Center for Digital Inquiry and Learning (CDIL)
2017 CDIL Summer Fellowship Program

Call for Proposals

Description: The CDIL Summer Fellowship program is designed to support assistant professors, associate professors, professors, or university distinguished professors as they begin or continue expanding their pedagogical approach to encompass digital tools, projects, and processes. The award will provide a $1000 honorarium to participate with a cohort of fellow awardees in a week long symposium exploring the tools and techniques of digital scholarship. The symposium will be held from May 22 to 26, 2017 at the CDIL (Library Room 211) and directed by librarians in the Data and Digital Services department of the University of Idaho Library. The goal of this program is to facilitate the advancement of fellows’ knowledge of digital scholarship in order to enhance their pedagogical practices as well as to increase collaborative investigations of digital scholarship in the College of Letters, Arts, and Social Sciences more generally.

Outcomes: After completion of their week long symposium, CDIL Summer Fellows will have become familiar with a number of different digital scholarship tools, techniques, and projects related to topics such as textual analysis, data mining, web development, and digital curation, as well as other topics that the cohort determines valuable for exploration. Fellows will also be expected to develop and share a teaching module for one of their courses during the 2017-2018 academic year that incorporates aspects of what they learned during the symposium. As with all CDIL endeavors, this program is designed to help faculty develop new skills and to promote digital scholarship across campus via publications, presentations, and workshops.

Who is eligible: CLASS faculty with rank of assistant professor, associate professor, professor or university distinguished professor. Applicants who have not received previous funding from CDIL in the last year will be prioritized.

Deadline to apply: December 1, 2016

Number of awards: 4

Amount and source of funds: Each Fellow will receive a $1000 honorarium for participating in the symposium.

Duration of program: May 22 – May 26, 2017

Application and review process: Three members of the CDIL will review applications and recommend awards to Dean Lynn Baird and Dean Andrew Kersten. They will make the decision on awards based on the committee’s recommendations.
CDIL Digital Scholarship Fellowship Application Format

Submit by email as one PDF file to Devin Becker (dbecker@uidaho.edu)

1) Title page
   The title is “CDIL Summer Fellowship Application.” Also type your name, rank and name of your department/school. Include signature/date lines for yourself and your chair or director.

2) Proposed benefit
   In one page or less, describe how being CDIL Summer Fellow will help expand your skills and understanding of digital environments. Please detail any experience or interest in digital scholarship work you have demonstrated in the past.

3) Expected outcomes
   In one page or less, please indicate how you will plan to present these new skills and understandings as part of your regular classes. Please detail which classes you feel might be appropriate for applying digital scholarship tools and techniques, as well as any initial thoughts you have on projects/modules you might explore.

4) Curriculum vitae
   No page limit.