**SHPO FELLOWSHIP 2019**

**The State Historic Preservation Office is pleased to announce our annual Professional Development Fellowships!** Connecticut residents who are currently engaged in historic preservation or a related field, either through employment or education, are encouraged to apply. Priority will be given to emerging and mid-career professionals.

The fellowships are intended to be used for a professional activity that will advance the successful recipient’s career. The activity should be a learning opportunity that is not currently available or reimbursable from the recipient’s employer and should provide the recipient with experiences or skills that will enhance their historic preservation work in Connecticut. Attendance at conferences or workshops, tuition, field schools, and consulting/coaching fees for training activities, are examples of eligible activities.

The amount of the fellowship awards are dependent on the cost of the professional development activity. At least two fellowships will be awarded for amounts up to $2,500. To apply, please complete the attached application and email it to Jenny Scofield ([jenny.scofield@ct.gov](mailto:jenny.scofield@ct.gov)) by Friday, April 19, 2019. The fellowships will be announced at SHPO’s third annual statewide conference on May 17, 2019 at the Omni Hotel in New Haven. Successful recipients will be notified in advance. The State of Connecticut is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. Applicants affiliated with Minority/Women’s/Small Business Enterprises are encouraged to apply.