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[Creative Economy Week](#)

*Arts Wisconsin and the League of Wisconsin Municipalities*

**May 12 – 19**

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

"Commencement speeches were invented largely in the belief that outgoing college students should never be released into the world until they have been properly sedated." – Garry Trudeau

"Things rust, you know, like the heart. My cardiologist said, 'It's a pump; use it - that's the sole advice I've got to give you.' It's the same in playwriting. Don't theorise about it. Do it." – Peter Shaffer

"The moment an emotion or fact is transformed into a photograph it is no longer a fact but an opinion." – Richard Avedon

"I arise in the morning torn between a desire to improve the world and a desire to enjoy the world. This makes it hard to plan the day." – E. B. White

"I must take issue with the term 'a mere child', for it has been my invariable experience that the company of a mere child is infinitely preferable to that of a mere adult." – Fran Lebowitz

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

[Menominee Indian High School teacher honored as Wisconsin's 'Teacher of the Year'](#)  
*WLUK*

[Heard The Next Viral Hit? Listen To 'I Love The Sound Of Ira Glass'](#)  
*Wisconsin Public Radio*

*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** [Articles of Interest | May 11, 2018](#)  
*National Creativity Network*

[Art Instructor | Donna Lexa Art Centers](#)  
*Nonprofit Center of Milwaukee - Jobs that Serve*  
**Until Filled**

[Associate Academy Director/Director of Next Steps](#)  
*First Stage*  
**Until Filled**

[Applications for New Awards; Assistance for Arts Education-Assistance for Arts Education Development and Dissemination](#)  
*Federal Register*  
**Deadline: May 16**

[Job Opportunity | Marketing Content Manager](#)  
*Wisconsin Public Radio*  
**Deadline: May 28**

[Leveraging the Every Student Succeeds Act to Advocate for the Arts](#)  
*Grantmakers in the Arts*  
**May 29**

[Photo Gallery: Backline Musician Program Ready to Rock Milwaukee](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**Submissions Accepted June 4 – 29**

[Dance/USA 2018 Annual Conference](#)  
*Dance/USA*  
**June 6 – 9 | Los Angeles, CA**

[League of American Orchestras 73rd National Conference](#)  
*League of American Orchestras*  
**June 13 – 15 | Chicago, IL**

Annual Conference

*Americans for the Arts*

**June 14 - 17 | Denver, CO**

2018 Chorus America Conference

*Chorus America*

**June 20 – 23 | Chicago, IL**

Opera America: Opera Conference 2018

*Opera America*

**June 20 – 23 | St. Louis, MO**

Join the worldwide celebration of music on June 21!

*Make Music Day*

**June 21**

Milwaukee Film now accepting entries for 2018 Festival

*The Milwaukee Independent*

**Deadline: June 25**

Entries sought for Wisconsin Wild Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp design contests

*Weekly News | Wisconsin DNR*

**Deadline: July 16**

2018 VSA Intersections: Arts and Special Education Conference

*VSA - Education | The John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts*

**Pre-Conference 5 – 6**

**Conference August 7 – 8**

2018 Wisconsin Small Community Forums (no link currently)

*Wisconsin Rural Partners*

**August 9 | Egg Harbor**

**August 22 | New Glarus**

**September 6 | Pepin**

**September 19 | Hurley**

*More information and registration will be coming soon.*

Arts Midwest Conference

*Arts Midwest*

**September 5 – 8 | Indianapolis**

WRAP/WRAA State Exhibition and Conference

*UW Madison Continuing Studies*

**Exhibition | August 17 – September 22**

**Conference | September 21 – 22**

Wisconsin Science Festival 2018  
*Wisconsin Science Festival*  
**October 11 - 14**

## **IN THE NEWS**

### **Visual Arts/Museums**

ArtWalk draws crowds downtown  
*Beloit Daily News*

Door County Maritime Museum shipwreck exhibit receives state grant  
*Door County Advocate*

Beloit Art Center promoting 'Plein Air'  
*Beloit Daily News*

America's Top Designers Are Both Embracing and Breaking With Tradition  
*At the Smithsonian | Smithsonian*

