

## NEA Grant Search - Data as of 02-10-2020

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Flagstaff Arts Council	1847851-62-19
Flagstaff, AZ 86002-0296	

To support a visual arts exhibition exploring water issues in Northern Arizona and the Southwest United States. Artists included in the exhibition will create new work inspired and informed by on-site visits and experiences. The artists will explore the complexity of water issues in the Southwest through trainings with experts such as scientists, policymakers, and tribal leaders. The organization has utilized this residency model for successful thematic exhibitions in the past. The exhibitions will be installed at the Coconino Center for the Arts and be accompanied by public programs such as artist talks and discussion forums.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 1

**Grant Amount:** \$25,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Local Arts Agencies

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 11/2020

Loft Cinema, Inc.	(aka The Loft)	1846707-34-19
Tucson, AZ 85716-3933		

To support the 2019 Loft Film Fest, a screening tour, and related public programming. The festival will host a series of curated film screenings accompanied by panel discussions and events with visiting filmmakers and other special guests, including a touring program of free screenings at Native American reservations, museums, schools, and community centers in southern Arizona. Events with filmmaker introductions, panel discussions, and question-and-answer sessions will be made available online for public viewing. Films for the touring program will include selections from the 2018 Loft Film Festival an emphasis on films with Native American themes and filmmakers and films with local or regional interest. The films will travel across Southern Arizona in the Loft Solar Cinema, a cargo van outfitted with solar panels to power a 20-foot inflatable screen and state-of-the-art mobile projection system.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 2

**Grant Amount:** \$20,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Media Arts

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2019

Lead Guitar	(aka Lead Guitar)	1853625-51-19
Tucson, AZ 85712-4134		

To support the expansion of a free classical guitar program in Chicago Public Schools (CPS). In alignment with the CPS plan for arts education, master guitar instructors will provide weekly classes to students, as well as professional development to teachers during school hours. The program will pair a master guitar instructor with a teacher at each school to teach the Lead Guitar curriculum through group classes and private lessons; guest artists will present master classes and concerts.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 2

**Grant Amount:** \$30,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Arts Education

**Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 06/2020

University of Arizona

1847541-44-19

Tucson, AZ 85721-0158

To support an exhibition and outreach program featuring the work of artist Umar Rashid (aka Frohawk Two Feathers). The artist will explore the lesser-known history of African-American culture in Tucson, working collaboratively with the University of Arizona Museum of Art and the Dunbar Pavilion, an African-American center for art and culture. Frohawk Two Feathers will lead participants in mining personal and historical narratives and creating visual timelines that map the cultural assets and histories of the region. Additional programming includes artist talks and a student poetry writing workshop. The museum also intends to acquire one of the artist's painting for its collection.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 3

**Grant Amount:** \$40,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Museums

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 06/2019

Borderlands Theater Teatro  
Fronterizo

(aka Teatro Fronterizo)

1849912-32-19

Tucson, AZ 85701-1606

To support a production of *Their Dogs Came With Them*, a new play by Virginia Grise, adapted from the 2008 novel by Helena Maria Viramontes. The play tells the story of a group of young Mexican-American women in the barrio of East Los Angeles finding their way through the turbulent urban landscape of the 1960s. The piece looks at situational gender roles from childhood to adulthood through the experiences of the women as their neighborhood is gentrified. The production will feature an original score by Martha Gonzalez of Quetzal, a bilingual Chicano rock band from East Los Angeles that will perform the score live for each performance.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 3

**Grant Amount:** \$20,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Theater

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2019

Museum of Contemporary Art

(aka MOCA)

1852044-78-19

Tucson, AZ 85701-1610

To support a series of performance and sound workshops at Arizona Schools for the Deaf and Blind. Guest artists will work with students throughout the school year to create performance and sound art. The artwork created during the workshops will be exhibited in a culminating exhibition open to the public.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 3

**Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Challenge America

**Discipline:** Challenge America

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 06/2019

American Literary Translators  
Association

(aka ALTA)

1854273-52-19

Tucson, AZ 85721-0014

To support the American Literary Translators Association's annual conference. The conference brings together literary translators, educators, students, and literary arts professionals from across the country to discuss the practice, theory, funding, publication, and promotion of works of literary translation into English.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 3

**Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Literature

**Grant Period:** 06/2019 - 03/2020

Southwest Folklife Alliance, Inc. 1854649-55-19  
Tucson, AZ 85733-2044

To support the Tucson Meet Yourself Folklife statewide Festival. The festival will present performances, exhibits, and demonstrations exploring ethnic, regional, and occupational folklife communities in and around Tucson. A highlight of the festival will be folk arts pavilions representing the region's Native American communities, the car culture of Lowriders, as well as the artistic expressions of immigrant communities from around the globe.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 3 **Grant Amount:** \$35,000  
**Category:** Art Works **Discipline:** Folk & Traditional Arts **Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 06/2020

