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Change comes with every new year, but this year it seems truer than ever.

As we anticipate Wisconsin's new administration, we must say good bye to three important people.

**Stephanie Klett:** Secretary of the Department of Tourism for the past eight years; a trumpet player and an art collector.

When the Arts Board was moved to the Department of Tourism in 2011, Secretary Klett welcomed us with open arms and the promise that we would have the best home possible here. And we did - thanks to her advocacy, her promotion of the arts and the creative economy, and especially her repeated recognition of the important work of the Arts Board.

**Sarah Klavas:** Deputy Secretary of the Department, and a department employee for almost 30 years who held virtually every position during her tenure here. For many, she has been the department's "through-line" for the past several Administrations.

**Lisa Marshall:** Public Information Officer of the Department, and a department employee for over 10 years. Her strategic approach to her work and her willingness to be quickly responsive when her skills were called upon will be missed.

All three of these amazing women have been outstanding public servants. They have made the Tourism industry in Wisconsin – and the Arts Sector, too – better by their work and long service. They will be missed and deserve our thanks and best wishes.

### **QUOTE(S) OF THE DAY**

"Art is the only way to run away without leaving home." – Twyla Tharp

“May our philosophies keep pace with our technologies. May our compassion keep pace with our powers. And may love, not fear, be the engine of change.” – Dan Brown

“Each time someone stands up for an ideal, or acts to improve the lot of others, or strikes out against injustice, they send forward a ripple of hope.” – Robert F. Kennedy

“A healthy attitude is contagious but don't wait to catch it from others. Be a carrier.” – Tom Stoppard

“The difference between a violin and a viola is that a viola burns longer.” – Victor Borge

## VIDEO(S) OF THE DAY

[Donald Driver Celebrates Wisconsin](#)

*Travel Wisconsin*

[An Adventure in the Arts at The Trout Museum of Art in Appleton](#)

*WeAreGreenBay.com*

**Through March 31**

*Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to [artsboard@wisconsin.gov](mailto:artsboard@wisconsin.gov)!*

## TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

### FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

**NEW** [Creative Communities Program](#)

*Wisconsin Arts Board*

**Deadline: January 17 (Phase One)**

**NEW** [Woodland Indian Arts Individual Artist Award](#)

*Wisconsin Arts Board*

**Deadline: February 1**

[Job Opportunity | Marketing Manager/Director's Assistant](#)

*News - Land O' Lakes Arts*

**Deadline: January 15**

**NEW** [Job Opportunity | Development Director \(part time\)](#)

*ArtStart*

**Deadline: January 18**

Job Opportunity | Executive Director  
*Wausau Conservatory of Music*  
**Deadline: March 1**

Education/Volunteer Coordinator 2018  
*Center for the Visual Arts, Wausau*  
**Until Filled**

Board-certified music therapist job  
*Rhapsody Arts Center, Verona, WI*  
**Deadline: Until Filled**

Job Opening – Executive Director  
*The Art Garage, Green Bay*  
**Deadline: Until Filled**

2019 Initiative Award Nomination  
*WI Rural Partners*  
**Nominations accepted Through February 1**

How to do Creative Placemaking  
*Local Initiatives Support Corporation*  
**Through April 10**

Dance/USA: 2019 Dance Forum  
*Dance/USA*  
**January 4 | New York City**

APAP | NYC 2019 Conference  
*Association of Performing Arts Professionals*  
**January 4 – 8 | New York City**

AATE – American Theatre for the Very Young: A Digital Festival Goes Live Symposium  
*American Alliance for Theatre & Education*  
**January 4 – 6 | Lancaster, PA**

Nominate an organization for the 2019 Governor's Tourism Award for Arts, Culture and Heritage  
*WI Department of Tourism*  
**Deadline: January 18**

Call for Scripts | VSA Playwright Discovery Competition  
*The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts*  
**Deadline: January 23**

#NEABigRead Library Expands with Six New Additions  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**Deadline: January 24**

The 2019 NAMM Show  
*National Association of Music Merchants*  
**January 24 – 27 | Anaheim, CA**

Nominate a Business for the BCA 10: Best Businesses Partnering with the Arts in America  
*Americans for the Arts*  
**Deadline: January 25**

**NEW** Riverfront Public Sculpture | Call for Artists  
*City of Wausau*  
**Deadline: January 31**

Best Communities for Music Education  
*NAMM Foundation*  
**Deadline: January 31**

