

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Center for the History of Business, Technology, and Society, Hagley Museum and Library, Wilmington, Delaware has awarded grants-in-aid to support research in the Library's collections to the following recipients:

Regina Blaszczyk
Boston University

"The Color Revolution: The Color Association of America and the Search for Chromatic Standards"

Marisa Chappell
Northwestern University

"Welfare Rights to Welfare Reform: The Politics of AFDC, 1968-1982"

Jull Fields
California State University, Los Angeles

"The Production of Glamour: A Social History of Intimate Apparel, 1909-1952"

Howell Harris
University of Durham

"Technical Change in the US Foundry Industry, c. 1840-1940"

Mary Ann Hellrigel
SUNY, Geneseo

"Big City Power: Gas and Electric Service in Philadelphia, 1830-1930"

Stephen Mihm
New York University

"The Spirit of Commerce: Markets and Magic in Antebellum America"

Kaori O'Connor
University College London

"Production, Consumption and the New Extended Midlife"

David Suisman
Columbia University

"The Sound of Money: The Formation of the American Music Industry, 1850-1925"

INDIANA HISTORICAL SOCIETY Graduate Fellowships in History:
Two Grants of \$6,000 Each for the 1999-2000 Academic Year

Purpose: To encourage research that will contribute to an understanding of the history of Indiana, or of the history of Indiana as part of regions with which it has been associated (such as the Old Northwest and Midwest).

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Eligibility: Applicants must be enrolled in a program in an accredited institution and have completed all course work and met all requirements for the doctoral degree except the research and writing of the dissertation. The dissertation subject must reflect the purpose of the grant and be approved by the graduate committee of the institution.

Application: Application forms may be obtained from the office of the Indiana Historical Society at the address below or on the Internet at <http://www2.indianahistory.org/ihs1830/fellow.htm>

Applicants must provide three letters of recommendation including one from the chair person of their major department confirming the applicant's eligibility; and one from the dissertation director. Also required are an original transcript of graduate credits and a dissertation prospectus.

Awards: Winners will receive grants of \$6,000 to be used for expenses connected with their dissertations. One half of the grant, \$3,000 will be paid 1 September 1999; \$2,000 1 December 1999; and \$1,000 upon acceptance of the dissertation by the graduate committee and receipt of a bound copy by the Indiana Historical Society.

Deadlines: For receipt of application, letters of recommendation and transcripts: 12 March 1999

Announcements of awards: 21 May 1999

For further information and for application forms write:

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The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS HISTORICAL SOCIETY will be held at The Menger Hotel in San Antonio, Texas, April 8-11, 1999. The Society welcomes proposals for papers and panels on all aspects of North American, European, and non-Western economic and business history, all time periods. Please send proposals and paper abstracts (two page maximum) by January 15, 1999, to Douglas Steeples, Dean of College of Liberal Arts and Professor of History, Mercer University, 1400 Coleman Avenue, Macon, Georgia 31207-0001; FAX: (912) 752-4120; Email: steeples_dw@mercer.edu.

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SIENA COLLEGE is sponsoring its fifteenth annual, international, multidisciplinary conference, The Sixtieth Anniversary of World War II on June 1-2, 2000. The focus for 2000 will be the year 1940, though papers dealing with broad issues of earlier years will be welcome. Proposals should be rooted in, or show relevance to, the anniversary year.

Topics welcomed include, but are not limited to, Fascism and Nazism, the War in Asia, Spain, Literature, Art, Film, Diplomatic, Political and Military History, Popular Culture and Women's and Jewish Studies dealing with the year. The Blitzkrieg, England under the Blitz, Dunkirk, Vichy France, Quisling, etc., will be particularly appropriate. Asian, African, Latin American, and Near Eastern topics of relevance are also solicited.

Inquiries from those wishing to Chair and/or Comment are also invited.

Replies and inquiries to: Professor Thomas Kelly, II
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Deadline for Submissions: November 15, 1999.

Send: Brief (1-3 page) outline or abstract of the proposal with some sense of the sources, archive materials, etc., consulted and a recent c.v. or brief current biographical sketch. Final papers due: March 15, 2000.

