

Galiara Grant Application

Dear friends:

Over 10 years, after supporting exciting projects designed to revitalize the arts, build organizational capacity, re imagine spaces and promote emerging creative talent, we're excited to see what innovative ideas future applications will propose. Our commitment to supporting the development of creativity and imagination continues through our Empowerment Programs, which support a variety of quality, outcome-driven experiences for educators, artists and learners of all ages. Funding and visibility for individual artists remains our top priority, with ongoing programs that provide well-deserved recognition of exceptional work by artists, support critical preservation of cultural heritage and traditions, and provide professional development support for artists with disabilities.

Other upcoming programs and partnerships aim to provide funding and sponsorships for art events, art organizations, flexible support for activities designed to build cultural diversity, and an array of other objectives. As always, our professional staff supports each program with a focus on excellent customer service including direct coaching and advice when requested. Updated technology now makes most public panel reviews available for easy streaming online, and our online grant application system continues to save applicants time and money.

During this time of ongoing change in our economy, the arts continue to play a crucial role in economic development. Supporting the creative sector remains central in our collective work to enhance economic prosperity and defines our ongoing work. With our many partners, constituents, supporters and advocates, Galiara looks forward to continuing to advance the arts and culture in the coming biennium. We would like to thank you for all that you do in support of the arts and cultural sector, and urge you to tell your story, share your work, and do your part to communicate the critical importance of public support of the arts at every opportunity.

Should you have any questions about the application process do not hesitate to contact any member of Galiara for assistance. Thank you for reading, and good luck with your application and upcoming work.

Applicants must apply online using the online application system. Mailed applications and work

samples are not accepted.

Who May Apply:

All U.S and International individuals in THE CREATIVE ARTS (Wikipedia). Applicants must be 21 years of age or older. Fellowship recipients must provide proof of eligibility and a verifiable ID.

Eligible Work:

There are no restrictions on subject matter, genres or processes of past or projected work. Works submitted may also include traditional fine art projects or experimental work..

Examples of Eligible Work in The Creative Arts : Film, video; Internet projects, interactive multimedia etc

The decisions of our affiliate foundations and designated judging panel as to who receives fellowship support and in what amounts will be final, private, and without appeal. The award funds must be used to further the artist's creative endeavors. Recipients will be asked to provide a summary of the uses to which award funds were put.

Online Application Information

Internet access and a working email address are needed to apply. If you are an existing member at Galiara, please highlight that in your application comments, along with your profile link.

A completed application consists of the following information & files:

- Applicant Profile: Name and contact information
- For Existing Members - Visual Artists Work Samples: Reviewed either from your Galiara profile or per the guidelines on the application page.

- Text descriptors for each image: Title, Year Completed, Medium, Dimensions
- Career summary, artist's resume or short bio (500 words maximum)
- Work Statement: (350 words maximum) The purpose of the statement is to give the review panel a better understanding of your work, while they are viewing it. Your statement should be clear, concise and relate to the work samples you submit.

Strategies for successful grantseeking

1. **Do your research** to determine whether our goals and objectives are consistent with your type of grant request. Currently we support **ALL** pursuits of the Creative Arts (Wikipedia)
2. After you do the research, find out the preferred method of contact with us
3. We will initiate contact with you if you are shortlisted.
4. Include a cover letter with each proposal that introduces your organization and your proposal, and makes a strategic link between your proposal and our mission and grant making interests.
5. Type and single-space all proposals.
6. Answer all the questions in the order listed.
7. Submit the number of copies we request according to our guidelines.
8. Do not include any materials other than those specifically requested at this time.

"You may choose to apply for a Grant with a one time processing fee or apply to become a member at Galiara San Francisco. Members have year round access to added visibility to our patrons in addition to programs such as Grants, Artist in Residence, Competitions and Sponsorship's.

If you are approved for a Grant, your profile will be highlighted on Galiara. In addition. our outreach team may also be request you to create a video and any other tool that might help them to enhance your presence to our eco system.

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