

WISCONSIN ARTS NEWS



50 Years!

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

“True heroism is remarkably sober, very undramatic. It is not the urge to surpass all others at whatever cost, but the urge to serve others at whatever cost.” – Arthur Ashe

“By art alone we are able to get outside ourselves, to know what another sees of this universe which for him is not ours, the landscapes of which would remain as unknown to us as those of the moon. Thanks to art, instead of seeing one world, our own, we see it multiplied and as many original artists as there are, so many worlds are at our disposal, differing more widely from each other than those which roll round the infinite and which, whether their name be Rembrandt or Vermeer, send us their unique rays many centuries after the hearth from which they emanate is extinguished.”

“This labour of the artist to discover a means of apprehending beneath matter and experience, beneath words, something different from their appearance, is of an exactly contrary nature to the operation in which pride, passion, intelligence and habit are constantly engaged within us when we spend our lives without self-communion, accumulating as though to hide our true impressions, the terminology for practical ends which we falsely call life.” – Marcel Proust

[Notable Quotable: Petra Kuppers, Disability Culture Activist and Community Performance Artist](#)

National Endowment for the Arts Blog

“What marks the artist is his power to shape the material of pain we all have.” – Lionel Trilling

“While we have the gift of life, it seems to me the only tragedy is to allow part of us to die – whether it is our spirit, our creativity or our glorious uniqueness.” – Gilda Radner

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Display of decorated boots highlights stories of female veterans](#)
Spectrum News 1

[Jake Daggett: Embracing Structure within the Gray](#)
CreativeMornings HQ

[The Arts Page Segment Chris T Cornelius' ukwé-tase OOK wee tah ZAY makes a statement at MOWA](#)
Milwaukee PBS - The Arts Page

[Julius Rodriguez: Tiny Desk Concert](#)
NPR Music

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 [Announcing the Midwest Culture Bearers Award](#)
Arts Midwest
Deadline: July 29

NEW [Arts and Culture Funding: Success Stories and Ongoing Challenges](#)
Americans for the Arts

[Value of Volunteer Time](#)
Independent Sector

[NEA FY 2025 Grant Opportunities Now Available](#)
National Endowment for the Arts
Deadlines: Various

50th Anniversary Materials

Celebrate the Arts Board's 50th Anniversary in your Region!

One to go! We'll host a virtual celebration on July 16. Learn more here and join us!

July 16 @ 11:30 am | register for meeting link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DBTXRF2>

Also

[Arts Board Marks 50 Years of Service to the People of Wisconsin Looking Back, Imagining Forward](#)

Wisconsin Arts Board

[Video | Wisconsin Arts Board's 50th Anniversary](#)

Governor Evers' [Certificate of Commendation](#)

The Arts Board's new [Instagram](#) account.

[Mai Zong Vue](#)

50 Artists for 50 Years

Click <https://wab50.com/50-artists-for-50-years/> to view all the featured artists so far.

For the Wisconsin Arts Board's 50th Anniversary, we are spotlighting 50 Artists for 50 Years from August 2023 to July 2024! A reminder that we are continuing to accept artist (self or other) nominations from around the state. We are spotlighting artists working in all the visual, literary, and performing arts disciplines, including performers (actors, musicians, dancers, etc.), composers, writers, artists engaged in the many aspects of film-making, of theater-making, of dance-making, of multimedia/multidisciplinary art-making, and folk and traditional art practices. Email any questions to artsboard@wisconsin.gov.

[Wisconsin Schools Celebrate WAB's 50th](#)

Also

[Wisconsin Arts Celebration Project Overview](#)

Celebrating your 50th anniversary this year in 2023 and/or 2024?

Let us know!

We'd like to share our spotlight with you.

Send us a link to your online celebration information and we'll post it on our 50th website.

And Happy 50th Anniversary!

