of the culture, evolution, and behavior of the human species. The school pursues its goals through six programs: It supports resident scholars for nine-month tenures, sponsors a series of advanced seminars, awards the J.I. Staley Prize for outstanding books in anthropology, maintains a research collection of southwestern native American art, publishes scholarly books, and holds educational events for the public. The Resident Scholar program offers fellows the time and facilities essential for creative intellectual pursuits. The school's unique campus provides an atmosphere that nourishes the scholarly spirit by combining solitude and freedom from academic responsibilities with the lively exchange of ideas found in an active community of scholars. Each resident scholar receives a stipend, an apartment and an office on the school's campus, library assistance, and other benefits during a tenure of nine months--September 1 through May 31. Up to two NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: December 1, 1996

Douglas W. Schwartz, President School of American Research P.O. Box 2188 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-2188 505/982-3583

Winterthur Museum, Garden, and Library

Winterthur is a center for advanced study of America's artistic, cultural, intellectual, and social history. Its library holds approximately half a million imprints, manuscripts, visual materials, trade catalogs, auction and exhibition catalogs, and printed ephemera for research from the seventeenth century to the early twentieth century. Its museum collection includes 89,000 domestic artifacts and works of art made or used in America to 1860.

Winterthur sponsors a broad range of public and academic programs, including scholarly conferences and three graduate programs in art conservation and American history with the University of Delaware. The institution also publishes scholarly books and *Winterthur Portfolio: A Journal of American Material Culture.* Winterthur's Research Fellowship Program offers predoctoral and postdoctoral support to academic, independent, and museum scholars. Fellows are provided a library carrel, 24-hour access to the library's circulating collections, and circulation privileges at nearby Morris Library of the University of Delaware. Scholars live in the Research Fellows Residence, a comfortable stone house on the Winterthur grounds. Both the residence and the library are fully equipped to accommodate personal computers. One NEH fellowship will be available for 1997-98 and may be shared by several fellows choosing four or six month terms.

Application deadline: December 1, 1996

Gary Kulik, Director Research Fellowship Program Winterthur Museum, Garden, and Library Winterthur, Delaware 19735 302/888-4649

AMERICAN OVERSEAS CENTERS FOR ADVANCED STUDY AND INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS

Albright Institute of Archaeological Research, Jerusalem

The W. F. Albright Institute of Archaeological Research in Jerusalem (AIAR) was originally established as the principal overseas center of the American Schools of Oriental Research (ASOR) founded in 1900. In 1970, AIAR was separately incorporated and renamed after its most distinguished director, W. F. Albright, while remaining one of the three ASOR centers. AIAR promotes and supports resident predoctoral and postdoctoral research in Near Eastern studies in a broad range of disciplines, including archaeology, history of art and architecture, anthropology, biblical studies, history, religion, language, linguistics, and literature. Its annual program is composed of a series of lectures, reports, seminars, workshops, and field trips organized according to its fellows' interests. AIAR facilities include living accommodations for thirty people and a research library dedicated to Near Eastern studies with more than 25,000 volumes and over 450 journal titles, along with significant map and artifact collections. Its offices and labs are equipped with computer and e-mail communications systems. More than fifty fellows from the United States and other countries participate as long-term research appointees each year. AIAR also serves as a support base for numerous short-term scholars and visitors and for a large number of staff, student, and volunteer participants in the twenty-two seasonal excavation and publication projects affiliated with ASOR. AIAR is also the organizing institution for a new international research project -- "The Neo-Assyrian Empire in the 7th Century BC: A Study of the Interaction between Center and Periphery" -- involving 50 scholars working in Bahrain, Cyprus, Egypt, Greece, Iraq, Iran, Israel, Jordan, Spain, Syria, Tunisia, and Turkey. Up to two NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: October 15, 1996

AIAR/NEH Fellowship Program ASOR-AIAR Boston University 656 Beacon Street Fifth Floor Boston, MA 02215-2010

