Storytelling Event Sponsorship 2024

Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities

Eligibility

Amount Requested*
Event Sponsorships are $2000

Choices
$2000

Tax-Exempt Status*
Select the description that matches your organization.

Choices
My organization is a currently tax-exempt 501(c)(3).
My organization or project is fiscally sponsored by a 501(c)3.
My organization is a public library
Other - your organization may not be eligible for this grant.

Will the program(s) be free for participants and open to the public?*

Choices
Yes
No - If you selected no, the programs are not eligible for this funding.

Organization Location
Is your organization based in one of the following cities?
Brockton, Holyoke, Lawrence, Pittsfield, Roxbury-Dorchester, Worcester

Choices
Yes
No

Event(s) Location(s)*
Events must take place in one or more of the following cities. Check all that apply.

Choices
Brockton
Holyoke
Lawrence
Pittsfield
Roxbury-Dorchester
Worcester
Organization Type*
Choose the description that best matches your organization.

Note, the following organization types are not eligible for storytelling event sponsorships:
- Individuals without a fiscal sponsor or non-profit host applicant
- Foreign and/or for-profit entities
- Universities, colleges, or academic departments
- K-12 schools

Choices
Archive
Arts-related organization (including art museums)
Community organization or center
Festival
Cultural heritage organization
Higher education affiliates
Historical site/house
Historical society
Incarceration or detention facility
Independent research library
Indigenous tribal organization or community
Media organization
Membership organization
Museum (history)
Museum (other)
Nature center or arboretum
Environmental organization
Public library
Social services or health organization
State or national park
Other

Applicant Organization*
Briefly describe your organization, its mission and its typical programs.

Character Limit: 1500

Programs

Project Name*
Enter your Project Name as "Storytelling Events by [Organization Name]"

For example: "Storytelling Events by Holyoke Community Center"

Character Limit: 100
Total anticipated audience for program(s)?*
How many people do you anticipate will attend your event(s)?
*Character Limit: 10

Use of Funds*
List how you will use sponsorship funds. For example:
- Speaker stipends: $1000
- Livestream tech support: $700
- Promotion: $300
*Character Limit: 1000

Storytelling Event Sponsorships can support up to 3 events. You only need to enter information for events that the sponsorship will support.

Program 1 Date*
Enter the date for the event.
*Character Limit: 10

Program 1 Title*
Enter the title for the event.
*Character Limit: 100

Program 1 Location*
Enter the location and street address for the event
*Character Limit: 250

Program 1 Description*
Enter a brief description of the event. What community or individual stories will be featured?
*Character Limit: 1000

If you will use sponsorship funds to support additional events, complete the questions below. If not, skip to the next section.

Program 2 Date
Enter the date for a second event.
*Character Limit: 10

Program 2 Title
Enter the title for the second event.
*Character Limit: 100
Program 2 Location
Enter the location and street address for the event.

*Character Limit: 250

Program 2 Description
Enter a brief description of the second event. What community or individual stories will be featured?

*Character Limit: 1000

Program 3 Date
Enter the date for the third event.

*Character Limit: 10

Program 3 Title
Enter the title for the third event.

*Character Limit: 100

Program 3 Location
Enter the location and street address for the event

*Character Limit: 250

Program 3 Description
Enter a brief description of the third event. What community or individual stories will be featured?

*Character Limit: 1000

Project Officials

Authorizing Official's First and Last Name*
If awarded a sponsorship, the authorizing official named here must be the same person who e-signs the award agreement.

*Character Limit: 100

Authorizing Official's Position/Title*
*the Authorizing Official must be from the applicant organization

*Character Limit: 125

Authorizing Official's Email Address*

*Character Limit: 254
If your organization is fiscally sponsored. Answer the questions below. If not, skip to the final section.

**Fiscal Sponsor Name**
Enter the name of your fiscal sponsor.
*Character Limit: 250*

**Fiscal Sponsor Tax ID**
Enter the Tax ID of your fiscal sponsor.
*Character Limit: 11*

**Fiscal Sponsor Agreement**
Upload a signed copy of your fiscal sponsor agreement.
*File Size Limit: 5 MB*

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**Pre-Award Agreement**

**Funding Agreement Part A**
By selecting "I agree" below, I certify the following:

1. Programs awarded Storytelling Event Sponsorship will not:
   - Promote a particular political, religious, or ideological point of view.
   - Advocate for a particular program of social or political action, or for specific public policies or legislation.

2. Any funds granted as a result of this application will not be used for any of the following:
   - Promotion of a particular political, religious, or ideological point of view.
   - Advocacy of a particular program of social or political action
   - Support for specific public policies or legislation
   - Lobbying
   - Purchase of land or facilities, or the cost of construction or renovation
   - Debt or deficit reduction
   - Endowment of capital campaigns
   - For research or feasibility studies

**Choices**
Yes, I agree.

**Funding Agreement Part B**
By selecting "I agree" below, I certify the following:
1. The statements contained herein are true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil, or administrative penalties.

2. The applicant organization assumes all responsibilities as grantee and may not operate simply as a fiscal agent.

3. The applicant organization's Authorizing Official, who is empowered to accept the terms of an award agreement if a grant is made, certifies that the applicant organization agrees to submit a brief final grant report, including attendance at online events.

**Choices**
Yes, I agree