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Grants awarded for July 1, 2023, Competition – Career Development Program

Fredericton, August 29, 2023 – The New Brunswick Arts Board (**artsnb**) has released the results of the July 1, 2023 competition for the Career Development program. A total of **twenty-five (25)** grants were awarded, amounting to **\$55,500.00**. These funds were allocated as follows:

Artist in Residence

Jenna Lyn Albert	Fredericton	Literary Arts	\$500
Amy Ash	Saint John	Visual Arts	\$1,900
Julia Bannister	Fredericton	Dance	\$4,000
Gillian Dykeman	Fredericton	Visual Arts	\$4,050
Emily Kennedy	Passekeag	Multidisciplinary Arts	\$4,000
Mark Kleyn	Fredericton	Music	\$2,000
Émilie Landry	Campbellton	Music	\$4,000
Mathieu Léger	Moncton	Visual Arts	\$6,000
Jacob Martin	Fredericton	Theatre	\$4,500
Danika Vautour	Quispamsis	Craft	\$4,000

Arts by Invitation

Jared Betts	Moncton	Visual Arts	\$1,500
David Champagne	Maisonnette	Visual Arts	\$1,310
Martin Daigle	Moncton	Music	\$1,600
Terry Graff	Island View	Visual Arts	\$1,500
Denis Lanteigne	Raint-Saint-Georges	Visual Arts	\$975
Lucas Morneau	Sackville	Visual Arts	\$1,550
Émilie Turmel	Moncton	Literary Arts	\$965

Professional Development

Zachary Greer	Fredericton	Music	\$2,000
Maria Guevara	New Maryland	Craft	\$1,500
Sarah Harrigan	Saint John	Music	\$1,500
Maya Ruheza	Riverview	Dance	\$1,500

Professionalization & Promotion

Paul Edouard Bourque	Moncton	Visual Arts	\$1,200
Jon Claytor	Sackville	Literary Arts	\$1,050
Daphnée McIntyre	Moncton	Music	\$1,200
Jennifer Paziienza	Keswick	Visual Arts	\$1,200

<i>Applications Submitted</i>	<i>Grants Awarded</i>	<i>Success Rate</i>
54	25	46.3%

2 out of 25 awardees (8.0%) had never previously received a grant from artsnb.

Distribution by artistic discipline



The number of applications submitted per discipline for this competition of the Career Development Program is as follows: 0 in architecture, 3 in craft, 3 in dance, 5 in literary arts, 5 in media arts, 2 in multidisciplinary arts, 16 in music, 1 in theatre, and 19 in visual arts. Additional information is available on the distribution of grants per artistic discipline for this competition [here](#).

The Career Development program provides financial assistance to professional artists wishing to enhance their practice through travel, study, and promotion. Until the July 1, 2023, competition deadline, this flexible program included the Artist in Residence component for short-term artist residencies, which now had been combined into artsnb's remodeled Artist in Residence program as of the September 1, 2023, competition deadline. To learn more about the Career Development Program, and all other artsnb programs, please visit our [website](#).

The New Brunswick Arts Board is an arm's length arts funding agency with a legislated mandate to facilitate and promote the creation of art as well as administering funding programs for professional artists in the province. Most of the funding for these programs is provided through the province's Arts Development Trust Fund and by the Department of Tourism, Heritage and Culture.

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