

ALHFAM Annual Meeting and Conference Fellowships

Fellowships to attend the ALHFAM Annual Meeting and Conference hosted by Howell Living History Farm in Titusville, New Jersey, June 7-10, 2024 are available to ALHFAM members who *have not previously received a fellowship*. ALHFAM welcomes applicants who reflect the diverse nature of our industry and audiences. All are encouraged to apply, particularly members of minority groups, Indigenous persons, and persons with disabilities. Those who have not attended an ALHFAM annual conference or are new members of ALHFAM are especially encouraged to apply and will be given higher priority.

Fellowship awards include full conference registration (early-bird price) and \$350 USD towards travel and lodging. In 2024, the cost of workshops is icluded in the registration fee. Fellowship applications are due by February 15, 2024, and recipients will be notified by March 22, 2024. Successful applicants will receive a code to cover registration and then will receive a check for the remainder.

The following 3 items **must** be submitted to be considered for a fellowship.

1. The attached questionnaire.

2. Résumé

3. A brief cover letter stressing the following:

- The value of attending the annual meeting and conference to your work.
- Whether you have already submitted or intend to submit a proposal to present at the conference and what the topic of your session is.
- The nature of your financial need (e.g., institutional budget restrictions; layoff or unemployment).
- How long you have been an ALHFAM member; your site or museum affiliation; if you are an independent contractor and, if a student, the name of your school and area of study.
- How you can contribute to ALHFAM and help further our mission. (The Association for Living History, Farm and Agricultural Museums shares practical knowledge and skills among those who make history relevant to contemporary lives. We draw strength from our diverse network of members, sharing experience, research and passion for participatory learning.)

Materials should be submitted in Microsoft or Google Doc compatible formats.

Please submit the above 3 items by February 15, 2024 to:

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2024 Annual Meeting and Conference Fellowship Application

Please answer the following questions and submit with your application.

| Name: | | |
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| Email: | | |
| Address: | | |

| Will the 2024 meeting be your first ALHFAM annual meeting and conference? | Yes | No |
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| Are you planning to submit a proposal to present at the 2024 annual meeting and conference? | | No |
| Are you a full-time, part-time, seasonal staff person, or volunteer at a museum, historic site, living history museum, farm, or agricultural museum, or an independent museum professional? | | No |
| Are you a student currently enrolled full-time in a degree program related to history or museum studies? | | No |
| How many years of volunteer and/or paid experience do you have in the living history or museum field? | | |
| How many years have you been active (attending/organizing national/regional conferences, submitting blogs/articles) and in good standing in ALHFAM? | | |
| Have you ever presented at a regional or annual ALHFAM meeting? | | No |
| Have you ever helped to organize a regional or national ALHFAM meeting, edited a regional ALHFAM newsletter or annual meeting <i>Proceedings</i> ? | | No |

| • | HFAM <i>Bulletin</i> , a paper for the annual meeting t for the ALHFAM blog, or another similar | Yes | No |
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| If chosen, please select one contribution 2024-June 2025). If you select "Other", | n you will make to ALHFAM in the coming year (June please fill in your contribution: | | |
| Bulletin Article | Regional Conference session/workshop | | |
| Blog Post | Skills training video | | |
| Conference session/work with a Proceedings paper | Other | | |