QUOTE OF THE DAY

“Life is a long lesson in humility.” – James M. Barrie

“First, I do not sit down at my desk to put into verse something that is already clear in my mind. If it were clear in my mind, I should have no incentive or need to write about it. We do not write in order to be understood; we write in order to understand.” – Robert Cecil Day Lewis

“Like the wind crying endlessly through the universe, Time carries away the names and the deeds of conquerors and commoners alike. And all that we are, all that remains, is in the memories of those who cared we came this way for a brief moment.” – Harlan Ellison

“The more clearly we can focus our attention on the wonders and realities of the universe about us the less taste we shall have for the destruction of our race. Wonder and humility are wholesome emotions, and they do not exist side by side with a lust for destruction.” – Rachel Carson

“They were so strong in their beliefs that there came a time when it hardly mattered what exactly those beliefs were; they all fused into a single stubbornness.” – Louise Erdrich

“A committee is a group that keeps minutes and loses hours.” – Milton Berle

VIDEO OF THE DAY

Bugles Across America: Honoring our Veterans with Taps
WeAreGreenBay.com
In the Wake of Our Shadow: Carlyle Brown
American Players Theatre

2021 Poetry Out Loud Finalists Reflections
National Endowment for the Arts

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!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW On George Floyd—A Year Later
National Endowment for the Arts

NEW Should Cultural Entities Relax Their Mask Mandates Yet? (DATA)
Colleen Dilenschneider | Know Your Own Bone

NEW International Arts Education Week
UNESCO
May 24 – 30

NEW Gov. Evers Announces Application Dates for $420 Million in Wisconsin Tomorrow Small Business Recovery Grants
Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation
Through June 7

“Individuals and businesses interested in learning more about the Wisconsin Tomorrow Small Business Recovery Grant program by visiting the main page of the Department of Revenue, revenue.wi.gov.”

NEW Cultural Institutions Still Waiting for $16 Billion in Federal Aid
The New York Times

NEW NCN Articles of Interest | May 21, 2021
National Creativity Network

Wisconsin Nonprofit Compensation & Benefits Survey
Helen Bader Institute for Nonprofit Management / UWM
Fill this survey out through June 25

Wisconsin Artists and Arts Organizations: Participate in the New COVID-19 Impact Surveys Today! (links below)
Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief
COVID-19 Impact Survey for Organizations
COVID-19 Impact Survey for Artists

2021 Marketplace Re-opening Materials
Covering Wisconsin

Need health insurance but don’t know where to turn? Covering Wisconsin can help.

Shuttered Venue Operators Grants - FAQ (sba.gov)
US Small Business Administration

More information on the Shuttered Venue Operators Grants (SVOG) can be found on the SBA website: Shuttered Venue Operators Grant (sba.gov).

ANALYSIS: COVID-19's Impacts on the Arts and Culture
COVID-19 RSFLG Data and Assessment Working Group

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage

Job Opportunities

Job Opportunity | Preservation & Facilities Manager
Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts
Deadline to receive priority consideration: May 28

Job Opportunity | Program Manager
Shake Rag Alley Center for the Arts
Deadline to receive priority consideration: May 28

NEW Job Opportunity | Director of Development
Madison Museum of Contemporary Art
Application review begins June 1

NEW Job Opportunity | Digital Content Coordinator
Madison Museum of Contemporary Art
Deadline: June 1

Job Opportunity | Community Engagement Coordinator
Thelma Sadoff Center for the Arts
Deadline: Until Filled

Job Opportunity | Corporate Relations Specialist
John Michael Kohler Arts Center
Deadline: Until Filled
Job Opportunity | Director of Finance  
*Milwaukee Rep*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled

Special Events Manager | First Stage  
*Big Shoes Network*  
**Until Filled**

Job Opportunity | Gallery Manager  
*Eckels Pottery and Fine Craft Gallery*  
**Until Filled**

Job Opportunity | VP of Marketing, Communications and Visitor Experience  
*Milwaukee Public Museum*  
**Until Filled**

Arts and Culture Career Specialist  
*Carthage College*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled

Opera for the Young Operations Manager  
*Opera for the Young*  
**Until Filled**

Managing Director, Strategic National Arts Alumni Project  
*University of Texas at Austin (Remote Position)*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled

Careers  
*gener8tor*  
**Deadline:** Various

Development and Engagement Manager  
*Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled

Join the Board  
*AIGA Wisconsin*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled

Board Treasurer | Master Singers of Milwaukee  
*Jobs That Help*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled

Job Opportunity | Director of Programs  
*Arts@Large*  
**Deadline:** Until Filled
Executive Director | Bergstrom Mahler Museum of Glass
The QTI Group
Deadline: Until Filled

