

Hispanic Serving Institutions

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grant project



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Collection Guidelines

The HSI grant provides funds to build a Hispanic Studies Collection. Funds will be used to acquire books, CDs, DVDs, and databases.



The intent of the Hispanic Studies Collection is to integrate the Hispanic culture into mainstream academic scholarship while supporting the

curriculum at Cal Poly Pomona and affiliated Link+ campuses. The Hispanic Studies Collection will reflect the Hispanic culture and bring the Hispanic perspective to the entire Cal Poly Pomona curriculum. The subject parameters are very broad and allow us to acquire materials reflecting a wide range of topics and issues relevant to Latino, Hispanic, or Chicano culture in the United States including the arts, literature, history, education, politics, social issues, and more. We will also acquire materials related to Latin America, Central America, Mexico, Spain and the Caribbean.

Most of the academic materials acquired will be in the English language. Spanish language materials will be acquired if they support language or literature programs. Faculty research interests will be supported as much as possible, but the Collection will

be developed primarily for undergraduate students and community users.

Budget for Hispanic Studies Collection

The grant provides \$129,000 each year for 5 years. Funds are allocated for materials in various formats:

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| \$30,000 | Books (600 titles) |
| \$4,000 | CDs (200 titles) |
| \$50,000 | DVDs (200 titles) |
| \$45,000 | Databases |

Materials Selection Process

All of the Library's Subject Specialist Librarians are identifying appropriate materials for the Hispanic Studies Collection. We also welcome purchase suggestions from faculty, students, and staff. See our Hispanic Studies Collection Acquisitions page for more information.