## **SAS Guidelines for Writing Project Descriptions or Proposals**

- Begin by identifying the main/broad topic of your project and the principal question of your research project.
- Briefly explain how your research is in conversation with and adds to the existing scholarship in Armenian Studies and/or in other fields and disciplines. In other words, show why your research is important for scholarship!
- Tell what the ultimate outcome of this research will be. Do you aim to write an article?
  Do you aim to present your research at a conference? Is the research necessary for your dissertation?
- Describe the research you aim to undertake for your project.
- Provide a brief summary of the method of your research. What type of sources will you use for your research? Will you conduct ethnographic research?
- Very briefly indicate the skills and knowledge necessary to conduct/complete the mentioned research/project and how you have obtained those skills.
- What is the timeline in which you aim to complete the proposed research and the overall project for which you are conducting your research?
- Don't forget to mention what fellowship/scholarship you are applying for and to what institution/organization you are applying to.
- Do not describe your research in bullet points. Provide your description in narrative form.
- Make sure to use spell check!