2019 Auditions  
*Kids from Wisconsin*  
**February 15 | Eau Claire**  
**February 22 | Platteville**  
**February 23 - 24 | Milwaukee**

Arts Day at the Capitol  
*Arts Wisconsin*  
**March 12, 2019**

Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism  
*TravelWisconsin.com*  
**March 17 – 19, 2019 | Wisconsin Dells**

2019 Footlights Awards Nomination Form  
*Footlights*  
**Deadline: March 31**

Pathway to Publication  
*UW-Madison Writers' Institute*  
**April 4 - 7**

Guidelines | Arts Midwest Touring Fund  
*Arts Midwest*  
**Deadline: April 24, 2019**

Annual Convention  
*Americans for the Arts*  
**June 14 – 16, 2019 | Minneapolis**

[Arts Midwest Conference](#)  
*Arts Midwest*  
**September 4 – 7, 2019 | Minneapolis**

## **IN THE NEWS**

### **Visual Arts/Museums**

[Manitowoc artist Gary John Gresl reshapes past treasures | Art Forward](#)  
*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*

[Penelope Winter](#)  
*Obituaries | Ozaukee Press*

[Riverfront Public Sculpture | Call for Artists](#)  
*City of Wausau*  
**Deadline: January 31**

### **Arts and Creativity in Education**

[Fine Arts and Creativity Newsletter | January 2019](#)  
*Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction*

[New Trowbridge School Club Fashions Skills and Knits Togetherness](#)  
*The Bay View Compass*

[Vans Custom Culture Competition Champions Youth Creativity For A Decade](#)  
*PRNewswire*  
**Schools Register by January 31**

[Chartering a New Course - Mondovi location eyed as project-based school for grades 6-12](#)  
*Volume One Magazine*

[William Benson](#)  
*Obituaries | Eau Claire Leader-Telegram*

### **Community Arts**

[Racine Community Foundation awards fall grants](#)  
*Racine Journal Times*

[New partnership will highlight the best of the 7 Rivers Region](#)  
*La Crosse Tribune*

### **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[Who Controls Cultural Heritage?](#)  
*Hyperallergic*

## **Media Arts**

[Wisconsin film fest director provides commentary track for Robert Redford Western](#)  
*The Capital Times*

## **Performing Arts**

### **Dance**

[The 10 Biggest Dance Stories of 2018](#)  
*Dance Magazine*

### **Music**

[On the upswing - Madison indie rockers Disq are determined to make it work](#)  
*Isthmus*

[LÜM's Music Discovery App Aims to Help Emerging Artists Find Fans](#)  
*Xconomy*

## **Other**

['The People Making It Are Indigenous, but Indigenous Is Not a Genre'](#)  
*The New York Times*

[Exploring the Four Stories](#)  
*The Artful Manager | ArtsJournal.com*

## **WHEN YOU GO**

Have you added your event to [Portal Wisconsin?](#)

## **Visual Arts/Museums**

[Plein air painter is new center artist of the month](#)  
*Ozaukee Press*  
**Through January**

[History Museum at the Castle extends 'Gridiron Glory,' books 'GUITAR'](#)  
*Appleton Post-Crescent*  
**Gridiron Glory | Through March 31**  
**Guitar: The Instrument that Rocked the World | June 1 – January 5, 2020**

[Take nothing for granted - Senegal influences Helen Hawley's latest multidisciplinary creations](#)

*Isthmus*

**January 7 - February 6**

["Peter Dahlke: Reclaimed" Opens at the Museum of Wisconsin Art On The Lake at Saint John's On The Lake Thursday, January 17, 2019](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**January 17 – April 16**

## **Arts and Creativity in Education**

[Mishicot High School Music Department seeks Solo & Ensemble volunteers](#)

*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*

**February 23**

## **Community Arts**

[Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: Week ahead: A Quiet Week to Start the New Year, but Not Totally Silent](#)

*WeAreGreenBay.com*

**Various**

## **Literary/Libraries**

[Shimmering landscapes - "Wisconsin in Watercolor" documents visionary artist Paul Seifert](#)

*Isthmus*

**February 5**

[Manitowoc-Calumet libraries read The Death and Life of the Great Lakes](#)

*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*

**Various**

[Find Marathon County Public Library's story time schedule here](#)

*Wausau Pilot & Review*

**Various**

[New events added Jan. 2: Marathon County Public Library activities](#)

*Wausau Pilot & Review*

**Various**

## **Media Arts**

[Wisconsin author, Pablo Center art director to be on WPR](#)

