When writing your project proposal, strive to address the following questions:

. . . do you want to go and why? (be specific about geographic locales, institutions you will visit or be **WHERE** affiliated with, etc. and your rationale for those decisions) . . . do you want to go? (be specific as possible about arrival/departure dates and internal travel, e.g. if you **WHEN** are traveling within a country, how long you do intend to spend in each city?) ... do you propose to do in your project? ... questions will you seek to address? (provide 2-3 core questions?) WHAT ... special skills or preparation do you have to undertake the project (e.g., languages, coursework, prior travel experiences, archival research experience, etc.) . . . challenges or difficulties do you anticipate your project will pose and how will your overcome them? **WHO** . . . have you contacted at your destinations and have they agreed to help/host you? . . . have you consulted on the faculty that might serve as a mentor or advise you on this project? . . . did you select the project or the specific place where you will carry out the work? . . . will you find answers to your core questions (be specific as possible about methodology)? . . . is your approach to this topic different from others who may have worked on similar questions? HOW . . . will the experience of this project serve to advance your personal, academic, or career goals? . . . will you document your experience (notes, journals, recordings, photography, drawings, etc.) ... might you share the experience once you return? (publication, public talk, etc.) . . . is your project important or timely? ... is this project important to you? WHY ... might this project be important to us?