



The Hulbert Center for Southwest
Studies
2018-2019 JACKSON
FELLOWSHIPS

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Application deadline: Monday, February 19, 2018 (before midnight)

The Hulbert Center for Southwest Studies invites applications for Jackson Fellowships for summer 2018 and the 2018-2019 academic year. Jackson Fellowships provide support to Colorado College faculty engaged with themes, topics, and issues **connected to the study of the US Southwest and northern Mexico**. Fellowship awards may take the form of faculty stipends, of support for project-related expenses, and/or of funding of student project assistants. Recipients of these awards will be designated Jackson Fellows. The Jackson Fellowship program operates independently of the College's faculty development program, and Jackson Fellowships may be held in association with other awards and grants.

All Colorado College faculty members are eligible for Jackson Fellowships, and year-long visitors may also be eligible, but should contact the Director of the Hulbert Center concerning eligibility before they submit an application. The selection committee does *favor proposals from faculty actively involved in the Southwest Studies program and proposals for projects that further program goals*.

Please note: This year we are prioritizing funding applications related to course development that will help improve the number of course offerings (cross-listed courses) in Southwest Studies. Once funding for all course development projects has been awarded, research project fellowships will be determined based on the project's relevance to Southwest Studies.

Research Project Fellowships:

1. Up to \$4000 per year in support to a CC faculty member. This funding may be taken as a stipend (taxable). Alternatively the funds may be placed in the faculty member's research account to cover research expenses including fieldwork, conference participation, or other project needs (non-taxable). The award amount may also be split between stipend and expenses. Major equipment purchases and work toward advanced degrees will *not* be funded. Faculty members who take a full \$4000 stipend are expected to devote the equivalent of four-weeks full-time work to the project.
2. Funds to support one or more students working with CC faculty on the research project (up to \$4000). Student stipends should be consistent with current College work-study pay rates.
3. A Fellowship recipient may receive up to \$8000 total support under the two categories above. If a Fellowship recipient wishes to support additional students, s/he may request to use all or a portion of the faculty support designated in (1) above for additional student stipends.

Course Development Fellowships:

CC faculty may apply for up to \$4000 for stipend and/or expenses in support of course development that is not redundant to existing Southwest Studies courses. Faculty members who take a full \$4000 stipend are expected to devote the equivalent of at least four weeks' full-time work to developing the course. Courses must be in one of the following categories:

1. New courses or major redesigns of existing humanities and social science courses focusing on the Southwest.

Priority will be given to the development of interdisciplinary courses that complement the curriculum.

2. New science courses or major redesigns of existing science courses to provide increased opportunities for CC students from the rural Southwest, who are often first-generation college students and may not have had the opportunity to take AP or other advanced science courses in high school. With this funding we hope to help level the playing field in the sciences for these students.

Application Procedure:

The Director of the Hulbert Center and the Southwest Studies Faculty Advisory Committee evaluate applications for the Jackson Fellowship on the basis of a submitted *written proposal*. The proposal must include the following materials in the following order:

TITLE of the project.

STATEMENT of whether the proposal is for a Research-Project Fellowship or a Course-Development Fellowship.

ONE-PARAGRAPH SUMMARY of the proposed project.

COMPREHENSIVE DESCRIPTION of the purpose of the Jackson Fellowship project (what you want to accomplish, the creative or scholarly importance of the task, how you will achieve your goals, and student involvement in the proposed project, if applicable). Include a section about how your work is important to the Southwest (or closely related geographic region).

TIMETABLE of previous work or preparation for this project, schedule during the period of Fellowship support, and anticipated further work, if any, after the end of the support period.

METHOD OF EVALUATION of the quality of your work, and plans for other presentations or publications.

STATEMENT of how this project will contribute to personal long-range scholarly growth, your field, your teaching effectiveness, and/or the improvement of the curriculum.

STATEMENT of the impact of your project to the Southwest Studies program and Hulbert Center activities.

CURRICULUM VITAE including previous Jackson Fellowship support.

PROPOSED ITEMIZED BUDGET and estimated date of expenditure.

APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN DIGITAL FORMAT (PDF PREFERRED) TO BOTH MARIO MONTAÑO AND SANTIAGO GUERRA

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Responsibilities of Jackson Fellowship Recipients:

In addition to carrying out the work outlined in their proposals, Jackson Fellows are expected to send a report on the project and project finances to the Hulbert Center Director upon completion of the work. **This report must be received before any future Fellowship application will be considered.**

Research fellowship recipients are also required to submit a copy of the publication(s) produced through Jackson Fellowship support. Recipients of course development fellowships must submit a copy of the syllabus for the course produced through Jackson Fellowship support.

Jackson Fellows may also be asked to speak at one of the *Aficionados* luncheons.

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