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Grants awarded for May 1, 2024 Deadlines – Artist in Residence and Career Development Programs

Fredericton, July 2, 2024 – The New Brunswick Arts Board (**artsnb**) has released the results of the May 1, 2024 deadlines for the Artist in Residence and Career Development programs. Grants totaling **\$85,282.25** were awarded by juries composed of professional artists in these two (2) funding programs.

Artist in Residence Program

Thirteen (13) Artist in Residence grants were awarded, totaling **\$ 50,040.25**. This program provides opportunities for organizations in New Brunswick to host artists for up to a year, and to professional artists who seek to advance their creative work through participation in residency opportunities at home or outside the province, or for residency opportunities in Quebec as per an agreement with the Conseil des arts et des lettres du Québec. The Department of Tourism, Heritage and Culture has granted additional investment to the remodeled Artist in Residence program which was a recommendation of the Report of the Premier’s Task Force on the Status of the Artist. Learn more about the Artist in Residence Program [here](#).

Institutions

University of New Brunswick, Centre for Musical Arts	Fredericton	Music	\$ 7,125
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Non-Profit Organizations

Association Maison Doucet Hennessy House Association	Bathurst	Music	\$ 4,000
Theatre New Brunswick	Fredericton	Theatre	\$ 10,000

Individual Artists

Jenna Lyn Albert	Fredericton	Literary Arts	\$ 665.25
Catherine Arseneault	Moncton	Visual Arts	\$ 3,000
Amy Ash	Saint John	Visual Arts	\$ 2,000
Kaitlin Hoyt	Fredericton	Visual Arts	\$ 1,500
Mark Kleyn	Fredericton	Music	\$ 3,000
Ann Manuel	Fredericton	Visual Arts	\$ 4,000
Aleya Michaud	Riverview	Visual Arts	\$ 5,000
Deanna Musgrave	Saint John	Multidisciplinary Arts	\$ 5,250
Karen Stentafor	Sackville	Visual Arts	\$ 3,000
Kimberley Stillwell	Keswick Ridge	Craft	\$ 1,500

Results Highlights

<i>Applications Evaluated</i> 28	<i>Grants Awarded</i> 13	<i>Success Rate</i> 46.4 %
<i>Total Amount Requested</i> \$ 137,565.25	<i>Total Amount Awarded</i> \$ 50,040.25	<i>Rate Funded</i> 36.4 %

2 out of 13 recipients (15.4 %) had never previously received a grant from artsnb.



The number of applications submitted per discipline for this program deadline are as follows: 0 in architecture, 1 in craft, 0 in dance, 1 in literary arts, 2 in media arts, 7 in multidisciplinary arts, 5 in music, 2 in theatre, and 10 in visual arts.

Additional information is available on the distribution of grants per artistic discipline for this competition [here](#).

Career Development program

Twenty-three (23) grants were awarded for the Career Development program, totaling **\$35,242.00**. This program, divided into 3 components, provides financial assistance to professional artists wishing to enhance their practice through travel, study, and promotion. Learn more about the Career Development Program [here](#).

Arts by Invitation

David Adams	Saint John	Music	\$ 1,700
Sonja Adams	Saint John	Music	\$ 1,700
Gerard Collins	Belleisle Creek	Literary Arts	\$ 1,150
Martin Daigle	Moncton	Music	\$ 2,000
Daniel H. Dugas	Moncton	Multidisciplinary Arts	\$ 1,004
Dayna Ellis	Rothesay	Theatre	\$ 2,000
Martin Kutnowski	Fredericton	Music	\$ 1,700
Monique Léger	St-Isidore	Dance	\$ 2,000
Sylvie Pilotte	Dalhousie	Visual Arts	\$ 840
Tracey Richard	Moncton	Media Arts	\$ 1,500
Miriam Richer	Fredericton	Literary Arts	\$ 1,370
Natasha Sacobie	Bilijk	Visual Arts	\$ 1,278

Professional Development

Monelle Doiron	Rang-St-Georges	Dance	\$ 1,500
Olivia LaPointe	Fredericton	Music	\$ 1,500
Vicky Lentz	Saint Jacques	Visual Arts	\$ 1,500
Naomi McGowan	Fredericton	Theatre	\$ 1,500
Aleya Michaud	Riverview	Visual Arts	\$ 2,500
Mélanie Paulin	Moncton	Visual Arts	\$ 1,500
Angie Richard	Moncton	Media Arts	\$ 1,250
Tracey Richard	Moncton	Media Arts	\$ 1,250
Heather Sproat	Moncton	Craft	\$ 1,500

Professionalization & Promotion

Maxime Boudreau	Dunlop	Music	\$ 1,500
Daniella Tejada Cortes	Moncton	Music	\$ 1,500

Results Highlights

<i>Applications evaluated</i> 39	<i>Grants Awarded</i> 23	<i>Success Rate</i> 59.0 %
<i>Total Amount Requested</i> \$ 62,133.45	<i>Total Amount Awarded</i> \$ 35,242.00	<i>Rate Funded</i> 56.7 %

2 out of 23 recipients (8.7 %) had never previously received a grant from artsnb.



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The number of applications submitted per discipline for this program deadline are as follows:
2 in architecture, 2 in craft, 3 in dance, 2 in literary arts, 4 in media arts, 1 in multidisciplinary arts, 11 in music, 2 in theatre, and 12 in visual arts.

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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. Funding for these programs is provided through the province's Arts Development Trust Fund and by the Department of Tourism, Heritage and Culture. The department has also announced additional funding to the Artist in Residence program, as a response to the recommendations from the report of Premier's Task Force on the Status of the Artist.

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