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## **Oxford American to Receive \$10,000 Grant from the National Endowment for the Arts**

### **Grant supports publication of the award-winning magazine**

February 4, 2021—CONWAY, ARKANSAS—The Oxford American Literary Project has been approved for a \$10,000 Grants for Arts Projects award from the National Endowment for the Arts to support the publication of the *Oxford American* magazine.

The OA's project is among 1,073 projects across America totaling nearly \$25 million that were selected during this first round of fiscal year 2021 funding in the Grants for Arts Projects funding category.

“The National Endowment for the Arts is proud to support this project from the Oxford American,” said Arts Endowment Acting Chairman Ann Eilers. “The Oxford American is among the arts organizations across the country that have demonstrated creativity, excellence, and resilience during this very challenging year.”

The grant given to the OA—an award-winning magazine dedicated to featuring the best in Southern writing while documenting the complexity and vitality of the American South—will fund the publication of fiction, nonfiction, and poetry in 2021.

“I am so proud that the Oxford American has received support from the National Endowment for the Arts for the sixth year in a row,” said OA editor Eliza Borné. “We are humbled by the NEA's vote of confidence and pleased that this funding will directly support the heart of our organization: the writers telling exceptional, courageous stories.”

For more information on projects included in the Arts Endowment grant announcement, visit [arts.gov/about/news](https://arts.gov/about/news).

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### **ABOUT THE OXFORD AMERICAN**

Founded in 1992, the Oxford American (OA) is a nonprofit arts organization whose mission is to explore the complexity and vitality of the American South through exceptional writing, music, and visual art.

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