ALA Latino Americans: 500 Years of History Grant - About NEH & ALA

University of Northern Iowa. Rod Library.
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Rod Library has received:

**ALA Latino Americans: 500 years of History grant (July 2015-June 2016)**

*Latino Americans: 500 Years of History*, a public programming initiative for libraries and other cultural organizations, will support exploration of the rich and varied history and experiences of Latinos, who have helped shape the United States over the last five centuries and who have become, with more than 50 million people, the country’s largest minority group.

The Rod Library, along with a number of other campus and community organizations, will be hosting a year long series of events celebrating Latino American culture and contributions in the United States.

*Latino Americans: 500 Years of History* is funded by the NEH and ALA and is a part of an NEH initiative, *The Common Good: The Humanities in the Public Square.*
About the National Endowment for the Humanities

Created in 1965 as an independent federal agency, the National Endowment for the Humanities supports research and learning in history, literature, philosophy and other areas of the humanities by funding selected, peer-reviewed proposals from around the nation. Additional information about the National Endowment for the Humanities and its grant programs is available at www.neh.gov.

About the American Library Association

The American Library Association is the oldest and largest library association in the world, with approximately 58,000 members in academic, public, school, government and special libraries. The mission of the American Library Association is to provide leadership for the development, promotion and improvement of library and information services and the profession of librarianship in order to enhance learning and ensure access to information for all.