

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR CONNECTICUT

Grants to Connecticut Organizations and Individuals from Fiscal Years 2019 through 2023 – \$10,347,450

Total Number of Awards – 81

Award Highlights:

- Southern Connecticut State University will conduct a general preservation assessment of the Buley Library Special Collections and Archives. The collections include 13,000 rare volumes, 250 artists' books from small and fine presses, and materials documenting the history of Southern Connecticut State University.
- Professor Leah Glaser at the Central Connecticut State University System is creating curriculum and resources for K-12 educators on communities of color in Connecticut.

NEH also provides annual funding to <u>Connecticut Humanities</u>, the designated humanities council in the state, to support a wide array of public programming.

Recent Connecticut Humanities Highlights:

- CTH partnered with the UConn's Native American and Indigenous Studies Initiative to curate a series of humanities and art-based events. The series promotes discussion of the ongoing impact and recasts the dominant narrative of Northeastern Indigenous peoples from one of erasure to one of survivance.
- CT Public received a grant to develop a documentary that investigates how generations of housing insecurity, inequality and discrimination allow racial segregation to thrive in Connecticut, as well as its downstream effects on educational inequities. The documentary will be broadcast on TV, radio and digital platforms, and used as a community engagement tool.

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