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

David Pickar wins awards, performs with Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra  
*Wausau Daily Herald*

Students Retrace Civil Rights Era  
*Urban Milwaukee*

BRF musicians shine at state music festival  
*Jackson County Chronicle*

Coulee Region musicians shine at state music festival  
*La Crosse Tribune*

La Crosse Design Institute's Maggie McHugh named Wisconsin's middle school teacher of the year  
*La Crosse Tribune*

'A moral imperative': Gov. Walker weighs state takeover of Milwaukee Public Schools  
*FOX6Now.com*

Abele, Microsoft giving \$500,000 to bring computer science program to more Milwaukee schools  
*BizTimes Media Milwaukee*

Evaluating a Decade of Arts Education Grantmaking  
*Grantmakers in the Arts*

## **Community Arts**

[Volunteer finds South Wood County Arts Council work rewarding](#)  
*Wisconsin Rapids Tribune*

## **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[Community voices reflect on meanings and perceptions of Ramadan](#)  
*Wisconsin Muslim Journal*

## **Literary/Libraries**

[Local Walking Tour Owner Names Next Pfister® Hotel Narrator-in-Residence](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*

## **Media Arts**

[Senate to Vote on Restoring FCC Net Neutrality Rules](#)  
*Variety*

[Does Hollywood Need a PG-15 Rating?](#)  
*The New York Times*

## **Performing Arts**

### **Theater/Opera**

[TCG and AT's Next Steps: A Response to the Open Letter](#)  
*American Theatre*

## **Other**

[The Ugly Truth about Arts Institutions Led by Women of Color](#)  
*HowlRound Theatre Commons*

[Bell Labs' 'Only Human' Art Project Brings People Together Through Tech](#)  
*WIRED*

## **WHEN YOU GO**

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

## **Visual Arts/Museums**

[Art: A Last Look at Winslow Homer](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**To Close May 20**

[Ellison Bay artists hosts annual Spring Art Crawl](#)

*Door County Advocate*

**May 19 – 20**

[1000 Islands Environmental Center: Nature's Images Spring Art Fair 2018](#)

*WeAreGreenBay.com*

**May 20**

[This week's WOW at the Woodson](#)

*Wausau Pilot & Review*

**This Week; Various**

## **Arts and Creativity in Education**

[Middle school students take on UWO campus](#)

*UW Oshkosh Today*

**May 15 – 17**

['Art on the Wild Side' children's camps taking registrations](#)

*Door County Advocate*

**Various**

## **Community Arts**

['Creative Economy Week' shines spotlight on local arts in Eau Claire](#)

*WQOW*

**Through May 19**

[From poetry to metal, Upstage Stigma will start conversations about mental illness](#)

*The Capital Times*

**May 19**

[Event briefs for Tuesday: Glass jewelry workshop slated in Wilmot](#)

*Kenosha News*

**Various**

## **Media Arts**

[Redefining beauty - New documentary explores struggles with body image](#)

*Isthmus*

**May 15**

## **Performing Arts**

### **Music**

[Classical music: The Festival Choir of Madison will perform Slavic music – including several U.S. and world premieres — under a guest Spanish conductor this Saturday](#)

[night](#)

*The Well-Tempered Ear*

**May 19**

[Milwaukee Festival Brass performs "Festival City Postcards"](#)

*Shepherd Express*

**May 20**

[Franklin Elsie Memorial Bandstand Encore Celebration slated for June 6](#)

*Lake Mills Leader*

**June 6**

### **Presenting**

[Singer/songwriter Bobby Jo Valentine in concert at Shepherd of the Bay](#)

*Door County Advocate*

**May 19**

[If you see people crying at Brat Fest, Dead Horses may be to blame](#)

*The Capital Times*

**May 28, June 8**

[Soggy Prairie Boys to entertain Cows on the Concourse](#)

*Sun Prairie Star*

**June 2**

[Mile of Music: Lineup gets another 50 artists added](#)

*Appleton Post-Crescent*

**August 2 – 5**

[8 top Wisconsin summer music festivals to check out in 2018](#)