Telephone: 617/353-6570; FAX: 617/353-6575

American Academy in Rome

The American Academy in Rome, founded in 1894 and chartered by Congress in 1905, is a working residential community of American scholars and creative artists. Scholarly research at the Academy focuses on a variety of fields, among them classical studies and archaeology, postclassical studies (including medieval and renaissance studies), modern Italian studies, and the history of art. The academy's resources include a major research library of approximately 120,000 volumes with particular strength in classical antiquity, Roman topography, and the history of art and architecture. They also include the Fototeca Unione, a research collection of more than 30,000 photographs of ancient sites in Italy, North Africa, and the Middle East. The work of the fellows is regularly presented through a series of seminars, colloquia, exhibitions, and concerts. There are weekly trips to historical monuments in Rome and lengthy visits twice each year to other parts of Italy and the Mediterranean. In addition, the academy participates in the union of twenty-three other national academies in Rome. Some scholarly studies by fellows, as well as archaeological excavation reports, are published in the academy's *Memoirs* series, which is published by the University of Michigan Press. Up to three NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: November 15, 1996.

Programs Department American Academy in Rome 7 East 60th Street New York, New York 10022 212/751-7200

American Center of Oriental Research

The American Center of Oriental Research (ACOR) was founded in 1968 to serve as a research base for U.S. scholars in Jordan. It promotes research and publication in the fields of archaeology, anthropology, ancient through Islamic history, art history, cultural resources management, conservation and preservation studies, languages, Biblical studies, Arabic, Islamic studies, and other aspects of Near Eastern studies. It has 12 full-time employees, a multi-million dollar five-story residential facility, and a fellowship program which grants 30 to 40 awards for periods of two to nine months per year. The library has more than 22,000 books and periodicals. ACOR also offers offices and workrooms; equipment for field projects; a computer room with IBM and MAC personal computers and printers; GIS, GPS, CAD and drafting facilities; a 90-seat lecture hall; an archaeological conservation laboratory; and a darkroom.

Over the years more than 100 archaeological and anthropological projects have been affiliated with ACOR. These projects have been instrumental in uncovering Jordan's wealth of prehistoric and historic remains. ACOR scholars have been involved in some of the most significant discoveries in the area, including the Neolithic sculptures from 'Ain Ghazal, the oldest of their kind ever found, and the unique archive of 6th century scrolls found during the 1993 excavations of the Byzantine basilica in Petra. The center has and is administering a number of USAID grants for the preservation and presentation of Jordanian antiquities such as the mosaics of Madaba and Petra and the Roman temple on the Citadel of Amman. One NEH fellowship will be available for 1997-98.

Application deadline February 1, 1997

Pierre Bikai, Director American Center of Oriental Research 656 Beacon Street, 5th floor Boston, MA 02215-2010

Phone: 617/ 353-6571 FAX: 617/ 353-6575 P.O. Box 2470 Amman 11181 Phone: 962 6 846-116

FAX: 962 6 844-181

American Council of Learned Societies and Social Science Research Council: International Postdoctoral Fellowships

The ACLS is a private federation of 53 national scholarly organizations dedicated to the advancement of humanistic scholarship in all fields of learning. The SSRC is an international association devoted to the advancement of interdisciplinary research in the social sciences. Jointly they offer postdoctoral fellowship support to scholars proposing to conduct research in international and area studies in the humanities and the humanistic aspects of the social sciences. This year's competition will provide approximately fifteen grants of up to \$20,000 to scholars doing humanities research on the societies and cultures of Asia, Latin America, and sub-Saharan Africa. The fundamental criteria for the selection of awards will be the intellectual value of the proposed research and the likelihood that significant and innovative scholarship on foreign societies, making important contributions to particular disciplines, multidisciplinary scholarship, or comparative research will result. These fellowships are intended to help scholars devote six to twelve continuous months to full-time research and writing.

To request an application form, interested individuals should send the following information: 1. highest degree held and date received; 2. academic or other position; 3. geographical area(s) of research; 4. a brief descriptive title of the proposed research; 5. country of citizenship or permanent residence; 6. proposed date for beginning tenure of the award and duration requested; 7. specific award program for which the application is requested; 8. full name and mailing address.

