

2026 Humanities Grantees

Organization	Project	Amount
The University of the Virgin Islands (UVI)	Expanding Virgin Islands Humanities Access: Digital Strategies for Youth Participation and Cultural Preservation	\$25,000
The University of the Virgin Islands (UVI)	The Virgin Islands Cultural Heritage Teaching Showcase	\$25,000
Edney L. Freeman (individual)	"Checkmate to History; Preserving USVI Cultural narratives through Sculptural Play"	\$25,000
Geron Richards (individual)	Bamboula/Bomba Documentary	\$25,000
Simfoni Nibbs (individual)	Caribbean Stories on the Move: A Mobile Literacy and Humanities Initiative	\$25,000
Virgin Islands Museum Civic and Cultural Centre St. Thomas, Inc. (VIMCCC)	Publication and Unveiling of the Emancipation 175 Papers, Essays, Short Stories, Artwork and Poetry	\$25,000
Dollar fo' Dollar Culture & History Committee, Inc.	Dollar fo' Dollar Harbor Tour	\$7,500
United Jazz Foundation	Preserving the Sound of the Virgin Islands: Documenting Voices, Instruments, and Musical Traditions.	\$25,000
Center for Educational Growth, Inc. (CFEG)	Cultural Film Showcase	\$25,000
Kennan Cooley (individual)	Africonnect: West Africa & the Virgin Islands Cultural Exchange Experience	\$25,000
Janet Cook-Rutnik (individual)	Transfer Project: Archiving, Preserving and Exhibiting the Historical Memory of the Danish West Indies Transfer Era	\$25,000
Fireburn Heritage, Inc.	Food, Fire and Freedom: A Short Documentary on Virgin Islands Foodways and Cultural Resilience	\$25,000
The Children's Museum of St. Croix, Inc	Story Walk	\$25,000