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T'ang Studies Society Research Grant Program Guidelines and Application Procedures

With generous support from the Tang Research Foundation, the T'ang Studies Society is pleased to announce funding for grants to support research in any discipline on the Tang dynasty in a broad geographical and chronological scope. The grant can support various types of expenses that arise during research including travel, book purchases, graduate assistants, and database fees.

General Requirements and Preferences:

- This grant is intended to support research by scholars who hold the Ph.D. at any career stage and graduate students with ABD status.
- Research may involve the Sui, Tang, and Five Dynasties period (589—959 C.E.), and Tang in a global context, tracing cultural and political connections to Korea, Japan, Central Asia, and beyond. Scholarly translations of primary sources or secondary scholarship will be considered research for the purpose of this grant.
- Proposals that include plans to submit all or part of the research to the journal *Tang Studies* will receive priority.

Eligibility:

- Applicants must be members in good standing throughout the term of the grant (from application to final disbursement of funds). Information on membership can be found at http://tangstudies.org/Membership.html
- Applicants for Research Grants also may apply for other types of Society grants during a given year, but annually can receive a maximum of one grant award and one subvention for participation on a TSS sponsored panel at the AAS conference.
- Individuals may not receive research grants in successive award cycles.
- All previous Society grants must be completed before applying for subsequent awards.
- T'ang Studies Society officers are not eligible for grant funding.

Grant Information:

Amount of Award: Up to $6000

Application Deadline: **December 15, 2026. Recipients will be notified by January 15, 2027.**

- Barring exceptional circumstances, grant funds are ordinarily disbursed upon submission of receipts, and a brief final report detailing the outcome of the research project.

Application Process:

Applicants must submit:

- a two-page proposal describing the project and the specific component that this grant would support;
- a C.V.;
- a budget that itemizes anticipated expenses;
- a statement describing what support, if any, the applicant expects to receive from other sources (including from his or her institution).

The application should be emailed as a pdf to admin@tangstudies.org.

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