

ARTS & CULTURE funding programs

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Managed by: Columbia Kootenay Cultural Alliance

If you have an idea that focuses on arts and culture, this program could help support it. Grants from the Columbia Kootenay Cultural Alliance (CKCA) are available for all art disciplines, for both individuals and arts and culture organizations. CKCA is a project of the West Kootenay Regional Arts Council and funded by Columbia Basin Trust.

ARTS FUNDING TO COMMUNITIES

Maximum request: \$2,500

Application deadline: 5 p.m. Pacific on March 3, 2023.

Who can apply? Individual artists in all disciplines, or arts and culture groups and organizations.

Objectives:

- Fund individual or group projects.
- Respond to unique local issues.
- Provide funds to artists, or to arts and culture organizations.
- Involve more artists in local arts projects and arts decision making.
- Raise awareness of artists as belonging to the Basin and being interpreters of Basin culture.

Funding is available for: Any local artistic or cultural project benefiting Basin artists or communities. At least one of the outcomes must be a priority listed on the application form. Local arts councils make recommendations to CKCA about which projects to support based on the strength and quality of the applications.

How to apply: ***NEW*** Submit applications online to CKCA: wkartscouncil.com/ckca-funding.

Hard copy forms are available by request.



MINOR CAPITAL ARTS

Maximum request: \$10,000

Application deadline: 5 p.m. Pacific on March 10, 2023.

Who can apply? Registered non-profit arts and culture organizations and venues.

Objectives:

- Support the development and preservation of arts and cultural venues, and to support the capital needs of arts and cultural organizations.

Funding is available for: The capital needs of arts and culture organizations and venues, including purchasing items and undertaking projects like: equipment; computers; software; instruments; risers; presentation cabinets or fixtures; renovating, initiating or building facilities; acoustical improvements.

How to apply: Submit applications online to CKCA: wkartscouncil.com/ckca-funding. Hard copy forms are available by request.

TOURING

Maximum request: \$5,000

Application deadline: 5 p.m. Pacific on March 10, 2023.

Who can apply? Individual artists in all disciplines, or arts and culture groups and organizations.

Objectives:

- Assist individuals or groups to tour arts and culture productions, exhibitions or workshops in the Basin.
- Increase public awareness of Basin arts and culture productions.

Funding is available for: Tours in the Basin of arts and culture performances, exhibitions and workshops.

How to apply: Submit applications online to CKCA: wkartscouncil.com/ckca-funding. Hard copy forms are available by request.

Photo Top: Carol Wallace - *Silk Panel Installation* Photo Bottom: Erica Konrad - *Everything Became Beautiful*





Photo Top: Ruth Bieber - *Undercurrents* Photo Bottom: Erika Sullivan - *Cannabaceae*

MENTORING / MASTER CLASSES

Maximum request: \$5,000

Application deadline: 5 p.m. Pacific on March 10, 2023.

Who can apply? Arts and culture groups or organizations, or community groups and organizations.

Objectives:

- Assist community or arts groups to provide artistic or cultural mentoring or master classes to emerging professionals. An emerging professional has specialized training in the field of the skill being taught and is committed to devoting more time to the skill, when possible financially. Specialized training is not necessarily obtained within an academic institution and we recognize the transmission of artistic practices from knowledge keepers with lived experience.

Funding is available for: Projects that provide artistic or cultural mentoring or master classes to emerging professionals, provided by instructors or mentors who are recognized professionals in their fields.

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MAJOR PROJECT ARTS & CULTURE

All funding awards: \$10,000.

Application deadline: 5 p.m. Pacific on March 10, 2023.

Who can apply? Individual artists in all disciplines, or arts and culture groups and organizations.

Objectives:

- Create large scale, arts and culture projects that further the directions of the CKCA and Columbia Basin Trust.

Funding is available for: Projects to create artistic works, bodies of work, arts and culture performances, events or projects on a major scale.

How to apply: Submit applications online to CKCA:
wkartscouncil.com/ckca-funding.

Hard copy forms are available by request.

**We strongly encourage you to contact CKCA to discuss your project before starting the application. Projects must exhibit additional sources of revenue in addition to CKCA.*

ARTS EVOLUTION

Maximum request: \$15,000

Application deadline: 5 p.m. Pacific on March 10, 2023.

Who can apply? Registered non-profit arts and culture organizations.

Funding is available for:

- Projects to present the work of a Basin artist or artists to the community. Supports the coordination, programming and promotion of juried or curated exhibitions or performances. Projects may include a touring component, workshops or artist talks.
- Projects with a focus on arts and culture that further the goals outlined on the application form. Projects may include the creation of new works, curatorial projects or collaborative arts and culture projects.
- Organizational development projects and workshops that will improve arts and culture organizations' structure, evolution and capacity to serve communities.

How to apply: Submit applications online to CKCA:
wkartscouncil.com/ckca-funding.

Hard copy forms are available by request.

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