



R.H. MALLORY CENTER FOR COMMUNITY GEOGRAPHY

R.H. Mallory Center for Community Geography Graduate Fellowship for Community Engagement 2022-2023 Application

The R.H. Mallory Center for Community Geography announces a student competition for grants to support students engaged in community work between June 2022 and May 2023. Projects could include summer research, a community-engaged thesis/dissertation work, or even an independent or collaborative (2 students or more) project with a community partner. The objective of these fellowships is to give students the opportunity to center community concerns in their academic or professional work with the result of community informed research and usable outcomes.

The deadline for applications is Monday April 4th, 2022, by 5:00 PM. For more information, please contact Dr. Miriam Gay-Antaki mgayantaki@unm.edu.

GENERAL CONDITIONS

1. Priority will be given to graduate students although advanced undergraduates might be considered depending on the feasibility of the project given the timeline. Please contact Miriam Gay-Antaki if you have questions about the suitability of your project at mgayantaki@unm.edu
2. Proof of collaboration with community organization must be obtained before the grant is distributed.
3. Awards will be given based on merit.
4. The center will make 3-4 awards of \$1,000 dollars each.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

For community engaged work between June 1, 2022 – May 31, 2023 the deadline is Monday April 4th, 2022 5:00 pm.

APPLICATION

1. A 500-word statement that includes: 1) Title of project 2) Project/plan overview; 3) How the funds will help the applicant engage community priorities 4) ID specific community groups you would be working with 5) expected outcomes of collaboration.
2. The fellowship stipend is intended to support community-engaged work. It may be used to cover direct costs related to this work, and/or it may be used primarily to support the researcher. Please provide a brief description of how the funds will be used.

3. A short resume and/or description of how the project fits with your overall degree program or professional goals and preparation.

SUBMISSION

1. Submit your proposal electronically to mgayantaki@unm.edu as a single PDF. File names must begin with the applicant's last name. Allowances will be made for delays caused by the ongoing pandemic.

SELECTION PROCEDURES

1. The Selection Committee is composed of the Director and Associate Director of the Center.
2. Applications are reviewed and awarded solely upon merit.
3. Award recipients will be notified within two weeks and will have 10 days from the date of the award letter to accept the award.

POST-AWARD PROCEDURES

1. Given the community focus of the fellowship, awardees will be asked to disseminate their work in a public forum, accessible to UNM and community members. Awardees may be asked to serve on proposal review committees.