

**ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR APPLICATIONS**  
**THE GLOBAL HUMANITIES JUSTICE FUND**

The Global Humanities Institute announces the creation of a new fund to support the work of students and faculty actively involved in learning and teaching in the global humanities.

The Global Humanities Justice Fund is created as an endowment by faculty in the Global Humanities Institute to energize, motivate, and support the passion of students and faculty. We strongly believe that adopting a broadly humanistic and global perspective on the issues that confront our world today is an important means of preparing students and faculty for a complex and intricate future, with issues, concerns and opportunities that are unprecedented. We know that in order to address the needs of our societies and communities in the future, we will need a deep understanding of our global interconnectedness. The interdisciplinary work of the global humanities makes possible this deeper understanding, putting a premium on people's lives and the ways that mutual appreciation of cultural differences and similarities shape our realities.

A. Student Scholarship [Three available each year]

Scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded to *students who have completed the Introduction to the Global Humanities course, GHUM101, Introduction to Global Humanities*. Students with a GPA of 3.0 or better apply for this scholarship by submitting a completed application along with their transcript and an essay (250 words) describing their own interest in the area of global humanities. The essay may address questions such as,

- What motivates you personally to study global humanities?
- Why is a humanities approach necessary to understanding others?
- What do you see as the importance of global studies and humanistic approaches to global issues?
- What do you see as your potential role in terms of work to impact global contexts in the future?
- What historical figure ignites your interests in becoming an active global citizen?

Please submit your application form and attach your essay and a letter of recommendation from your GHUM101 instructor. Review of applications is confidential. Submit your application to the Montgomery College Foundation, c/o Global Humanities Justice Fund Student Scholarship Award. Applications are due by 5:00pm on Friday, December 29, 2017

**GLOBAL HUMANITIES JUSTICE FUND  
STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MC #: \_\_\_\_\_

Campus: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Course Associated with this application: \_\_\_\_\_ Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Send to:  
Professor Greg Wahl, English, TPSS

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The Global Humanities Institute is a global education project of Montgomery College, funded in part through a challenge “Bridging Cultures” grant by the National Endowment for the Humanities. Our purpose is to support the systematic integration of other cultures and countries to the study of the humanities. Our project includes faculty training and support of teaching, cultural community engagement, research and scholarly work, and scholarly exchanges abroad as we travel to China, India, and el Salvador. We invite you to join us as we work to meet the imperative goal of preparing students for a global future. To help us meet our challenge, contact the Montgomery College Foundation at (240) 567-7900 or at [www.montgomerycollege.edu/onlinegiving](http://www.montgomerycollege.edu/onlinegiving).

