

RESEARCH GRANTS AIEQ/ACQS 2019

Offered by the *Association internationale des études québécoises*
and the *American Council for Québec Studies*

OBJECTIVES

L'Association internationale des études québécoises (AIEQ), in collaboration with the American Council for Quebec Studies (ACQS), is offering three research grants to support the work of emerging scholars by encouraging graduate-level research on Québec in the social sciences and humanities. The principal research objective will be to foster greater understanding of Québec or its relations with the United States.

ELIGIBILITY

This grant program is for full-time students at American universities preparing a master's or doctoral thesis on a topic significantly relating to Québec or its relations with the United States. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents of the U.S. and members of the AIEQ and the ACQS at the time of application.

CONDITIONS

The grant awarded covers costs relating to fieldwork undertaken in Québec, specifically airfare, accommodations, and living expenses. The research may take place at any time during the academic year. The maximum grant amount is \$2,000 CAD.

REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must complete the application form posted on www.aieq.qc.ca.

Completed application files must be sent to Association internationale des études québécoises at accueil@aieq.qc.ca.

Applications must include :

- The completed form
- Proof of enrolment from the applicant's educational institution
- A project summary of a maximum of 250 words
- A detailed project description including
 - Objectives
 - Contribution to the development of Québec studies
 - Research hypothesis and proposed methodology
 - Timetable including proposed Québec travel, resource persons to be met with and institutions to be visited
 - Intended means of disseminating results
- The applicant's complete contact information, curriculum vitae (maximum 5 pages) and most recent academic transcript
- A letter of support from the applicant's research supervisor

EVALUATION

The application will be evaluated by the AIEQ and the ACQS according to the following main selection criteria:

- the project's originality and relevance to Québec or its relations with the United States
- the researcher's demonstrated interest in Québec and their academic background
- the quality of the theoretical approach and objectives, and
- the potential impacts of the project

All applicants will be notified of the results of their application by the Association internationale des études québécoises, normally within 90 days of the application deadline.

Interested candidates must email their completed application by January 14, 2019, to the attention of Association internationale des études québécoises : accueil@aieq.qc.ca

Subject: Dépôt (your name) Bourse AIEQ-ACQS 2019