THE CHEMICAL HERITAGE FOUNDATION (CHF) invites applications for the Gordon Cain Fellowship in Technology, Policy, and Entrepreneurship for the 1999-2000 academic year. The Gordon Cain Fellow will spend the year in residence at CHF and will carry out historical research on the development of the chemical industries.

The outcome of this research should further our understanding of the relationship between science, technology, policy, and entrepreneurship and shed light on the complex development of modern society and commerce. For example, what are the conditions that forward the growth of certain chemical specialties or of biotechnology? What is known about the economic and commercial impacts of Nobel Prize-winning work carried out in the United States? How best may recent developments in policy study, economics, and various historical subdisciplines—the history of science, of technology, of economics, and of business—illuminate the history of the chemical industries?

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At the beginning of the fellowship year, the Cain Fellow and CHF will convene a committee of leading academics to discuss the historical territory around policy, technology, and entrepreneurship, providing counsel and feedback to both the fellow and to CHF.

The successful candidate for the Cain Fellowship should have a Ph.D. or equivalent in hand at the time of application. Applications should include a complete curriculum vitae and a proposal of 500 to 1,000 words outlining the applicant's research project, with specific mention of how the work advances scholarship and how the outcome might be published. In addition, applicants should arrange for two letters of reference to be sent directly to CHF.

The fellowship carries a stipend of \$50,000 plus a small continuing award for research expenses and travel to allow Cain Fellow to return to CHF periodically after initial term. Deadline: 1 December 1998.

Contact: Leo B. Slater
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THE WILLIAM P. CLEMENTS CENTER FOR SOUTHWEST STUDIES in the Department of History at Southern Methodist University in Dallas welcomes applications for three research fellowships: the Clements Research Fellowship in Southwest Studies, open to individuals in any field in the humanities or social sciences doing research on Southwestern America, the Carl B. and Florence E. King Research Fellowship in Southwestern History, and the Summerfield-Roberts Research Fellowship in Texas History. The Fellowships are designed to provide time for senior or junior scholars to bring book-length manuscripts to completion.

Fellows would be expected to spend the 1999-2000 academic year at SMU, teach one course during the two-semester duration of the fellowship, and participate in Center activities. Each fellow will receive the support of the Center and access to the extraordinary holdings of the DeGolyer Library. Fellowships carry a stipend of \$30,000, health benefits, a modest allowance for research and travel expenses, and a subvention for the publication of the book.

Applicants should send two copies of their vita, a description of their research project, and a sample chapter or extract, and arrange to have let-

ters of reference sent from three persons who can assess the significance of the work and the ability of the scholar to carry it out. Send applications to David J. Weber, Director, Clements Center for Southwest Studies, Dept. of History, SMU, Dallas, TX 75275-0176. Applications must be received by January 15, 1999. The award will be announced on March 2, 1999. Applicants need not specify the fellowship for which they are applying. This announcement contains all the information necessary to complete the application process. Visit our website at www.smu.edu/~swcenter/

HARVARD UNIVERSITY announces the Alfred D. Chandler, Jr., Traveling Fellowships in Business History and Institutional Economic History. The grants will range from \$1,000 to \$3,000, with the funds awarded each year totaling approximately \$15,000. The purpose of the fellowships is to facilitate library and archival research in business history or in institutional economic history, broadly defined. Topics such as labor relations and government regulation would also be considered for awards, if the approach is primarily institutional. The intent of the awards is to encourage the kind of research exemplified by the published work of Alfred D. Chandler, Jr.

Three categories of applicants will be eligible for grants:

- Harvard University graduate students in history, economics, business administration, or a related discipline such as sociology, government, or law, whose research requires travel to distant archives or repositories;
- Graduate students or nontenured faculty in those fields from other North American universities, whose research requires travel to the Boston-Cambridge area (to study, for example, in the collections of the Baker, Widener, McKay, Law, Kress, or Houghton libraries);
- Harvard College undergraduates writing senior theses in these fields, whose research requires similar travel.

The fellowships will be administered by a committee of three faculty members from Harvard's Business School and history and economics departments. The deadline for receipt of applications is 1 December 1998 and recipients may use their awards at any time during calendar 1999.

Requests for applications should be sent to the committee chair, Professor Nancy Koehn, Morgan 295, Harvard Business School, Boston, MA 02163.