



Stanford Archaeology Center (SAC) Summer Archaeology Research Funding for Female Aligning Students

Supplemental field research funding for female aligning graduate or undergraduate students. This funding helps provide supplemental funding for summer archaeology research expenses that are not covered through department funding, internal sources, or external sources of funding. Retroactive reimbursement of already expended funds and conference costs are not eligible.

Eligibility:

- All Stanford archaeology graduate or undergraduate students who are female aligned and conduct archaeological research.
- Students must be in good academic standing at Stanford.
- The award amount is based on demonstrated need.

Application:

- The Stanford Archaeology Center has four application deadlines spread throughout the year to support student research.
 - February 1st at 11:59 p.m. PST.
 - May 1st at 11:59 p.m. PST.
 - July 1st at 11:59 p.m. PST.
 - November 1st at 11:59 p.m. PST.
- Applications require the following:
 - An essay to describe in 300 to 600 words your research activities for which funding is being requested.
 - A detailed budget of requested funds and what the fund will be used towards.
 - A list of any sources of alternative funding you may have acquired.
 - Optional: A letter of support from a faculty advisor that specifically addresses this proposal.



Application Example

Please note that this application example is to be used as a reference for format, items to include and provide support through your application process. Information in the application is incomplete and may not fully meet the application guidelines.



Budget

<u>Proposed Budget</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Description</u>
Airfare	\$554	Roundtrip economy flight from San Francisco, CA to Berlin, New Hampshire.
Train fare	\$45	Unlimited Amtrak pass.
Housing	\$3,300	Rent for a sublet room while in Berlin. Includes all months of stay.
Meals (per diem)	\$3,840	3 meals a day with price at \$64 for 60 days.
Total	\$7,739	



Description of Activities for which Funding is Requested

This essay was a part of an original application. The identifying information was removed and may read as nonsense. I am requesting these funds to help support my fieldwork research from July-September 2023. The funds secured from this award, if awarded, will be utilized for much needed transcription costs for my fieldwork interviews undertaken with the rebellion community based out of Berlin, New Hampshire. I have planned for and will conduct 35 interviews with different female immigrants on the themes of beer, immigration to different parts of Berlin to set up their families and business enterprises. I hope to learn their sense of connection with the local communities and, what they have done and plan to do with these ancestral homes. I conduct these interviews to build on the first phase of interviews with similar females in January-March 2023. Therefore, transcribing these interviews is of critical importance to carefully document the information contours of this historically less-accessed stakeholder group, many of whom are leading industrialists in the Berlin economy. This essay example may not meet the word requirement for this application. As a reminder, this PDF is just an example.



Other Funding

While I hope to cover other costs associated with this phase of interviews through two other Stanford grants, the SAC grant, if awarded will support costs for this crucial fieldwork activity. Apart from this grant, I am also trying to secure funds for other activities associated with this fieldwork but have not been successful.



Application Resources

Budget:

- [Constructing a Budget](#)
- [Budget Guidelines for Student Grants](#)
- [Budget FAQs](#)

Proposal:

- [Stanford Undergrad: Undergraduate Research and Independent Projects Webpage](#)
- [Getting Started with Undergraduate Research](#) (Video)
- [Checklist for Grant Applications](#)
- [Writing a Project Proposal](#)
- [Writing a Conference Grant Proposal](#)

Travel for Projects:

- [Preparing for Off-Campus Projects](#)
- [International Travel Assistance Program](#)
- [U.S. State Department Travel Advisories](#)
- [Off-Campus Travel Requirements](#)