

WISCONSIN ARTS NEWS



Partnering with Artists and Organizations for Our Wisconsin Communities

September 18, 2026

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National Arts in Education Week

Americans for the Arts

September 13 – 19, 2026

Wisconsin Arts in Education Week Proclamation

Governor Tony Evers

September 13 – 19, 2026

Hispanic Heritage Month

National Museum of the American Latino

September 15 – October 15

QUOTE OF THE DAY

“It’s part of what we do as artists: tell the truth and reflect what’s going on in the world. The artists I’ve always looked up to were the artists that were willing to do that.” – John Legend

“The man who tells the tale if he has a tale worth telling will know exactly what he is about and this business of the artist as a sort of starry-eyed inspired creature, dancing along, with his feet two or three feet above the surface of the earth, not really knowing what sort of prints he’s leaving behind him, is nothing like the truth.” – William Golding

“I think the unique thing about music and graphic art is as opposed to, say, acting and directing, that if you are good you can always create a place for yourself.” – Cass Elliot

“My own heroes are the dreamers, those men and women who tried to make the world a better place than when they found it, whether in small ways or great ones. Some

succeeded, some failed, most had mixed results... but it is the effort that's heroic, as I see it. Win or lose, I admire those who fight the good fight.” – George R. R. Martin

“Now and then it occurs to one to reflect upon what slender threads of accident depend the most important circumstances of his life; to look back and shudder, realizing how close to the edge of nothingness his being has come.” – Upton Sinclair

“When I dare to be powerful, to use my strength in the service of my vision, then it becomes less and less important whether I am afraid.” – Audre Lorde

“He felt that his whole life was some kind of dream and he sometimes wondered whose it was and whether they were enjoying it.” Douglas Adams

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[I was a PBS kid. Now my kids are, too.](#)
PBS Wisconsin

[Wisconsin Life | Nonstop movement at the Door Kinetic Arts Festival](#)
PBS Wisconsin

[Harry Whitehorse: Honoring the Legacy of a Ho-Chunk Artist](#)
Discover Wisconsin

[Milwaukee Fashion Week puts high fashion, streetwear center stage](#)
WISN

September 25 – 26

[Eau Claire Sculpture Tour looks for help to let "Sunny Stay"](#)
WQOW

[Rhiannon Giddens - Hope Is the Thing with Feathers \(Official Video\)](#)
Rhiannon Giddens and Nonesuch Records

[2026 NEA Jazz Masters Tribute Concert](#)
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 September 2026 Newsletter
Americans for the Arts

NEW Celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month: NALAC Announces \$300,000 in Grant Awards for Latinx/é Artists
National Association of Latino Arts & Cultures

Congratulations to recipient Alejandra Sanchez of Mondovi, Wisconsin!

NEW Preparedness and Partnership: September at NCAPER
National Coalition for Arts Preparedness and Emergency Response (NCAPER)

Welcoming Nathaniel Petreman as the new WAB Grants and Information Specialist!
Wisconsin Arts Board

Creative Copy #37 | National Arts in Education Week
Wisconsin Arts Board
September 13 – 19

Creative Copy #38 | Indigenous Artist Resources
Wisconsin Arts News

As part of our Quarterly Board Meeting, we invite you to join us in Eau Claire on September 25th for two *Creative Community Conversation* sessions!
Wisconsin Arts Board

We invite you to **drop in anytime** during either or both of the sessions listed below, to meet WAB staff, ask questions, learn about resources, and connect with other folks in Eau Claire's creative community.

Morning Creative Community Conversation
September 25th, 7:30- 9:30 am, **ECDC - Eau Claire Downtown Coffee** (205 S Barstow St, Eau Claire, WI 54701)

Afternoon Creative Community Conversation
September 25th, 4:30 - 6:00 pm, **2 Roots Art & Wine Gallery** (216 S Barstow St, Eau Claire, WI 54701)

Register for the Eau Claire Creative Community Conversations
Registration is encouraged, not required.

Poetry Out Loud Recitation Competition Launches for 2026-2027 School Year
National Endowment for the Arts

Reports of Wisconsin's Brain Drain Are Greatly Exaggerated* The State's Real Talent Problem Is Who Doesn't Come
Center for Research on the Wisconsin Economy (CROWE) | UW-Madison

National Preparedness Month: 20 Years of Partnership and Preparedness
National Coalition for Arts Preparedness and Emergency Response (NCAPER)
September

Understanding Your Federal Award Requirements
Arts Midwest

Also
How to Build Your Federal Award Budget
Arts Midwest

Reporting on Your Federal Award
Arts Midwest

Artists Make the Best Citizens. Don't Believe It? Check the Data.
Arts Midwest

Building Stronger Arts Organizations, Together: What We're Learning from Engage US
Mid-America Arts Alliance

Introducing the Arts Funding Finder
Arts Midwest
Deadlines: Various

Film Wisconsin Office Awarded \$1 Million in Tax Credits to 6 Productions
Urban Milwaukee, Wisconsin Public Radio

Community Choirs | Creative Copy #36
Wisconsin Arts Board

Visit 3, Get a T!
Wisconsin Art Destinations
Through November 15

Join the Accessibility Committee
Wisconsin Arts Board

Generative AI in the Performing Arts Survey
Annie Dorsen and SMU DataArts
Through September

Annie Dorsen is partnering with SMU DataArts to conduct a study of the material impacts of generative AI on artists working in theater, dance, and live music. The survey explores how AI is affecting artists' income, employment opportunities, creative processes, administrative work, and future planning. Findings will help inform policy, advocacy, funding, and support efforts across the field.

