

Indiana German American Cultural Enhancement Fund

2025 Application Form

The Indiana German Heritage Society supports cultural events and exhibits in Indiana as a key part of our cultural enhancement mission to support and preserve German culture, heritage, and traditions. The IGHS-cultural enhancement fund accepts applications on this form for limited funding in line with those goals.

DATE OF SUBMISSION:

NAME OF EVENT or EXHIBIT:

Check ONE: EVENT _____ EXHIBIT _____ (Temporary or Permanent / Extended)

Fund Amount Requested _____

(Award will not exceed \$2500, and amount awarded may be less than requested)

DATE OF EVENT or EXHIBIT:

LOCATION OF EVENT or EXHIBIT:

Organization Name:

Is this organization in a recognized Sister City Partnership with a city in Germany?

Contact Name:

Contact Address:

Contact Phone Number:

Contact email:

Restrictions:

- The Indiana German Heritage Society Cultural Enhancement Fund will only make donations to non-profit or 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), or 501(c)(6) or other non-profit organizations, or appropriate governmental entities, i.e., Indiana Historical Bureau.
- All donations will promote and align with the IGHS's goals and mission: The major focus of IGHS cultural enhancement funds will be to support and preserve German culture, heritage, and traditions.
- Donations to natural persons or legal entities of a political nature, political candidates or political campaigns, or for promotion of a religion or religious doctrine are prohibited.
- IGHS will not support organizations that discriminate based on age, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, race, religion, national origin, or disability.

I, the contact listed above, confirm that I am charged with the authority to solicit funds and represent the organization operating the listed event or constructing the listed exhibit. I further confirm that our organization is a non-profit as listed above, that the funds will be used explicitly for the purposes outlined below in the abstract consistent with the mission of the IGHS. I further confirm that our organization and our event/exhibit is non-political and does not discriminate as described in restrictions. I agree to present the outcome of our funded activity or exhibit to the IGHS board and members upon completion, and/or and update on its progress if the funded activity is not completed within one year of submission.

Abstract

In 500-1000 words, describe the event or exhibit to be funded, emphasizing how it will enhance the German-American Culture of Indiana and benefit the German-American communities of the state and region. If a particular **part** of a larger event or exhibit is to be funded specifically with these funds, please identify that clearly and appropriately. Please include how much the total cost of the activity or exhibit will cost, what the fundraising structure will be to raise the remaining funds if the cost is not all covered by this grant, and a brief timeline for the activity or exhibit.