[The Indiegogo Arts Campaign Handbook](#)
Indiegogo

NEW [NCN Articles of Interest | June 28, 2024](#)
National Creativity Network

Job Opportunities

NEW [Finance and Operations Officer](#)
Wisconsin Department of Tourism
Deadline: July 14, Until Filled

[Arts Council Deputy Director](#)
Nebraska Arts Council
Deadline: July 22

[Maintenance Technician 1](#)
Madison Children's Museum
Deadline: Until Filled

[Resource Staff- Afterschool Arts & Humanities](#)
Milwaukee Public Schools
Deadline: Until Filled

[Associate Dean of Students](#)
Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design (MIAD)
Initial Review: Until Filled

[Admissions Counselor](#)
Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design (MIAD)
Initial Review: Until Filled

[School Registrar](#)
Milwaukee Ballet
Deadline: Until Filled

[Data Systems Administrator](#)
Milwaukee Ballet
Deadline: Until Filled

[Ticket Office Representative](#)
Next Act Theatre
Deadline: Until Filled

[Art Jewelry Forum Seeks Executive Director](#)
Art Jewelry Forum
Deadline: Until Filled

Careers

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Deadline: Various

Deadlines | Resources | Events

America's Invitation | Share Your Story

America 250

Deadline: Before July 4, 2026

Museums Nationwide Provide Free Admission to Military Families This Summer

National Endowment for the Arts

Through September 2

National Forum on Education Policy

Education Commission of the States

July 10 – 12 | Washington, D.C.

2024 Virtual String Teachers Summit

American String Teachers Association

July 15 – 16 | Virtual

National Education Summit

Smithsonian Education

July 16 - 18 | Online * Washington DC

2024 Play Make Learn Conference

UW-Madison School of Education's Department of Curriculum and Instruction and the office of Professional Learning and Community Education (PLACE)

July 17 | Preconference

July 18 - 19 | Conference

AATE National Conference

American Alliance for Theatre and Education

July 17 – 20 | Chicago, IL

2024 Conference

Association of Midwest Museums

July 24 | Virtual Day

July 31 - August 3 | In-person Conference

Arts for EveryBody

One Nation/One Project

July 27

Proud that Rhinelander, WI is one of the 18 communities!

2024 Wisconsin Creativity Summit

Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

August 7

Collaboration, Community, and Creativity: Rural Arts and Creativity Forum 2024

Create Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and The Acreage at Osceola

September 4

The NAMM Foundation-College Music Society Fellows Program

NAMM Foundation and the College Music Society

Deadline: September 9

Annual Convening

Arts Education Partnership

September 12 - 13 | Pittsburgh

2024 Conference

Alliance for Wisconsin Theater Education

September 20 | Mitby Theatre, Madison College

Theatre Education Conference

Educational Theatre Association

September 26 – 29 | Minneapolis, MN

Race Forward and Americans for the Arts Announce 'Cultural Week of Action on Race and Democracy'

Americans for the Arts

September 27 – October 5

Annual Dance Conference 2024

Wisconsin Dance Council

October 12 | CAL Arts Center, Reedsburg

Wisconsin Science Festival

Wisconsin Science Festival

October 14 – 20

CODASummit: Art Technology and Place

CODAworx

October 16 – 18 | Cincinnati, OH

2024 Wisconsin State Music Conference

Wisconsin Music Educators Association

October 23 - 26

2024 Conference

Wisconsin Art Education Association

October 24 – 25 | Black River Falls Middle School

[2024 Arts Schools Network Annual Conference](#)
Arts Schools Network
October 24 – 25 | Washington, D.C.

