The majority of our grantmaking supports general operating and project costs for initiatives led by individuals with fiscal sponsorship, non-profit organizations and for-profit companies. From time to time, the Pop Culture Collaborative will invite experts and innovators from diverse fields to join our team for 3-6 months to dive deep into a burning question that has the potential to dramatically increase knowledge, refine strategy and/or unlock new pathways in our work and that of the broader field. The work should be related to immigrants, people of color, Muslim, Arab, South Asian (MASA), or refugee communities, PCC’s core program areas and/or investigate rising areas of interest, trends and methodologies in the pop culture change field.

While each Senior Fellow will work with the Collaborative’s staff, managing partners, grantees and the broader field to define the nature, scope and goals of their fellowship project, these projects will generally include some or all of the following activities:

- Design and facilitation of at least two brain trusts or advisory group sessions with experts and/or stakeholders in the Sr. Fellow’s area of focus;
- Leadership of a research program designed collaboratively with the Collaborative team;
- Leadership of a creative project designed wholly by the Sr. Fellow; and/or
- Design and leadership of a small convening or meeting to share recommendations and insights emerging from your fellowship project for an audience that might include the Collaborative’s managing partners, staff, grantees, the media or general public.

This program is by invitation only. If you would like to explore the idea of becoming a Pop Culture Collaborative Senior Fellow, please contact Marisol Ramos [Marisol@popcollab.org] to arrange a conversation.