



Newberry Library Fellowships in the Humanities 2013–14

The Arthur and Lila Weinberg Fellowship for Independent Scholars

If you study the humanities, the Newberry has something for you!

Newberry fellowships provide assistance to researchers who wish to use our collection. We promise you intriguing and often rare materials; a lively, interdisciplinary community of researchers; individual consultations on your research with staff curators, librarians, and other scholars; and an array of both scholarly and public programs.

Applicants may apply for both long- and short-term fellowships within one academic year. For more information, visit our website: www.newberry.org/fellowships

All applicants are strongly encouraged to consult the Newberry's online catalog and collection guides before applying: www.newberry.org/catalogs-and-guides

The Weinberg Fellowship supports an independent scholar or researcher who wishes to participate in the rich and varied scholarly and public programming of the Newberry.

We seek scholars, journalists, writers, filmmakers, visual and performing artists, and other humanists who wish to use the Newberry's collection in the creation of a publication or comparable product. Preference is given to scholars working on historical issues related to social justice or reform. The Newberry considers "independent scholars" to be individuals working outside of traditional academic settings, who are not employed as, or seeking to be employed as, full-time academic faculty.

This fellowship is intended to support one month in residence at the Newberry. Chicago-area residents who are awarded a Weinberg Fellowship may choose to distribute their time over 9–12 months on a flexible basis to be determined in conversation with Newberry staff.

The total stipend for this fellowship is \$2,000.

For more information, including a list of available short-term fellowships, visit our website at www.newberry.org/short-term-fellowships

We begin accepting applications September 1, 2012.

Application deadline: January 15, 2013

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