Request for Proposals

NEH Scholar- or Curator-in-Residence at the KHC, 2018-2019

Proposal Discussions with KHC Director by Monday April 9, 2018

After concluding the 5-year grant period awarded by the National Endowment for the Humanities in 2017, the Harriet & Kenneth Kupferberg Holocaust Center (KHC) announces its second Scholar- or Curator-in-Residence program. The In-Residence Program will provide up to a year of support for an instructional staff member of QCC to design a year-long series of activities united by a common theme relating to Holocaust, genocide, and mass atrocity. The program budget will support course relief, summer funding, and a significant budget for guest speakers, events, and materials. While the In-Residence program can be shaped to individual faculty members’ skills and interests, the resulting activities should be public, ongoing, interdisciplinary, and student-centered.

Proposed activities could include, but are not limited to, the hosting or development of the following:

- Seminars
- Guest lectures
- Exhibitions
- Films
- Curriculum development
- Professional workshops for community college faculty
- Conferences

In-Residence proposals should build upon existing KHC programs involving survivors, students, faculty, community members, KHC resources, and/or propose the acquisition or creation of new resources such as an artistic or historical exhibit. Proposers are encouraged to review the website of the KHC at [http://www.qcc.cuny.edu/KHC/](http://www.qcc.cuny.edu/KHC/) for information about past, present, and upcoming programs, collections, and resources.

For the 2018-19 year, the KHC is especially interested in In-Residence proposals that touch upon the following planned exhibits and ongoing initiatives:

- Genocide at home and abroad
- The reemerging nexus of nationalism, antisemitism, and other forms of hate
- Restorative justice, reparations, and rebuilding communities
- The Holocaust in Italy and across the Mediterranean

Interested faculty should contact KHC Executive Director Dr. Dan Leshem at [dleshem@qcc.cuny.edu](mailto:dleshem@qcc.cuny.edu). As in the past, proposals will be solicited, received, and appraised by an external review committee, which will consist of a minimum of three members, one being a Holocaust scholar and another being a community college faculty member or academic administrator (current or former). In addition to program content, proposals will be ranked according to their assessment design and their level of pedagogical innovation.