

Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Artist Fellowship - 2019

Region 2 Arts Council

INTRODUCTION

2019 Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Artist Fellowship

Award Amount: \$5,000

Deadline: March 1, 2019 by 11:59 pm

Review Date: April 3, 2019

Earliest Start Date: April 16, 2019

AAI Exhibit: *date to be determined*

Open to established Native American artists in all arts disciplines who reside in Region 2 and the surrounding counties, and who have shown a consistent commitment to their work as artists over the past five years. This 18-month fellowship provides unfettered funds to fuel the creation and production of works of art. Only one \$5,000 AAI Fellowship is awarded each year.

ELIGIBILITY

Please read the questions below carefully. These questions will help you discern if you and/or your fellowship plans are eligible for funding. Each question should be answered with the response "True" to be eligible. If you answer "False" to any of the questions below you or your fellowship plans may be ineligible for funding from this grant.

Please email or call (218-751-5447 or 1-800-275-5447) the R2AC office to discuss eligibility. It may be possible that a different grant would better suit your needs. Also keep in mind that your electronic signature verifies the truth of your responses and holds you legally responsible for them.

Tribal Affiliation or Decendancy*

I possess a tribal enrollment card or proof that I am a descendant of a federally recognized tribe, in accordance with the Indian Arts & Crafts Act of 1990.

Choices

True

False

Proof of Native American Ancestry*

Please upload/include a copy (pdf) of your tribal enrollment card or proof that you are a descendant of a federally recognized tribe and include a brief explanation of this documentation. This documentation is used for eligibility purposes and will only be viewed by staff and AAI Council members. (Limit of 500 typed characters, including spaces)

Character Limit: 500 | File Size Limit: 1 MB

Age and Citizenship Status*

I am twenty-one years of age or older and am a U.S. citizen or have resident alien status.

Choices

True
False

Residency*

I am a resident of the state of Minnesota as determined by the address I use for voting and the payment of taxes, I live in one of the following counties: Becker, Beltrami, Cass, Clearwater, Hubbard, Itasca, Lake of the Woods, Mahnommen, or Roseau, and I plan to live there for the duration of of this 18-month fellowship.

Choices

True
False

Established Residency*

I have established residency in one of the following counties: Becker, Beltrami, Cass, Clearwater, Hubbard, Itasca, Lake of the Woods, Mahnommen, or Roseau at least one year prior to the deadline/submission date.

Choices

True
False

Relocation*

I will not use R2AC Artist Fellowship funds to relocate my legal address/residence outside of the state of Minnesota.

Choices

True
False

Conflict of Interest*

I am not a current member of the Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Council, the R2AC board or staff, or a member of their immediate family. (Immediate family is defined as: spouse, domestic partner, parent, child, child's spouse, brother, brother's spouse, sister, or sister's spouse.)

Choices

True

False

History of artistic accomplishment*

I have a history of sustained accomplishment in my chosen artistic field over a period of at least the past five years. This does not include time spent as an art student in a degree-seeking program or any student performances, works of art, publications or exhibitions.

Choices

True
False

I am not a student*

I am not enrolled as a full or part-time student in my artistic discipline at any institution of higher learning.

Choices

True
False

Academic credit or retention of teaching licensure*

I am not seeking funding for classes, workshops or projects resulting in academic credit, tuition for academic coursework, teaching licensure, or continuing education requirements (CEUs) to retain teaching licensure.

Choices

True
False

Final Report Status for any R2AC Grants*

I have submitted and received approval for all Final Reports for any past Anishinaabe Arts Initiative Grant, Individual Artist Grant, R2AC Artist Fellowship, Arts & Cultural Heritage Grant for Individual Artists or Quick Grant for Individual Artists I have received from R2AC.

Choices

True
False
N/A - I have never received a grant from the Region 2 Arts Council

Past contractual agreements with R2AC*

I am not in violation of any past contractual agreement with R2AC, such as an overdue final report from a previous R2AC grant.

Choices

True
False

Terminated R2AC grant contracts/agreements*

I have not failed to return grant funds to R2AC after having any R2AC grant contracts/agreements terminated or funding revoked.

Choices

True
False

Fundraising*

I will not use my Fellowship award to donate to or assist in funding an organization, charity, or cause.

Choices

True
False

Proselytizing*

Any activities funded by my Fellowship award are not intended to proselytize a belief or involve the religious socialization of the audience or participants.

Choices

True
False

Attempt to Influence State or Federal Legislation or Appropriation*

Any activities funded by my Fellowship award are not intended as an attempt to influence any state or federal legislation or appropriation.

Choices

True
False

Objectionable Content*

Any activities funded by my Fellowship award will not promote violence and/or racism and will not include pornographic content. (Please note it is at the AAI Council's discretion to deem an activity objectionable)

Choices

True
False

Public art projects*

If public art is going to be part of activities funded by my Fellowship award, I will follow the R2AC Public Arts Policy and I have included the requested materials, such as preliminary sketches, letters of permission and maintenance agreements, in the supplemental information section.

Choices

True
False
N/A

Literary Arts Projects*

Any literary arts activity funded by my Fellowship award will follow the R2AC Literary Arts Policy.

Choices

- True
- False
- N/A

Film/Television/Media Arts Projects*

Any film, television, or other video media activity funded by my Fellowship award will follow the R2AC Film/Television/Media Arts Policy.

Choices

- True
- False
- N/A

Type in your name as an electronic signature. Note that the typed name constitutes a legal signature and signifies that you are in agreement with the following statement:

"I am responsible for complying with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, rules, regulations, and ordinances in relation to the use of these funds and I certify that all of the information provided in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge."

Artist's Signature*

Character Limit: 100