

## **Mellon Higher Learning--Eligible Humanities and Humanistic Social Science Fields of Study**

*Please note that this list may not comprise every eligible discipline. If you have questions regarding disciplinary eligibility, please consult with the program officer or program staffer assigned to your grant.*

American Studies

Ancient Civilizations

Anthropology (excluding physical anthropology) and Archaeology

Architecture (historical or theoretical focus)

Area Studies (humanistic focus)

Art History

Classics

Communication (theoretical focus)

Comparative Literature

Comparative Religion

Cultural Studies

English

Environmental Studies: The study and application of the humanities to the human environment, with particular attention to our diverse heritage, traditions, and history, and to the relevance of the humanities to the current conditions of national life.

Ethics

Ethnic Studies

Film, Cinema and Media Studies (theoretical focus)

Fine Arts

Foreign Languages and Literatures, both modern and classical

Gender and Sexuality Studies

Geography (excluding physical geography)

History

History of Science/Science Studies

Interdisciplinary Studies: Interdisciplinary areas of study may be eligible if they have one or more eligible fields at their core.

Linguistics

Literature

Medieval Studies

Musicology, Ethnomusicology and Music Theory

Performance Studies (theoretical focus)

Philosophy and Political Theory

Religious Studies

Rhetoric

Sociology (qualitative)

Theater (theoretical focus)

Urban Studies