[Opportunity Grants](#)
Wisconsin Humanities
Deadlines: November 1, March 1

[Online Workshops and Conversations](#)
Creative Capital
Various

[Webinars](#)
Performing Arts Readiness
Various

[Springboard for the Arts Calendar of Events](#)
Springboard for the Arts
Various

[Upcoming Events](#)
Access/VSA International Network
Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

[Telling stories and casting spells: Pfister Hotel’s Artist in Residence Heidi Parkes on her diary quilts](#)
Wisconsin Life

[LEARNING THROUGH LEATHER: Gramps Creative Carves Deeper Meaning From Art](#)
Volume One Magazine

[This Spectacular Lake House Retreat Is Like Living in an Art Installation](#)
Microsoft Start | House Beautiful

[How Lonnie G. Bunch III Is Renovating the “Nation’s Attic”](#)
The New Yorker

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Joint Finance Committee releases aid for communities losing 2-year UW schools](#)
Wisconsin Public Radio

Community Arts

[United Performing Arts Fund seeks to raise \\$3 million in next 8 weeks](#)

BizTimes Milwaukee

Deadline: August 31

['It's our responsibility to give back': Manitowoc community rallies to support Jason and Tina](#)

[Prigge](#)

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter

[Episode 100 | Further Adventures of L. O. Sloan](#)

Change the Story / Change the World • Bill Cleveland

Folk Arts/Folklife

[WPR host catches kubb fever](#)

Wisconsin Public Radio

[More Indigenous youth are learning to spearfish, a connection to ancestors and the land](#)

Newsday, AP

Literary Arts/Libraries

[Meeting Goals & Making Friends: Area Author Pens Children's Books](#)

Volume One Magazine

[Announcing Wisconsin People & Ideas Poetry and Fiction Contest Finalists!](#)

Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters

[Madison Public Library's Naturalist-in-Residence Alex Booker: A steward of land and community](#)

Madison365

[Generative AI Text-to-Image: Artist, Audience and the Comic Book Industry](#)

Arts Management & Technology Laboratory

[Summer Farah | After Mount Tamalpais, I Tell Etel Adnan About Supernatural](#)

Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Performing Arts

Music

[Podcast: Milwaukee's Rising Musicians](#)

Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra

[Cloud Cult Are Previewing Their Upcoming Album 'Alchemy Creek' With A New Single, 'The Universe Woke Up As You' - The album, written and recorded in a Wisconsin cabin, explores themes of personal control and perspective.](#)

Dork

[What is the best Beethoven symphony?](#)
The Well-Tempered Ear

Presenting

[Marcus Performing Arts Center steers toward financial instability. Can the county help?](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Theater/Opera

[The Five Women Who Started a Secret Theater Society](#)
The New York Times

[Willem Dafoe Named Artistic Director of Venice Biennale Theater Department](#)
Variety

Other

[Everyday Donors Want to Give. Here's How to Find Them.](#)
Philanthropy Today | The Chronicle of Philanthropy

WHEN YOU GO

For more event listings, please go to the new Wisconsin Events page on TravelWisconsin.com: <https://www.travelwisconsin.com/events>.

Visual Arts/Museums

[Arresting Beauty: Julia Margaret Cameron](#)
Milwaukee Art Museum
Through July 28

[Weaving a Legacy: Ho-Chunk Nation to Open 200+ Basket Exhibit](#)
Native News Online
August 3 – November 10

Also
[MOWA presents first-ever Comprehensive Black Ash Basket Exhibition](#)
Washington County Insider
August 3 – November 10

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Angels in America Part I: Millennium Approaches](#)
Wisconsin State Journal
July 25 – August 4

Community Arts

[Joy Engine Presents: ArtBlaze](#)

Joy Engine

July 10, 31, August 7, 21

[Join us for a Special Event - A Healing Sound bath, Rain Garden Refresh and Art in the Park | The Corridor](#)

Urban Milwaukee

July 11

[Through food, RiverFest highlights Native American history, culture](#)

Hudson Star-Observer

July 16 – 20

[Milwaukee Brewers, Ironworkers, to honor workers who died in Big Blue crane collapse.](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

July 14

[See where RNC-related events will be held throughout the Milwaukee area](#)

BizTimes Milwaukee

July 14 – 18

Folk Arts/Folklife

[Weaving a Legacy: Ho-Chunk Nation to Open 200+ Basket Exhibit](#)