Borderlands Theater Teatro (aka Teatro Fronterizo) 1855669-42-19  
Fronterizo  
Tucson, AZ 85701-1606

To support a community festival featuring storytelling, digital projection, and theatrical performances in Nogales, Arizona. An Our Town project, content for the festival will be informed by a youth-driven project intended to capture intergenerational stories of Nogales and its historic downtown. The festival will instill a sense of pride and belonging among residents, especially Nogales youth.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 3 **Grant Amount:** \$50,000  
**Category:** Our Town **Discipline:** Design **Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 08/2020

Southwest Folklife Alliance, Inc. 1856002-55-19  
Tucson, AZ 85733-2044

To support folklife activities, including an e-journal publication, an apprenticeship program, and the development of educational resources for citizen-folklorists, teachers, and hospice care workers. Southwest Folklife Alliance will partner with municipalities and service agencies to expand the role of folklore in regional creative placemaking work, advancing the role of heritage assets in community development.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 3 **Grant Amount:** \$50,000  
**Category:** Partnerships (State & Regional) **Discipline:** Folk & Traditional Arts **Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 06/2020

Del E. Webb Center for the Performing Arts 1854085-33-19  
Wickenburg, AZ 85390-3145

To support the creation of a new work by ODC/Dance and related engagement activities. The project is part of the Made in Wickenburg artist residency program.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 4 **Grant Amount:** \$20,000  
**Category:** Art Works **Discipline:** Dance **Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 05/2020

Arizona Classic Jazz Society (aka ACJS) 1860798-59-19  
Chandler, AZ 85248-7949

To support the Arizona Classic Jazz Festival. Participating musicians will collaborate to perform a special concert focusing on the history of jazz music. K-12 students will participate in arts programming that will highlight the role of women in early jazz music.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 5 **Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Challenge America: Arts Engagement in American Communities **Discipline:** Arts Engagement in American Communities **Grant Period:** 10/2019 - 05/2020

Scottsdale Cultural Council (aka Scottsdale Arts/Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art) 1855146-62-19  
Scottsdale, AZ 85251-5604

To support a group exhibition at the Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art, including the commission of new work, the publication of an exhibition catalogue, and educational programming for the public. The exhibition will feature performance-based work that has encouraged new ways of seeing or interacting with the environment, and will include works created from the 1970s through current day.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 6 **Grant Amount:** \$20,000

**Category:** Art Works **Discipline:** Local Arts Agencies **Grant Period:** 06/2019 - 02/2020

Phoenix Art Museum (aka ) 1847955-44-19  
Phoenix, AZ 85004-1685

To support shipping and crating costs for the traveling exhibition Agnes Pelton: Desert Transcendentalist. The exhibition will be the first survey exhibition of unrecognized American painter, Agnes Pelton (1881-1961) in almost 25 years. Featuring approximately 60 works of art, the exhibition will be accompanied by scholarly symposia, lectures, and contemporary artist talks. The exhibition seeks to shed light on Pelton's artistic contribution to American Modernism, while examining her practice against a broader, international framework of abstraction. The exhibition will be presented chronologically, demonstrating a progression of style and content from 1910-61. In addition to its showing in Phoenix, the exhibition will travel to the Palm Springs Art Museum, the New Mexico Museum of Art, and the Whitney Museum of American Art.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 7 **Grant Amount:** \$30,000

**Category:** Art Works **Discipline:** Museums **Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 08/2020

Ballet Arizona 1853939-33-19  
Phoenix, AZ 85034-1513

To support Ballet Under the Stars, a free outdoor performance series in local parks throughout the Phoenix metropolitan area. In addition to performances by the company, children from local schools will choreograph their own work under the tutelage of Ballet Arizona dancers through the Class Act program, and will perform an original dance piece at their local park performance. Ballet Under the Stars makes ballet accessible to individuals from communities who may not be able to otherwise attend ballet performances.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019 **Congressional District:** 7 **Grant Amount:** \$30,000

**Category:** Art Works **Discipline:** Dance **Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 10/2019

Phoenix Theatre, Inc.	1854040-28-19
Phoenix, AZ 85004-1700	

To support the development and world premiere production of *Americano*. The work was developed through the theater's Incubator Program, and a staged reading was featured as part of the Festival of New American Theatre.

<b>Fiscal Year:</b> 2019	<b>Congressional District:</b> 7	<b>Grant Amount:</b> \$10,000
<b>Category:</b> Art Works	<b>Discipline:</b> Musical Theater	<b>Grant Period:</b> 06/2019 - 05/2020

Rising Youth Theatre	(aka 454324350)	1854388-32-19
Phoenix, AZ 85004-1812		

To support the development and performance of an original play. The new theatrical work will be developed based on the work of an intergenerational convening of youth and adult artists from a wide range of backgrounds. The project will encourage intergenerational conversations about race, class, and age.

