Library Innovation Lab (LIL): Exploring New Ways of Engaging Immigrant Communities Through Public Humanities Programming provides a “learn by doing” professional development experience for 10 California public libraries and library workers in 2021. Working as part of a learning community, each cohort member will plan and implement a new public humanities project at their library aiming to provide welcoming experiences for immigrants and foster a more inclusive community.

Visit the LIL webpage for more information, including guidelines, applicant webinar registration, FAQs, and descriptions of the exciting projects implemented by participants in previous cohorts.

California Humanities provides up to $5,000 in grant funds to each participating library/library support organization to be used for programming.

Develop your skills in:

- Design Thinking methods
- New types of public programming (virtual as well as traditional)
- Reaching new patrons and community members
- Project management
- Building relationships with community partners

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