

IMPACT BY THE NUMBERS FOR NORTH CAROLINA

Grants to North Carolina Organizations and Individuals for Fiscal Year 2019 through 2023 – \$ 18,938,547

Total Number of Awards – 138

Award Highlights:

- Funding was awarded to Western Carolina University in order to be ready for the annotated translation of several important editions of handwritten Eastern Cherokee social records from the mid-1880s to the early 1990s. These editions will include digital components.
- The Brevard Music Center received funding for its project "Music Unwound. A series of public programs that bring historical and cultural context to performances of early 20th century classical music.

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

Recent North Carolina Humanities Highlights:

- North Carolina Reads is North Carolina's first-ever virtual statewide book club that annually
 features five books that explore issues of racial, social, and gender equity and the history and
 culture of North Carolina and brings together the featured book's author, a subject matter
 expert, and readers from around the state to explore their role in helping to form a more just
 and inclusive society.
- North Carolina Humanities has partnered with the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service (SITES) to bring seven unique Smithsonian exhibitions to over 30 different North Carolina small-town and rural museums, community colleges, libraries, and historic sites through the program Museum on Main Street.

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