Native News Online

August 3 – November 10

Literary Arts/Libraries

[Meg Jones Author Fest at Oak Creek Public Library](#)

Oak Creek, WI Patch

September 7

Performing Arts

Presenting

[Haitian musical ambassador Wesli to perform in Madison on July 21](#)

Madison365

July 21

[19 Local Acts Performing In Milwaukee This July](#)

Milwaukee Magazine

Various | July

[EDM Festival 'Force Fields' Coming to The Valley Next Year](#)
Volume One Magazine
June 6 – 7, 2025

Theater/Opera

[Jane Eyre, the Musical](#)
Waukesha, WI Patch
Through July 21

[Milwaukee theaters staging productions in response to Republican National Convention here](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
"Red, White and Coup" | July 13 - 15, 18 - 20, 25 – 27
"It Can't Happen Here – Again" | July 18 – 19

[Shakespeare in the City Presents: Macbeth by the Pocket Park Puppet Players](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel
July 20

OPPORTUNITIES

[Opportunities for July and August 2024](#)
Creative Capital
Various | July & August

[Public Art Conservation Fund Application and Guidelines](#)
City of Milwaukee Arts Board
Deadline: Rolling, as long as funds remain, in order they are received.

[Artist Residency](#)
Wormfarm Institute
Applications reviewed on a rolling basis through Mid-March

[NEA FY 2025 Grant Opportunities Now Available](#)
National Endowment for the Arts
Deadlines: Various

[America's Invitation | Share Your Story](#)
America 250
Deadline: Before July 4, 2026

[Springboard for the Arts Calendar of Events](#)
Springboard for the Arts
Various

Are you raising impact capital for the creative economy?

UpStart Co-Lab

Deadline: Open

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

Hometown Grants

T-Mobile

Grant Periods:

July - September | Fall

Anyone Can Be An MMOCA Volunteer For The 66th Annual Art Fair On The Square!

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art

July 13 – 14

Loughaven Artist Residency invites applications

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: July 15

NEW SO, WHAT'S NEXT? Filmmakers Launch Kickstarter for Horror Comedy Short

Volume One Magazine

Deadline: July 16

M&C Saatchi Group and Saatchi Gallery invite applications for 2024 Art for Change Prize

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: July 17

2024 Voices of Lincoln Poetry Contest

Poets Club of Lincoln

Deadline: July 18

Lab^4: A Community Curation Project

Art + Literature Laboratory

Deadline: July 31

AXS Film Fund invites applications from creators of color in documentary filmmaking or nonfiction new media

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: July 31

PEN America invites applications for Bare Life Review Grants program

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: August 1

PEN America invites applications for PEN/Phyllis Naylor Grant for Children's and Young Adult Novelists

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: August 1

DNR Now Accepting Artwork for the 2025 Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp Contest

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources

Deadline: August 1

Plein Air at the Fair Contest Returns to the 175th Walworth County Fair

Lake Geneva Regional News

Deadline: August 8

Youth Quilters Invited To Enter Kids' Quilt Challenge

Tomahawk Leader

Deadline: August 9

Dance/USA Invites Initial Applications for the Third Round of Dance/USA Fellowships to Artists Program

Dance/USA

Deadline: August 15

NEW League of Wisconsin Municipalities Calls for 126th Annual Conference Artist-in-Residence Proposals

League of Wisconsin Municipalities

Deadline: August 30

NEW United Performing Arts Fund seeks to raise \$3 million in next 8 weeks

BizTimes Milwaukee

Deadline: August 31

Short Film Fest Accepting Submissions Now

Door County Pulse

August 31 | Early Bird Deadline

December 31 | Final Deadline

The NAMM Foundation-College Music Society Fellows Program

NAMM Foundation and the College Music Society

Deadline: September 9

Opportunity Grants

Wisconsin Humanities

Deadlines: November 1, March 1

Civic Music MKE Educator Awards
Civic Music MKE
Nominations Open: October 2024
Deadline: November 30, 2024

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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