Member Services Associate
Museum of Wisconsin Art
Deadline: Until Filled

Deadlines | Resources | Events

**Opera Conference 2021**
Opera America
Through May 27 | Virtual Event

**Virtual Summit | Mark Your Calendars!**
Wisconsin Rural Partners
Through June 2

**NEH Virtual Grant Workshops**
National Endowment for the Humanities
Through June 3

**All In Productions Announces Non-Equity Diversity General Auditions**
Urban Milwaukee
Through June 13

**Blue Star Museums Nationwide Offer Free Admission to Military Families**
National Endowment for the Arts
Through September 6

**Public Art: Exploring the Possibilities**
Wisconsin Arts Board and Arts Wisconsin
May 27, 10-11 am CT

**Poetry Out Loud National Finals Broadcast May 2 and 27, 2021 at Arts.gov**
National Endowment for the Arts
May 27 | Poetry Out Loud National Finals

**Creative Aging Community Conversation Registration**
National Guild for Community Arts Education
May 27

**Public Art Regional Workshop - Osceola**
Osceola Discovery Center, Arts Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and Wisconsin Main Street
June 2
Public Art Regional Workshop - Waupaca
Waupaca Community Arts Board, Arts Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and Wisconsin Main Street
June 3

Public Art Regional Workshop - Janesville
Downtown Janesville, Inc., Arts Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and Wisconsin Main Street
June 4

#AAM2021 Registration is open
American Alliance of Museums
June 7 - 9 | Virtual

League of American Orchestras 76th National Conference
League of American Orchestras
June 7 – 17 | Virtual Event

2021 Annual Convention
Americans for the Arts
June 8 – 11

NEW Call for Proposals: Sessions + Speakers
Arts Midwest Conference
Deadline: June 14

AACTFest 2021
American Association of Community Theatre
June 14 – 20 | Virtual

The Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference
P3C
June 17 - 18 | San Diego

2021 International Thespian Festival
International Thespian Society
June 22 – 25 | Virtual Event

Call for Conference Storytellers | Sharing Stories: The Case for Art
Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities
Deadline: June 30

POSTPONED 2020 Conference
Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums
July 2021 | Milwaukee
Accelerator Awards Applications Now Available
The Lewis Prize for Music
Deadline: July 16

Also
May 27 | Webinar #1 - Informational Session

June 10 | Webinar #2 - A Conversation on Language: What is Creative Youth Development and Systems Change?

June 24 | Webinar #3 - Accelerator Awardee Chat with DeLashea Strawder

Nō Studios Artist Grant: Grants for Wisconsin Creatives

- **Film** - Applications must be received by **July 17, 2021**. Grant awardees will be selected by October 1, 2021
- **Other Creative Professionals** (Theater/Dance/Performance/Spoken Word/Fashion)
  - Applications must be received by **December 10, 2021**. Grant awardees will be selected in February 2022.

John Ridley Launches Nō Studios Artist Grant Program to Help Wisconsin's Creatives During the Pandemic
Milwaukee Independent

2021 AATE National Conference
American Alliance for Theatre Education
July 21 – 25 | Virtual Event

Play Make Learn
Professional Learning and Community Education (PLACE)
August 5 – 6

Apply for The 2022 Joyce Awards
The Joyce Foundation
Deadline: September 13 (Letter of Inquiry)

2021 NDEO Virtual National Convention
National Dance Education Organization
October 7 – 10 | Virtual Event

Ethno USA 2021
Ethno
October 9 – 20 | Asheville, NC

2021 Emerging Program Institute | Virtual
Alliance for Artist Communities
October 11 – 23
Statewide Diversity Conference to Be Held in Eau Claire
*Volume One Magazine*
*October 12 – 13*

2021 Wisconsin Science Festival
*Wisconsin Science Festival*
*October 21 – 24*

Save the NEW Date!
*Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference*
*October 28 – 29 | San Diego*

Announcing the GIG Fund
*Arts Midwest*
*Deadline #2: November 3 for projects happening January through June, 2022*

Sharing Stories: The Case for Art
*Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities*
*November 3 - 5 | Online*

  Conference proposals are due by May 21.

