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## Manuscript Forum

### Call for Applications

The Institute of Arts and Humanities (IAH) invites applications for its first annual Manuscript Forum. The Forum offers support and feedback for UCSD faculty nearing completion of first or second book manuscripts that will feature in promotion to associate or full professor.

Those selected to participate will receive the following:

- A \$1,000 award (as a stipend for non UC faculty or research funds for UC faculty) from IAH to offer a senior scholar in an appropriate field to review the manuscript and provide a substantive, written report. IAH will assist each author in identifying a faculty reader for their manuscript (from UCSD or another institution), coordinate the review and sharing of materials, and organize an in person or video session between author and reader to discuss the review. Reader reports will be due to the author by May 1.
- \$500 in research funds from IAH to offset indexing or other publication costs once the manuscript is accepted for publication.
- An invitation to a spring quarter workshop with IAH faculty aimed at assisting participants enhance the impact of their book projects, land a publishing contract, and prepare their file for promotion.

Applications are invited from UCSD ladder rank faculty working in any Arts, Humanities, or Social Science discipline. Applicants should not have yet submitted their manuscript for review with a publisher. Electronic applications are due by February 20 and should include the following:

- Project abstract and anticipated timeline for completion
- C. V.
- Introduction or sample chapter
- Names of 2-3 potential readers

Please send all application materials in a single PDF file (and any queries) to [holow@ucsd.edu](mailto:holow@ucsd.edu)

Selections will be made by the IAH Steering Committee and participants notified by March 1.