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American Journalism and Journalism History are offering a combined total of \$5,000 in microgrant funding to encourage research relating to the intersection of diversity and media history.

Proposed topics should incorporate any of the following or an intersection of the following with media history: race/ethnicity, gender/sexuality, class, religion, disability, mental health, and/or rural populations. Submissions related to public relations and advertising diversity history are also welcome. Up to four microgrants will be awarded.

Each applicant must submit a one-page description of the proposed research project that includes a brief explanation of how the grant money will be used. The maximum grant request is \$1,250.

The firm deadline for submissions is February 1. Decisions will be announced by March 1. Email submissions and questions to Journalism History Publications Committee Chairwoman Teri Finneman at finnemte@gmail.com. Put "History grant" in the subject line.

Winning grant recipients will be invited to join a panel at the 2023 American Journalism Historians Association national convention in Columbus, Ohio. Research must be completed by Dec. 31, 2023, and be submitted as a journal article to *American Journalism* or *Journalism History*.

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Founded in 1981, the American Journalism Historians Association seeks to advance education and research in mass communication history. Members work to raise historical standards and ensure that all scholars and students recognize the vast importance of media history and apply this knowledge to the advancement of society. For more information on AJHA, visit <http://www.ajhaonline.org>.

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