

SOAN Summer Enrichment Fund 2023
(The Anna Williams '22 SOAN Research Fund)

SOAN professors at L&C instilled in Anna Williams '22 an intellectual curiosity and framework for a lifetime of interest and learning about global cultures. As such, the Anna Williams '22 SOAN Research Fund (the Summer Enrichment Fund) was established to support SOAN students with grants for various educational opportunities in the hope that student research with faculty will similarly inspire future SOAN majors.

The SOAN department is offering an enrichment fund for use during the summer of 2023 to support SOAN students with funding for various educational opportunities that will enhance the students' learning experience at and beyond Lewis & Clark. The Department hopes to extend support to students who may otherwise not have the means to fully realize their academic and career potential.

Selection Process

The SOAN Enrichment Fund award will be given to students who are enrolled and eligible to continue at Lewis & Clark. First priority will be given to students doing thesis research. Second priority will be given to students who have completed at least 20 credits of SOAN coursework. A committee of faculty from the SOAN Department will serve as the grants committee to review applications and administer the award.

Grant Opportunity

- Independent research project: students may apply for funds to travel and/or purchase materials for advanced or independent research projects.
- Educational conferences and workshops: students may apply for funds to support travel/fees to attend a conference
- Internship stipends: students may apply for awards to supplement incomes while employed at an unpaid internship.
- Living expenses while engaged with thesis research.
- Feel free to discuss other possibilities with the department chair or your advisor.

Number and Size of Award

One or more grants of \$500 will be awarded for the summer of 2023

Application Process

By April 15th, please submit the following electronic materials to the department chair (kosansky@lclark.edu):

1. A one-page cover letter that includes:
 - a. A description of the project
 - b. An itemized budget
 - c. An explanation for why the support is needed and its significance to your academic and/or future plans