



Grant Application



1. SPONSORING ORGANIZATION/INSTITUTION: _____
ADDRESS: _____

2. PROJECT DIRECTOR: _____ TITLE: _____
ADDRESS: _____
DAYTIME PHONE: _____ HOME PHONE: _____
EMAIL: _____

3. CO-SPONSOR(S): _____

4. PROGRAM TITLE: _____

5. PROGRAM DATE: _____

6. LOCATION & TIME OF PROGRAM:

7. SCHOLAR: _____

8. HOW WILL YOU PUBLICIZE THIS PROGRAM?

HOW MANY PARTICIPANTS DO YOU EXPECT? _____

9. COST-SHARE MATCH:

PERSONNEL	\$ _____	PUBLICITY	\$ _____
SPACE RENTAL	\$ _____	OTHER (SPECIFY)	\$ _____
SUPPLIES/POSTAGE	\$ _____	TOTAL	\$ _____

10. SIGNATURE OF PROJECT DIRECTOR: _____ DATE _____

11. CERTIFICATION (to be signed by Authorizing Official) By signing and submitting this application, the Authorizing Official of the applicant institution or organization is providing the applicable certifications regarding debarment and suspension and compliance with nondiscrimination statutes as set forth in the attached "Explanation of Certifications".

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE** _____

NAME (PLEASE PRINT): _____

TITLE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

DAYTIME PHONE: _____ **HOME PHONE:** _____

CERTIFICATION INSTRUCTIONS

The following reflect new federal requirements for recipients of OHC grant awards. The requirement of compliance with nondiscrimination statutes has applied to all OHC grantees for some years. The requirements with respect to Adebarment and suspension@ are new.

Both requirements are now combined in the ACertifications@ below. The Authorizing Official for the primary sponsoring organization certifies compliance with these requirements by signing and submitting the Certification Signature Sheet (page 4).

The new Adebarment and suspension@ provisions are an extension of a long-standing procedure whereby federal agencies have excluded some individuals and organizations from their funding programs because of such things as violations of various labor standards, conviction of or civil judgment for fraud, embezzlement, theft, violation of antitrust laws, or other practices demonstrating a lack of business integrity, willful failure to perform in accordance with the terms of a government contract, or other serious cause.

A single set of regulations has been adopted by all federal agencies, which basically establishes that an organization which has been Adebarred@ or Asuspended@ (two procedures which result in exclusion from federal funding) by one federal agency may not receive federal funds either directly from any other federal agency or indirectly through organizations such as the Oklahoma Humanities Council, Inc. which use federal funds in their granting activities. The new provisions require that applicants to the OHC provide certification of eligibility to receive federal funds.

CERTIFICATIONS

Certification Regarding the Nondiscrimination Statutes: The applicant certifies that it will comply with the following nondiscrimination statutes and the implementing regulations:

- (a) Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.), which provides that no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the applicant received federal assistance;
- (b) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended (29 U.S.C. 794), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicap in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance;
- (c) Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, as amended (20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in education programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance; and
- (d) the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended (42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age in programs and activities receiving federal financial assistance, except that actions which reasonably take age into account as a factor necessary for the normal operation or achievement of any statutory objective of the project or activity shall not violate this statute.

Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion B Lower Tier Covered Transactions (45 CFR 1169)

- (a) The prospective lower tier participant (the applicant) certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals is presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any federal department or agency.
- (b) Where the prospective lower tier participant (the applicant) is unable to certify to any of the statements in the certification, such prospective participants shall attach an explanation to the proposal.

