

The 2021 fall grant cycle received 16 applications requesting \$38,659. Of the 16 applications, the Grants Committee awarded a total of \$24,500 to 10 Georgia cultural organizations. This cycle's grant recipients are located in nine communities across the state, spanning nine congressional districts.

Bringing the Culture and History of the Southeast Woodlands Tribes to Brasstown Bald Through Experiential Programming

FIND Outdoors | Towns County (9th Congressional District) | \$2,500

Brasstown Bald Recreation Area will introduce visitors to the stories, history and culture of the Cherokee and Southeastern Woodlands tribes of northern Georgia through talks and hands-on activities with Native American educator and historian, Dr. Joe Candillo.

6th Cavalry Museum Accessible History for All Virtual Field Trip

Friends of the 6th Cavalry Museum, Inc. | Fort Oglethorpe (14th Congressional District) | \$2,500

The 6th Cavalry Museum will develop virtual field trips and lesson plans in accordance with national and Georgia Social Studies Standards exploring the Fort Oglethorpe Army Post (1902 - 1946). The field trips will investigate the role and operation of military and specialty camps of Medical, Third WAC Training Center, Black soldiers and civilians, WWI and WWII POW Camps, and Civilian Conservation Corps Camp.

A Feast of Laughter: John Shelton Reed on the Foodways of the South

Morris Museum of Art | Augusta (12th Congressional District) | \$2,500

The Morris Museum of Art will launch a series on Southern Foodways. The event will feature a lecture by sociologist John Shelton Reed, cooking demonstrations by chefs of Southern cuisine from Augusta, and tastings.

Journey Toward Justice: The Civil Rights Movement in the Chattahoochee Valley

The Columbus Museum | Columbus (2nd Congressional District) | \$2,500

The Columbus Museum will mount, Journey Toward Justice (JTJ), an exhibition about the seldom-told history of the Civil Rights Movement in Columbus. In conjunction with JTJ, The Columbus Museum will conduct an oral history project to capture stories of civil rights activism in the Chattahoochee River Valley.

Remembering Our Place in History: Jewish Voices of the Central Savannah River Area

Augusta Jewish Museum | Augusta (12th Congressional District) | \$2,500

The Augusta Jewish Museum will create video stories from oral histories collected from Augusta's Jewish community. Segments of these stories will be shown as part of the Augusta Jewish Museum's exhibit "Jewish Contributions to the Central Savannah River Area," and online through the Augusta Jewish Museum's virtual museum.

Resilient Civic and Musical Life: Ware-Lyndon House Enslaved and Descendant Stories
Lyndon House Arts Center | Athens (10th Congressional District) | \$2,500

As part of a new interpretive exhibition, the Lyndon House Arts Center will develop a film and podcast that contemplates records of those enslaved at Ware-Lyndon House and plantation and the active inquiries and discoveries of descendant families rich with shared musical heritage.

Equitable Dinners: Atlanta Ambassador Building Dinners

Out of Hand Theater | Atlanta (5th Congressional District) | \$2,500

Out of Hand Theater will host 3 dinners for 300 community leaders, with facilitated conversations about Atlanta's history of racial violence and systemic racism today, launched by the live performance of a short play about the experience of being Black in Atlanta.

Ogeechee International History Film Festival

Statesboro Convention and Visitors Bureau | Statesboro (12th Congressional District) | \$2,000

The Statesboro Convention and Visitors Bureau will host the Ogeechee International History Film Festival, the world's longest running, open submission international history film festival. The festival will feature screenings of professional and student films and panel discussions. It is a collaborative effort with Georgia Southern University.

Atlanta Jewish Film Festival (AJFF) 2022

Atlanta Jewish Film Society, Inc. | Marietta (11th Congressional District) | \$2,500

The Atlanta Jewish Film Festival will return for its 22nd edition in mid-February 2022, offering both in-theater and virtual options for flexibility, accessibility, and convenience. AJFF will continue to present the best in international cinema and Jewish storytelling while prioritizing audience safety.

The Art of Empathy Virtual Lecture Series

Wesleyan College | Macon (8th Congressional District) | \$2,500

Wesleyan College will present a virtual lecture series featuring seven speakers whose research and art revolve around ideas of empathy, shared experience, and collective identity. The lectures will be free and open to the public to widely share these ideas and strengthen our communities.