



Statement of Support for NEH and NEA F&A on Proposals

Supporting a reduction in the Facilities and Administrative (F&A) rate to 36% for the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) and the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) is paramount for fostering a vibrant cultural landscape. Humanities and arts face chronic underfunding. As such, we empower NEH and NEA scholars to amplify their impact through reduced F&A, reaching a broader audience and nurturing the diverse scholarly voices in our community. This reduction aligns with a commitment to maximizing the resources dedicated to preserving and promoting the arts and humanities. This agreement is in place until rescinded by the V.P. for Research.

Terms of this support:

Eligible scholars are housed within:

- College of Letters, Arts, and Science
- A humanities or art related center, program, or museum (ie., the Heller Center, Center for Research Frontiers in the Digital Humanities, Galleries of Contemporary Art, TheaterWorks, ENT Center)
- Other scholars outside these units must request the reduction and obtain their supervisor's permission

Procedure:

- OSP will notify the PI of the 36% F&A rate at the time the PI provides a notice of intent to apply.
- The PI can request a waiver or lower F&A rate following policy [900-002 Facilities and Administrative Rate Reduction and Waivers \(4/14/2020\)](#).
- The PI can opt-out of the 36% by emailing OSP with the desire to use the full F&A rate.

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