*Eau Claire Leader-Telegram*

**January 3**

## **Performing Arts**

## Music

Jazz group to honor women composers in Jan. 4 concert

*Wausau Pilot & Review*

**January 4**

Classical music: Trio Celeste makes it Madison debut this Sunday afternoon playing music by Tchaikovsky, Rachmaninoff and Piazzolla. They give a FREE master class on Saturday afternoon

*The Well-Tempered Ear*

**January 5, 6**

Concerts on Cramer Presents St. Mark's Brass and Emmy Rozanski, Trombone

*Urban Milwaukee*

**January 13**

## Presenting

Manitowoc Capitol Civic Centre brings The Highwaymen Live to stage

*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*

**January 26**

## Theater/Opera

'Murder at the Prom' involves audience participation, prom dress up

*Eau Claire Leader-Telegram*

**January 11 – 12, 18 – 19, 25 – 26**

## OPPORTUNITIES

2019 Initiative Award Nomination

*WI Rural Partners*

**Nominations accepted through February 1**

Summerfest and ReverbNation Open Artist Submissions for Opportunity to Perform During 2019 Festival

*Urban Milwaukee*

**Through March 1**

Announcing new fund to empower small arts organizations

*e-flux*

**Rolling Deadline: Through May 10 | Letter of Inquiry**

Mary L. Nohl Suitcase Export Fund Guidelines & Application

*Lynden Sculpture Garden*

**Through July 31, or until funds have been expended**



Public Humanities Projects

*National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)*

**Deadline: January 9**

Digital Humanities Advancement Grants

*National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH)*

**Deadline: January 15**

Seeking artists for Craft & Vendor Fair

*Tomorrow's Hope | Facebook*

**Deadline: January 15**

Terra Summer Residency Fellowships in Giverny, France

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: January 15**

**NEW** Creative Communities Program

*Wisconsin Arts Board*

**Deadline: January 17 (Phase One)**

Fender Music Foundation Announces Guitar Donations to Nonprofit Music Instruction Programs

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: January 17**

American Music Abroad Invites Applications for International Exchange Program

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: January 20**

Call for Artists

*Her Flag*

**Deadline Extended: January 25**

Opera America Invites Applications for Innovation Grants Program

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: January 28**

**NEW** Fresh Film Festival: Historic theaters, walkability will enhance Red Cedar Film Festival

*Volume One Magazine*

**Deadlines: January 29, March 30**

Wisconsin Writers Awards Open November 1 with New Student Contest

*Urban Milwaukee*

**Deadline: January 31**

**NEW** Woodland Indian Arts Individual Artist Award

*Wisconsin Arts Board*

**Deadline: February 1**

[Best Communities for Music Education](#)

*NAMM Foundation*

**Deadline: January 31**

[Harpo Foundation Accepting Applications for Native American Artists Fellowships](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: February 15**

[Wisconsin 21st Century Community Learning Center Grants are Now Available](#)

*Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction*

**Deadline: February 22**

[Accelerating Promising Practices for Small Libraries \(APP\)](#)

*Institute of Museum and Library Services*

**Deadline: February 25**

[Terra Foundation Offers Funding for American Art Exhibitions](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: March 1 (Letter of Inquiry)**

[Ucross Foundation Accepting Applications for Fall Artist Residencies](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: March 1**

[2019 Ezra Jack Keats Mini-Grant Program Call for Proposals](#)

*PRNewswire*

**Deadline: March 31**

[Challenge America Fast-Track Grants](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadline: April 11, 2019**

[Guidelines | Arts Midwest Touring Fund](#)

*Arts Midwest*

**Deadline: April 24**

[Radcliffe Institute Accepting Applications for Fellowship Program](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Various**

[Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund](#)

*Awards & Grants | American Library Association*

**Deadline: None. Monthly Review**

[Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Open**

Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Open**

Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Open**

Open Grant Solicitations

*Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State*

**Various**

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

*RFP | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Various**

NALAC Unveils New Funding For Latinx Artists

*National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures*

**Various Deadlines**

Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Open**

Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Grant Applications From Artists With Financial Need

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Open**

Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants

*RFPs | PND*

**Deadline: Open**

Shubert Foundation Accepting Applications for Performing Arts Grants

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: Various**

Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadlines: Various**

Local Systems

*The Kresge Foundation*

**No Deadline**

Community Development Investment Grant

*Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation*

**No deadlines; continually available**

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