CODAsummit: The Intersection of Art, Technology and Place
*CODAworx*
*November 10 – 12 | Scottsdale, AZ & Virtual*

2022 Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism
*Wisconsin Department of Tourism*
*March 13 – 15, 2022*

Online Workshops and Conversations
*Creative Capital*
*Various*

**IN THE NEWS**

**Visual Arts/Museums**

5 Interesting Facts About Local Historian-Artist-Collaborator Adam Carr
*Milwaukee Magazine*

Milwaukee Blacksmith makes 6-foot Bloody Mary sculpture for Sobelman's
*OnMilwaukee.com*

Healing Reflections: New Mayo Clinic Mural Depicts Growth
*Volume One Magazine*
Yup, Selfie WRLD MKE Is a Thing Now
Milwaukee Magazine

Calling All Artists! Join The 2021 Tallman Arts Festival
Rock County Historical Society
Deadline: June 30

Museum expands hours, partners with ice cream shop
Eau Claire Leader-Telegram

Arts and Creativity in Education

Virginia Nuske helped found the Wisconsin Indian Education Association in 1985. As she retires, she knows work is left to be done.
Green Bay Press Gazette

What We Watch: Peg Billing, Lakeland Union High School
PBS Wisconsin

Community Arts

Vacant Building To Become Creative Hub
Eyes on Milwaukee | Urban Milwaukee

Also
A first-time developer -- and model and photographer -- will transform dilapidated Harambee site into collective working and learning space
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Former Smith Elementary School in Oshkosh added to Wisconsin Register of Historic Places | Streetwise
Oshkosh Northwestern

Wisconsin's downtowns honored in virtual program for 30th annual Main Street Awards
EIN Presswire

Folk Arts/Folklife

How Hmong Women Created a Support System for Themselves
Urban Milwaukee, Milwaukee Neighborhood News Service

Literary Arts/Libraries

Story Stroll unveiled at Hodag Park
Northwoods Star Journal

Eric Carle, Creator Of 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar,' Has Died
Wisconsin Public Radio, NPR News
Luther Hughes | When Struck by Night
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

Tyshun Wardlaw Shines Light on the Black Youth Experience in Growing Up Milwaukee, Now on HBO Max
Screen Magazine

Jeff Bezos on MGM Acquisition: Amazon Will ‘Reimagine’ Studio Franchises ‘for the 21st Century’
Variety

Also
James Bond, Meet Jeff Bezos: Amazon Makes $8.45 Billion Deal for MGM
The New York Times

Performing Arts

Music

Why is Spotify is leaning into virtual concerts right as live music is coming back?
Mic

Theater

Celebrating a night of live theater
Isthmus

Open-Air Performances Return, With Some Caution and Caveats
American Theatre

Broadway’s Tony Awards, Delayed by Pandemic, Set for September
The New York Times

Other

ICYMI: "Remaking the economy: Core elements of system change"
Grantmakers in the Arts

After a Year of Zoom Galas, Are Charities and Donors Ready to Party — and Attend Other Events — in Person?
The Chronicle of Philanthropy

They’ve Given $6 Million to the Arts. No One Knew Them, Until Now.
The New York Times
Nonprofit Pro

WHEN YOU GO

Visual Arts/Museums

**Rusty Coop Vintage Barn Market in Kewaunee brings something new to Wisconsin:** a 'big party' with boutique shopping
*Green Bay Press Gazette*
*June 4 - 5*

Arts and Creativity in Education

**Bare Your Soul Through Art With Bared Feet Co.**
*Volume One Magazine*
*Tuesdays | June - October*

Community Arts

**Supervisor Taylor to Host Biweekly Summer Event Series in County Parks**
*Urban Milwaukee*
*Begins May 28*

**The Week Ahead: Brat Fest, burlesque, Bach Dancing concerts and more**
*The Capital Times*
*May 28 – 31*

An art walk is scheduled to join a packed downtown Menomonee Falls event lineup this summer
*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*
*June 25*

Arts & Culture
*Madison Magazine*
*Various*

Literary Arts/Libraries

**Author to speak on parental dementia June 2 at Sun Prairie Library**
*Sun Prairie Star*
*June 2*

**In photos: 'Pick up a book, and pick up some lunch' | Racine Public Library now hosting food trucks every Wednesday**
*Racine Journal Times*
*Wednesdays*
Marathon County Public Library activities
Wausau Pilot & Review
Various

Media Arts

What’s New on PBS Wisconsin In June?
PBS Wisconsin
June

Performing Arts

Music

'We want to come roaring back': Madison Symphony, Opera announce 21-22 seasons
The Capital Times
Season

Presenting

Madison Jazz Festival
Isthmus
June 11 – 20

Theater/Opera

Door Shakespeare’s HAMLET First Performance Is June 30
BroadwayWorld.com
June 30 – August 17

'Swe want to come roaring back': Madison Symphony, Opera announce 21-22 seasons
The Capital Times
Season

Skylight Music Theatre plans full-capacity ‘21-‘22 season, with 'Full Monty,' 'Shop of Horrors,' more
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
Season