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

**Various**

[American Girl Live Comes to the Marcus Center for the Performing Arts](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**May 2019**

### **Theater/Opera**

[Milwaukee Repertory Theater Presents the World Premiere of \*Lost Girl\*](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**July 19 – 22**

## **OPPORTUNITIES**

[Call for Artists – Reedikulus Arts Crawl](#)

*Reedsburg ArtsLink*

**Deadline: May 15**

[Get Ready Grants](#)

*CERF+*

**Deadline: May 15**

[Submit Art for Science Rising](#)

*PRNewswire*

**Deadline: May 15**

[2018 AARP Community Challenge](#)

*AARP*

**Deadline: May 16**

Also

[AARP Community Challenge Project Examples](#)

*AARP*

[Aaron Siskind Foundation Invites Applications for 2018 Individual Photographer's Fellowships](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 18**

[ArtSeed Grants Program](#)

*Racine Arts Council*

**Deadline: May 20**

[Arts Writers Grant Program](#)

*Creative Capital | Andy Warhol Foundation*

**Deadline: May 21**

[Figures of Speech](#)

*Anderson Museum of Art*

**Deadline: May 22**

[Spark Grants Program RFP](#)

*Joan Ganz Cooney Center*

**Deadline: May 22**

[Call for Artists | 56th Annual Juried Exhibit](#)

*The Hardy Gallery*

**Deadline: May 24**

[2018 Stevens Point Sculpture Park Juried Call](#)

*Stevens Point Sculpture Park*

**Deadline: May 25**



Common Heritage

*National Endowment for the Humanities*

**Deadline: May 31**

Artistic Solar Public Art Project

*City of Ashland Wisconsin*

**Deadline: June 1**

Nature Connects® Build-tanical Challenge

*Green Bay Botanical Garden*

**Deadline: June 1**

Milwaukee, meet Backline: A start-up accelerator to amplify Milwaukee's music scene

*88Nine Radio Milwaukee*

**Apply: June 3 – 29**

Also

Photo Gallery: Backline Musician Program Ready to Rock Milwaukee

*Urban Milwaukee*

**Submissions Accepted June 3 – 29**

Digital Humanities Advancement Grants

*National Endowment for the Humanities*

**Deadline: June 5**

Make Room Call to Artists: Request for Proposals

*Make Room*

**Deadline: June 8**

Image Design Competition

*Mosaic Arts Inc*

**Deadline: June 15**

Pablo Center announces call for artists for first exhibit

*Eau Claire Leader-Telegram*

**Deadline: June 18**

Crayola Invites Proposals From Elementary Schools for 2018 Creative Leadership Grants

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: June 22**

Milwaukee Film now accepting entries for 2018 Festival

*The Milwaukee Independent*

**Deadline: June 25**

PEN America Accepting Applications for Writing for Justice Fellowships

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: July 1**

[ART WORKS Guidelines: Grant Program Description](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadline: July 12**

[Entries sought for Wisconsin Wild Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp design contests](#)

*Weekly News | Wisconsin DNR*

**Deadline: July 16**

[NEH Adds Second Humanities Infrastructure Grant Program for 2018](#)

*National Endowment for the Humanities*

**Deadline: August 1**

[OUR TOWN: Introduction](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadline: August 9**

['Art Slam Manitowoc' inaugural downtown show makes call for artists](#)

*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*

**Deadline: August 15**

[YoungArts Foundation Invites Applications for 2018 Young Artists Prize](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 12**

[Women's Studio Workshop Invites Applications for Art-in-Education Artist Book Residency](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: November 15**

[Ezra Jack Keats Foundation Invites Entries for New Writer and Illustrator Children's Book Awards](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: December 31**

[Fender Music Foundation Announces Guitar Donations to Nonprofit Music Instruction Programs](#)

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: January 17, 2019**

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

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: February 15, 2019**

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

*RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest*

**Various**

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**

The less art kids get, the more it shows.  
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[http://www.artsusa.org/public\\_awareness](http://www.artsusa.org/public_awareness)

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