Application deadline: December 1, 1996

Jason Parker, Executive Associate Office of Fellowships and Grants American Council of Learned Societies 228 East 45th Street New York, New York 10017-3398 212/697-1505, ext. 136 or 138

American Institute of Indian Studies

The American Institute of Indian Studies, a consortium of fifty U.S. colleges and universities, was founded in 1961 by scholars committed to increasing accurate, intensive knowledge of India's culture, history, languages, and traditions. The institute's principal activity is the awarding of fellowships to support scholarly research in India on the broadest possible range of topics and disciplines in the humanities. With U.S. offices in Chicago and headquarters in New Delhi, the institute maintains regional offices in Calcutta, Madras, and Pune. Each provides a meeting place for scholars and organized opportunities for seminars, receptions, and lectures. In addition, the institute maintains an Archives and Research Center for Ethnomusicology in New Delhi and a Center for Art and Archaeology in Varanasi. The staffs at these regional offices and centers obtain necessary clearances for the fellows from the Indian government, secure affiliations for fellows with Indian academic and research institutions, and otherwise facilitate the fellows' scholarly research. The institute awards approximately twenty long-term postdoctoral fellowships in rupees to scholars of distinction or high promise in all academic disciplines. For 1997-98, NEH will supplement up to four fellowships in the humanities with U.S. dollars.

Application deadline: July 1, 1997

Frederick M. Asher, President American Institute of Indian Studies 1130 E. 59th Street Chicago, Illinois 60637 312/702-8638

American Philological Association/Thesaurus Linguae Latinae

The American Philological Association invites applications for a one-year fellowship, tenable from July 1997 through June 1998, which will enable an American scholar to participate in the work of the Thesaurus Linguae Latinae Institute in Munich. Fellows at the TLL develop a broadened perspective of the range and complexity of the Latin language and culture from the classical period through the early Middle Ages, contribute signed articles to the *Thesaurus*, have the opportunity to participate in a collaborative international research project, and work with senior scholars in the field of Latin lexicography. The fellowship carries a stipend in the amount of \$31,500 and is made possible in part by a grant from the NEH.

Applicants must be United States citizens or permanent residents, already have the Ph.D., or anticipate the award of the degree by July 1, 1997. The fellowship offers valuable experience for scholars in a variety of specialties (e.g., Latin language and literature, Roman Law, Roman History, the literature of early Christianity); although it is not limited to individuals in Latin philology, applicants should possess a thorough familiarity with and a special interest in the Latin language. It is anticipated that applicants will already have a reading knowledge of German and will be willing to work toward proficiency in spoken German. Further details will be sent to applicants upon request.

Applications should include a *curriculum vitae*, a statement of what benefits the applicant expects to derive from the Fellowship for his/her research and teaching, and the names of three referees, whom the applicant should ask to send supporting letters to the Secretary without further notice. Candidates will be considered by the APA's TLL Fellowship Committee, which serves as the selection committee. The committee will choose a short-list of candidates to be invited for interview at the Annual Meeting in December in Atlanta, Georgia, and the name of the successful candidate will be announced shortly thereafter.

Application deadline: November 15, 1996

TLL Fellowship Program c/o William J. Ziobro, Secretary-Treasurer American Philological Association Department of Classics College of the Holy Cross Worcester, Massachusetts 01610 508/793-2203

American Research Center in Egypt

The American Research Center In Egypt, Inc. (ARCE), a consortium of thirty-six North American universities and museums, was founded in 1948 to promote research in Egypt. Its broad aims are to foster a fresh and more profound knowledge of Egypt and the Near East through scholarly research, to disseminate knowledge of Egypt, and to promote American-Egyptian cultural relations. In pursuit of these goals, ARCE supports archaeological projects conducted by research teams led by senior American scholars, a fellowship program that enables American scholars and students to conduct research in all periods and in all phases of Egyptian civilization, and special historical and literary projects in Egypt in archaeology, art history, Islamic studies, the humanities, and the social sciences, including development studies. The center, located in Cairo, provides a reference library and a meeting place for scholars. Its staff helps scholars obtain necessary clearances from the Egyptian government and otherwise facilitates their research. The center administers a major AID grant for the conservation and preservation of Egyptian antiquities. One NEH fellowship is available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: November 1, 1996