<b>Fiscal Year:</b> 2019	<b>Congressional District:</b> 7	<b>Grant Amount:</b> \$10,000
<b>Category:</b> Art Works	<b>Discipline:</b> Theater	<b>Grant Period:</b> 01/2020 - 04/2020

City of Phoenix, Arizona	(aka Office of Arts & Culture)	1855401-62-19
Phoenix, AZ 85003-1611		

To support the Phoenix Neighborhood Arts grants program. In partnership with the City of Phoenix Neighborhood Services Department, the Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture will provide grants for intergenerational arts projects that demonstrate significant community engagement, high artistic quality, and collaborative processes with multiple partners.

<b>Fiscal Year:</b> 2019	<b>Congressional District:</b> 7	<b>Grant Amount:</b> \$30,000
<b>Category:</b> Art Works	<b>Discipline:</b> Local Arts Agencies	<b>Grant Period:</b> 07/2019 - 06/2021

City of Phoenix, Arizona	(aka Office of Arts & Culture)	1855635-42-19
Phoenix, AZ 85003-1611		

To support a series of public art installations at transit stops and a community arts festival. Through the design and prototyping of artist-designed shade and cooling features, the sunBLOCK project is intended to raise awareness and encourage discussion around solutions for protecting the public against urban heat. Phoenix is the nation's second fastest-growing urban heat island, where excessive heat poses public health risks and barriers to utilization of public transit.

<b>Fiscal Year:</b> 2019	<b>Congressional District:</b> 7	<b>Grant Amount:</b> \$125,000
<b>Category:</b> Our Town	<b>Discipline:</b> Design	<b>Grant Period:</b> 07/2019 - 07/2021

Arizona Commission on the Arts

1855979-61-19

Phoenix, AZ 85003-1326

To support arts programs, services, and activities associated with carrying out the agency's National Endowment for the Arts-approved strategic plan.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 7

**Grant Amount:** \$841,400

**Category:** Partnerships (State & Regional)

**Discipline:** State & Regional

**Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 06/2020

City of Litchfield Park, Arizona

1853108-78-19

Litchfield Park, AZ 85340-4642

To support the Litchfield Park Native American Fine Arts Festival. A juried visual art exhibit will feature the work of as many as 100 Native American master artists. Festival activities will also include artist demonstrations and performances such as storytelling and hoop dancing. A guest artist will present a concert performance at the festival.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 8

**Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Challenge America

**Discipline:** Challenge America

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 05/2019

West Valley Arts Council

1853870-62-19

Surprise, AZ 85374-7496

To support the creation and installation of public art through the Gallery 37 student apprenticeship program. Students will engage with professional artists to design, create, and install public art for display in the West Valley region. The student participants will include youth from low-income and culturally diverse communities.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 8

**Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Local Arts Agencies

**Grant Period:** 06/2019 - 10/2019

Childsplay, Inc.

(aka )

1847708-32-19

Tempe, AZ 85281-5592

To support the world premiere production of Selena Sings, a new play by Miriam Gonzales and composer Daniel French. Inspired by the childhood of singer Selena Quintanilla, the play follows young Selena as she struggles to find her voice as a singer, as a member of her family, and as a Mexican American. Childsplay will partner with Arizona teachers and schools to enrich students' experience of the production, and with Teatro Bravo, a local Latinx theater company, to help build cultural bridges with the community. The production will be performed at the Herberger Theatre Center in Phoenix to diverse student and family audiences.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 9

**Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Theater

**Grant Period:** 01/2019 - 12/2020

City of Tempe, Arizona

1854084-62-19

Tempe, AZ 85281-3601

To support Tempe Playlist, a community audio project that will highlight music, storytelling, and poetry by local artists. Recordings made by local artists will be promoted through the marketing and distribution of curated digital audio playlists. Additional community engagement activities will include mobile recording studios, professional training and mentorship opportunities for youth.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 9

**Grant Amount:** \$10,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Local Arts Agencies

**Grant Period:** 07/2019 - 12/2020

City of Mesa, Arizona

1854236-62-19

Mesa, AZ 85201-7320

To support the commission and presentation of public art related to the role of water in the greater Sonoran Desert region, and associated outreach activities. Partnerships with local Native American communities, municipal water and sustainability departments, and arts and heritage organizations will inform the creation of visual or performance-based public artwork. Outreach activities will include public events such as artist-led workshops in visual, literary, and performing arts.

**Fiscal Year:** 2019

**Congressional District:** 9

**Grant Amount:** \$50,000

**Category:** Art Works

**Discipline:** Local Arts Agencies

**Grant Period:** 06/2019 - 06/2020