OPPORTUNITIES

RJE Sprout Fund Invites Proposals From Artists Working With Underserved Communities
PND by Candid
Deadline: Rolling
Call for Artwork
Northeast Wisconsin Technical College
Monthly Review

NEW Gov. Evers Announces Application Dates for $420 Million in Wisconsin Tomorrow
Small Business Recovery Grants
Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation
Through June 7

Art on the Trailway
Greater Greenwood (IN) Arts Council
Deadline: May 28

WEDC: Bring big ideas to life downtown
WisBusiness
Deadline: May 28

Reese Witherspoon launches fellowship for women writers
Bizwomen
Deadline: May 30

Warren Gerds/Critic at Large: Sturgeon Bay’s Miller Art Museum announces residency program
WeAreGreenBay.com
Deadline: May 31

2021 CODAawards
CODAworx
Deadline: May 31

NEW Donate plastic bottle caps for youth community art project
ArtWorks for Milwaukee
Through June 1

Prairie Ronde Invites Applications for Fall Artists Residencies
PND by Candid
Deadline: June 1

American Players Theater seeks playwrights for development program aimed at creating tomorrow’s classics
Madison 365
Deadline: June 1

Got an Idea For a New Mural? Submit Your Design to ColorBlock Through June 1
Volume One Magazine
Deadline: June 1
PEN America Invites Applications for PEN/Heim Translation Fund  
PND by Candid  
**Deadline:** June 1

Donald Keene Center of Japanese Culture Invites Applications for Japanese Literature Translation Awards  
PND by Candid  
**Deadline:** June 1

PEN America Invites Applications for Jean Stein Grant for Literary Oral History  
PND by Candid  
**Deadline:** June 1

PEN America Invites Applications for PEN/Phyllis Naylor Grant for Children's and Young Adult Novelists  
PND by Candid  
**Deadline:** June 1

**NEW** Call for Applications | City of Oshkosh Poet Laureate 2021  
*Oshkosh Public Library*  
**Deadline:** June 7

Queering the Cream City  
*SaveArtSpace.org*  
**Deadline:** June 7

DART Art Shelter Request for Qualifications (RFQ)  
*Iowa Arts Council*  
**Deadline:** June 10

2021-22 UPAF Affiliate Group Application  
*UPAF*  
**Deadline:** June 11

Is your organization eligible? Find out [here](#).

**YOU Can Host A Classical Music Show On WORT!**  
*89.9 WORT FM*  
**Deadline:** June 13

Call for Artists | Everything COVID  
*Overture Center for the Arts*  
**Deadline:** June 14

Design Competition Launched for New Cold War Vets in Somers, WI  
*Chicago, IL Patch*  
**Deadline:** June 15
NEW Want to Create a “Fire” Mural at The Fire House? Submit Your Ideas By June 18!
Volume One Magazine
Deadline: June 18

Thoughtful Invitations to Rural Communities
Alliance for Artist Communities
June 23

Call for Artists | Confluence of Art Annual Exhibition
Pablo Center at the Confluence
Deadline: June 25

Alien Invasion: RAM Virtual Community Art Show
Racine Art Museum
Deadline: June 28

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Call for Conference Storytellers | Sharing Stories: The Case for Art
Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities
Deadline: June 30

NEW Aaron Copland Fund for Music Invites Applications for Performance Program
PND by Candid
Deadline: June 30

Call for Art | Marking Lives COVID-19
Elizabeth Awalt | #markinglivescovid19
Deadline: July 1

NEW Submit Your Films for This Year’s EC International Film Festival!
Volume One Magazine
Deadline: July 3

Funding Opportunity: NEH and UK Arts and Humanities Research Council Support Digital Innovation
National Endowment for the Humanities
Deadline: July 8

RFQ: Main Street Art Project
City of Waupaca
Deadline: July 12

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**NEW** UP residents, organizations can apply for American-Scandinavian Foundation art fellowship, grant opportunities
TV 6 | UpperMichigansSource.com
**Deadline:** August 1

**Engaging + Selecting Artists**
Alliance for Artist Communities
**August 11**

**Beyond Ramps: Accessibility for Artist Residencies**
Alliance for Artist Communities
**September 8**

**UW–Madison Division of the Arts Announces a major change to the Interdisciplinary Arts Residency Program**
UW-Madison Division of the Arts
**Deadline:** September 13

**Apply for The 2022 Joyce Awards**
The Joyce Foundation
**Deadline:** September 13 (Letter of Inquiry)

**Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund**
Awards & Grants | American Library Association
**Deadline:** None. Monthly Review

**Open Grant Solicitations**
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State
**Various**

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