Terry Walz, Executive Director American Research Center in Egypt 30 East 20th Street, Suite 401 New York, NY 10003 212/529-6661

The American Research Institute in Turkey

The American Research Institute in Turkey has a membership of thirty-five North American universities and museums. It was founded in 1964 to advance knowledge and enhance mutual understanding between the U.S. and Turkey by supporting and promoting research and study in anthropology, art and archaeology, history, linguistics, philology, and Turkology "with all its ramifications into social, cultural and economic fields in ancient, medieval and modern times." Branch facilities in Istanbul and Ankara provide full-time representation in Turkey for American institutions of higher education. Each branch is administered by an American scholar who is appointed as both Branch Director and Resident Fellow. The branches provide researchers in Turkey a base of operations, institutional affiliation, orientation assistance, and introductions to host-country scholars. Istanbul maintains a research facility and a 6,000-volume library in Byzantine, Islamic, Ottoman, and modern Turkish studies. In Ankara scholars have access to a 6,500-volume library on archaeology. Two or three NEH fellowships are available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: November 15, 1996

Professor G. Kenneth Sams, President American Research Institute in Turkey c/o The University of Pennsylvania Museum 33rd and Spruce Streets Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104-6324 Telephone: 215/898-3474

Telephone: 215/898-3474 FAX: 215/898-0657

American School of Classical Studies at Athens

The American School of Classical Studies at Athens was founded in 1881 to provide scholars and graduate students in ancient Greek history, art, archaeology, language, and literature the opportunity to pursue their studies and research in Greece itself. At its main building in Athens, the school administers an outstanding research library, the Blegen, with over 60,000 volumes devoted to ancient Greece. In 1926, the school dedicated, adjacent to the main building complex, the Gennadius Library, its second major library resource, which provides scholars of postclassical Greek studies some 100,000 volumes as well as archives dedicated to medieval, Byzantine and post-Byzantine, and modern Greece. The school also sponsors excavations and provides centers for advanced research in archaeological and related topics at its excavations in the Athenian Agora and Corinth, and houses an archaeological laboratory in the main building in Athens. By agreement with the Greek government, the school is authorized to serve as liaison with the Greek Ministry of Culture on behalf of American students and scholars for the acquisition of permits to excavate and to study museum collections. One NEH fellowship is available for the academic year 1997-98.

Application deadline: November 15, 1996

NEH Fellowship American School of Classical Studies 6-8 Charlton Street Princeton, NJ 08540

Telephone: 609/683-0800; FAX: 609/924-0578

Committee on Scholarly Communication with China

The Committee on Scholarly Communication with China (CSCC) was established in 1966 at the joint initiation of the American Council of Learned Societies, the National Academy of Sciences, and the Social Science Research Council. The Research Program of the CSCC's National Program for Advanced Study and Research in China serves the committee's long-term commitment to promoting and broadening scholarly communication between the American and Chinese academic communities. With funding provided by NEH, the Research Program offers support to American scholars to carry out research in China in the humanities. Participants in this program receive support for long-term individual research in China as well as limited related research elsewhere in Asia. The tenure of each grant ranges from two months to one year. The coordinated efforts of the CSCC's offices in New York City and Beijing assist grantees participating in this program to secure institutional affiliations and support in China to ensure successful research experiences. Up to five grants funded by NEH will be available in 1997-98.

To request an application form, interested individuals should send the following information: 1. highest degree held and date received; 2. academic or other position; 3. geographical area(s) of research; 4. a brief descriptive title of the proposed research; 5. country of citizenship or permanent residence; 6. proposed date for beginning tenure of the award and duration requested; 7. specific award program for which the application is requested; 8. full name and mailing address.

Application deadline: October 15, 1996

Jason Parker, Executive Associate Office of Fellowships and Grants American Council of Learned Societies 228 East 45th Street New York, New York 10017-3398 212/697-1505, ext. 136 or 138

Cyprus American Archaeological Research Institute

The Cyprus American Archaeological Research Institute (CAARI) in Nicosia, founded in 1978 and the youngest of the three American Schools of Oriental Research, welcomes scholars from all branches of ancient Aegean and Near Eastern studies with an emphasis on Cyprus, as well as other disciplines belonging to the humanities. CAARI is located in the center of Nicosia. In addition to accommodations for twelve scholars, there are excellent research facilities in the form of a 10,000-volume library, comprehensive map and reference collections, a drafting room, darkroom, laboratories, and computer equipment. The 25,000-volume research library of the Cyprus Museum and the larger Makarios Foundation Library are easily accessible. One NEH fellowship is available for 1997-98.

