PITCH FORM - BRADEN GRANT PROGRAM

Complete this pitch form and bring it to your StoryLab appointment. You must also submit a pitch form with your Braden Grant application.

Story Title __________________________________________

Your Name __________________________________________

Your Email __________________________________________

Who, what, when, and where is the story about?
Remember, this grant funds audio documentaries about a specific community, historical event, or oral tradition through interviews conducted by the student or based on oral history archives.

Who is telling the story?

What is your research question?
Be specific. Make your question manageable and answerable.

What is, if any, the pre-existing conversation about the topic?

Why do YOU care?

Why is this an important project? Why will others care?

Why would this be a good AUDIO story? What will we HEAR?
What sounds are there other than people talking?

Do you think the story will do any of the following and how?

- Entertain (surprise, thrill, amuse, etc)?
- Provide new knowledge, wisdom?
- Help us understand or appreciate others or the world?
- Inspire us to action or ignite the imagination?
- Constructively challenge beliefs, values, assumptions?
- Affirm or provide comfort?