

"Nothing could be more civil and decent, yet humbling, than to totally listen to another human being."

F. Ross Peterson



Get Connected...



UHC's programs often involve people telling their own stories. Each story, each person, helps build a better sense of what we want for our future. Your voice matters. Your story matters.

Share Your Story



Venture Course graduates - by Kent Miles



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*Expanding minds — one story at a time*

“Tell me what you pay attention to and I will tell you who you are.”



—Jose Ortega Y Gasset

## What We Do

We provide public programs in the humanities—such as history, literature, and philosophy—to help the people of Utah better understand other cultures, other places, and other times, as well as issues they’re confronting right now.

## Where We Are

Near you! We offer programs through libraries, book clubs, women’s groups, schools, churches, civic organizations, museums, senior centers, and more. Anyone can book a UHC program. It’s easy. Call UHC today to learn how.

## How to Get Involved

- **Book a Public Square Program**—choose from a roster of humanities scholars leading discussions of contemporary issues.
- **Join a Reading and Discussion Group**—borrow books from UHC’s library for your book group’s discussions.
- **Attend the Utah Humanities Book Festival**—hear famous authors speak to audiences across the state.
- **Teach Parents Engaging Ways to Read to Their Children**—sign up for training in the award-winning Motherread/Fatheread family literacy program.
- **Apply for Venture**—enroll in this free college level humanities course for adults with low incomes.
- **Record Oral Histories**—share the stories in your community, with UHC’s assistance and financial support.
- **Apply for a grant**—initiate a humanities project in your town.
- **Tune In to Beehive Archive**—enjoy this lively, two-minute look at Utah history each Friday morning on KCPW and KUSU Public Radio stations.

## Who We Are

The Utah Humanities Council is a statewide, independent, nonprofit organization helping the people of Utah comprehend their world and each other “one story at a time.”



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## How We Make a Difference

UHC’s programs help to bridge the differences that divide people. Through speakers and book discussions, for example, Utahns come to see the world through others’ eyes. In all our programs, we encourage open, respectful conversation, helping people reach a better understanding of others and of themselves.