



### **IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR FLORIDA**

**Grants to Florida Organizations and Individuals from Fiscal Years 2019 through 2023 –\$22,194,332**

**Total Number of Awards– 132**

#### **Award Highlights:**

- Professor Debasis Mitra at the Florida Institute of Technology is using deep learning to digitize the ancient script of the Indus Valley. He is working on developing a machine learning algorithm for identifying the Indus civilization's ancient script.
- Miami Dade College North Campus is updating the elevators, accessibility, and overall safety at the Freedom Tower. The tower is a National Historic Landmark significant for its role in offering political asylum to Cuban refugees and is now owned by the college.

**NEH also provides annual funding to [Florida Humanities](#), the designated humanities council in the state, to support a wide array of public programming.**

#### **Recent Florida Humanities Highlights:**

- FORUM, the magazine of Florida Humanities, won 24 awards at the 2023 Florida Magazine Association Charlie Awards. The magazine received 10 first-place awards, eight silver, and six bronze — including an award for Best Overall: Writing and Best Writing: In-Depth Reporting – for its stories about the history and culture of the Sunshine State.
- Florida Stories Walking Tours allow users to learn about dozens of cities and towns across the state. The app and website feature photos and audio about the unique history, culture, and architecture of Florida.

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