Application deadline: October 15, 1996

Rudolph Dornemann, Administrative Director American Schools of Oriental Research 656 Beacon Street, 5th floor Boston, MA 02215-2010

Office: 617/ 353-6570 FAX: 617/ 353-6575

International Research and Exchanges Board

IREX programs help create the basis for self-sustaining progress in the regions of the Newly Independent States specialists (NIS) of Eurasia, Central and Eastern Europe (CEE), the Baltic countries, and Mongolia. IREX's grants to US specialists for long- and short-term study in the region develop expertise that help to shape US scholarship and policy on the region. At the same time, IREX training programs for specialists from the region reinforce local capabilities and help NIS and CEE professionals overcome a legacy of international isolation. For its programs, IREX draws on U.S. and indigenous academic, policy, and professional communities, including alumni spanning 28 years of IREX Programs, to provide emerging leaders in the region with skills in curriculum development, ethnic-conflict resolution, finance and entrepreneurship, information management, journalism, local governance, nongovernmental organization management, parliamentary democracy, and public policy. IREX provides support to programs and participants through its network of representatives and offices in 15 regional cities.

In its efforts, IREX builds upon strong organizational alliances with major US academic, government, foundation, business, and media partners. NEH funds support humanities scholars through a number of IREX programs:

Individual Advanced Research Opportunities grants support research by postdoctoral and postdoctoral scholars for periods of one to twelve months at institutions in IREX program countries. Application deadline: November 1, 1996

Short-term Travel Grants provide support for brief visits (one to two weeks) associated with scholarly projects on IREX program countries. Funded activities include:

- · individual scholarly research visits to archives, libraries, museums, etc., or visits for conducting interviews;
- presentations at scholarly conferences;
- · invited lectures or consultations;
- · collaborative projects such as joint publications or comparative surveys;
- visits of up to two foreign colleagues to the United States for collaborative research or conference presentations.

Application deadlines: October 1, 1996, February 1, 1997, and June 1, 1997

Special Projects in Library and Information Science grants support librarians, archivists, and information specialists pursuing projects relating to IREX program countries. Application deadline: mid-January 1997 (exact date to be announced)

International Research and Exchanges Board 1616 H Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20006

Telephone: 202/628-8188; FAX: 202/628-8189; E-Mail: irex@info.irex.org

The Division of Research and Education Programs makes grants under four general groupings.

Education Development and Demonstration, 202-606-8380, education@neh.fed.us

Grants provide improved humanities education through "next semester" Humanities Focus Grants, Materials Development Grants, Curricular Development and Demonstration Grants, and Dissemination and Diffusion Grants. Public and private elementary and secondary schools, school systems, colleges and universities, nonprofit academic associations, and cultural institutions are eligible to apply. Projects dealing with Teaching with Technology are invited at all deadlines.

Fellowships and Stipends, 202-606-8467, fellowsuniv@neh.fed.us

Fellowships provide support for individual scholars to undertake full-time independent research and writing in the humanities. Grants are available for a maximum of one year and a minimum of six weeks of summer study.

Research, 202-606-8210, research@neh.fed.us

Grants provide up to three years of support for collaborative research. These grants support original research undertaken by two or more scholars and projects coordinated by individual scholars, which because of their scope, complexity, or duration, cannot be accomplished through one-year fellowships. Grants also support research opportunities offered through independent centers for advanced study and international research organizations.

Seminars and Institutes, 202-606-8463, education@neh.fed.us

Grants support summer seminars and national institutes in the humanities for college and school teachers. These faculty development activities are conducted at colleges and universities across the country. Prospective participants apply directly to the seminar or institute director for the following summer. A list of seminars and institutes is available through the program. Prospective directors apply to the program to conduct seminars and institutes the summer of the following year.