History 381/581: Digital History, Fall 2014

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**Mock digital humanities grant proposal**

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| Working in a group of two to four students, write a mock grant proposal to expand the Central Rim Historical Survey digital project. Your proposal should take the project in a new direction and/or further develop existing aspects of it, all while remaining focused on the Central Rim (and, if relevant, adjoining neighborhoods).  Undergraduate students may respond to any existing grant program.[[1]](#footnote--1) Grad students must write a proposal for the Digital Humanities Start-Up Grant Program administered by the National Endowment for the Humanities. [[2]](#footnote-0) |

**Follow all the guidelines, with two exceptions:** You can turn in a simple budget table instead of using the granting agency’s template, and you can skip any letters of commitment and support.

**Please include a copy of the grant guidelines/instructions with your proposal.**

To merit an A grade, your grant proposal must be well researched, make a strong argument for the proposed project, and exhibit flawless prose.

**Deadline: Monday, December 8**

1. Examples of grantmakers: Idaho Humanities Council, Boise City Department of Arts & History. Others are listed here: <http://sites.library.northwestern.edu/dh/funding-evaluation/> [↑](#footnote-ref--1)
2. Grad students: You can download the NEH grant guidelines and see sample grant proposals at <http://www.neh.gov/grants/odh/digital-humanities-start-grants>. [↑](#footnote-ref-0)