2013 Annual Report
November 1, 2012 - October 31, 2013
2013 Impacts

Awarded
1. 2012 Helen and Martin Schwartz Prize from the Federation of State Humanities Councils for the Why Treaties Matter exhibit

Introduced
2. Bdote field trips for educators

Hosted
5,567 community members at 32 public events, professional offerings, and traveling exhibits

Reached
780 educators at professional development opportunities

Honored
25 young Veterans at Veterans’ Voices Award Ceremony

Created
6 original children’s books with Asian Pacific Islander focus

And Shared
6,000+ copies with Minnesota schools, libraries, and families

Facilitated distribution of
50,000 Somali bilingual folktale books in Kenya

Included
500+ selections in our online Resource Collection

Fiscal Year 2013 Financial Statement

Support and Revenue

- Contributions $6,436,403 (58%)
- Earned & Other Revenue $338,869 (3%)
- Government Grants $4,390,081 (39%)

Expenses

- Programs $5,878,953 (90%)
- Fundraising $104,403 (2%)
- Management & General $555,818 (8%)
We are grateful for the individuals, foundations, corporations, and government institutions that generously supported our mission and programs.

$50,000 and above
Anonymous Foundation
Bush Foundation
National Endowment for the Humanities
The Saint Paul Foundation
State of Minnesota - operating support
State of Minnesota
Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund

$20,000 to $49,999
F.R. Bigelow Foundation
Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans *
The Travelers Companies, Inc. *

$10,000 to $19,999
General Mills Foundation
Hardenbergh Foundation
Minnesota Department of Veterans Affairs *

$5,000 to $9,999
Boss Foundation
Education Minnesota
Foundation for Excellence in Teaching and Learning
River Road Foundation
Donald Schreifels *
U.S. Bancorp *

$500 to $999
Anonymous
Andrew Currie
Casey DeMarais
Thomas Diffley *
Ann Glumac
John M. Harrington
Gary P. Henrickson
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Quaker Hill Foundation, Inc.
Michael Rosen
Staples Foundation for Learning
University of Phoenix *
Vietnam Veterans Breakfast Club *

$100 to $499
Lisa Belak
Carol Buesgens
Timothy M. Connelly *
in honor of John J. Connelly
Jonathan I. Curry
Aimee Danielle Dayhoff
Brianna Chambers Erickson
Cynthia and Don Gehrig
Patrick Henry
Carinda Horton
Stephen P. Kelley
Renee Levine
MN Department of the American Veterans Association *
Kathy A. Neumann *
David O’Fallon, PhD
The Peripatetics
James K. Ryan *
Margret Swanson *
Felix Valanzasca
Mary Ann Barrows Wark
Anne and Rob Wight

Up to $99
Anonymous
Lilah Aas
Colleen Aho
Catherine Baldwin
Bruce and Harriet Bart
Eden Bart
Sharon Bassett
Mary Burns-Klinger

In-Kind Gifts
Classic Catering
McNally Smith College of Music
Omega Event Services
Spirit Airlines
Summit Brewing
TechSoup

* Part or all of gift designated for Veterans’ Voices
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With an emphasis on strengthening what connects us, rather than what divides us, the Minnesota Humanities Center brings the resources and unique perspective of the humanities into the lives of all Minnesotans. Whether through literature, theatre, deep readings of old and new texts, or creative work, the humanities articulate what connects us and give us a broad, deep, more complete understanding of one another.

**Fiscal Year 2013 Program Priorities**

**Minnesota Education Strategy**

Professional development services for educators focus on strengthening the teacher-student relationship, supporting exemplary teaching, and providing opportunities for professional renewal. A robust resource collection of videos, books, and discussion guides created with community partners enables educators to enrich curriculum and engage all students in learning.

**Veterans’ Voices**

*Veterans’ Voices* is a long-term, statewide initiative that draws on the power of the humanities to explore the full life experiences of Veterans. The Humanities Center calls attention to the stories and contributions of Veterans, empowering Minnesota Veterans to speak in their own voices and connect with others through plays, art, discussion groups, and the Veterans’ Voices Award.

**The Constitution – Toward a More Perfect Union**

This emerging initiative engages Minnesotans of all ages and backgrounds in civic questions about democracy and democratic values through humanities-based community conversations. Working in partnership with Twin Cities Public Television (tpt), the University of Minnesota’s Center for Integrative Leadership, and various host organizations across the state, the Humanities Center will conduct a series of sessions that explores the U.S. Constitution in the 21st century. These sessions will feature segments from the PBS documentary: *Constitution USA with Peter Sagal.*
Minnesota Humanities Center Programs Statewide

Exhibits, Events, Conversations, Grants 2012-2013

Minnesota

Why Treaties Matter
Museum on Main St.
Community Partnerships
Legacy Grants
Humanities Grants
Veterans’ Voices

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