This work is part of Artists Make Technology, a collaborative initiative anchored by Mozilla Foundation and the Doris Duke Foundation, in partnership with the William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, with additional support from Ford Foundation.

[Secretary Lonnie Bunch Says the Smithsonian Keeps 'The Nation's Memory' in an Exclusive Essay for America's 250th Birthday](#)

Smithsonian Voices | Office of the Secretary of the Smithsonian

[U.S. Conference of Mayors and National Endowment for the Arts to Showcase Freedom 250 City Art Posters](#)

National Endowment for the Arts

Submit through November 6

[Join the Wisconsin Social Rx Ecosystem](#)

Wisconsin Social Rx

Also

[Social Prescribing in Wisconsin- Shared screen with speaker view](#)

Wisconsin Social Rx + Social Rx, Zoom

[The Great Connector: How Arts Participation Renews Civic and Community Engagement](#)

National Endowment for the Arts

[Free resources available to Wisconsin residents to host America@250 Community Conversations](#)

PBS Wisconsin

[2025-2027 Wisconsin Poet Laureate Project](#)

Wisconsin Poet Laureate Commission

NEA + NEH + IMLS + NPR, PBS, CPB Updates may be found [HERE](#).

[Arts Board Panelist Open Call](#)

Wisconsin Arts Board

[Arts & Culture Accessibility Self-Assessment](#)

Open Door Arts

NEW [NCN Articles of Interest | September 18, 2026](#)

National Creativity Network

Job Opportunities

[Job Board](#)

Create Wisconsin

Application Deadlines | Various

NEW Care Navigator (Ongoing Opportunity)

Social Rx

Deadline: Ongoing

Development & Major Gifts Director

Milwaukee Film

Deadline: September 18

Executive Director

Art Works for Milwaukee, Inc. | LinkedIn

Deadline: September 21

NEW Isthmus is hiring an arts & culture editor

Isthmus

Deadline: September 24

Executive Director

Wisconsin Conservatory of Music

Deadline: September 30

NEW Director of Exhibits

Madison Children's Museum

Deadline: September 30

Assistant Professor (Tenure Track) - The Art School (27-28)

DePaul University-The Art School

Deadline: October 1

NEW Aly's Arts in Health Job Board

Aly Maier & Arts in Health Inc.

Deadlines: Various

Assistant House Manager

Skylight Music Theatre

Deadline: Until Filled

Studio Supervisor

Skylight Music Theatre

Deadline: Until Filled

Executive Director

Capitol Civic Centre

Deadline: Until Filled

Chief Philanthropy Officer

Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra

Deadline: Until Filled

Facilities Coordinator

ArtStart Rhinelander

Deadline: Until Filled

Program & Administrative Assistant

ArtStart Rhinelander

Deadline: Until Filled

Development & Special Events Manager

Sharon Lynne Wilson Center for the Arts

Deadline: Until Filled

Director of Performing Arts Center

Lincoln High School | Wisconsin Rapids Public Schools

Deadline: Until Filled

Technical Director of Performing Arts Center

Lincoln High School | Wisconsin Rapids

Deadline: Until Filled

Director of Donor Engagement and Development

Miller Art Museum

Deadline: Until Filled

Curatorial Internship

Miller Art Museum

Deadline: Until Filled

Deputy Director of Finance, Administration and Retail Enterprise

Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass

Deadline: Until Filled

Director of Development and Communications

Jewish Family Services, Inc.

Deadline: Until Filled

Write On, Door County Searches for Next Executive Director

Spano | Pratt Executive Search

Deadline: Until Filled

Vice President, Marketing & Communications

Marcus Performing Arts Center

Deadline: Until Filled

Interior Architecture & Design Faculty (Full-Time)

Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design

Deadline: Until Filled

Current Opportunities

First Stage

Deadline: Until Filled

Development Coordinator

Opera for the Young

Deadline: Until Filled

For more Job Opportunities, click [HERE](#).

Deadlines | Resources | Events

Creative Labor, Creative Conditions - A National Campaign to Shift the Valuation of the Arts

Doris Duke Foundation

Through September

Also

Creative Labor, Creative Conditions: Why Centering Artists as Thought Leaders and Changemakers Matters

Doris Duke Foundation

World Premiere Wisconsin: A yearlong, statewide celebration of new plays and musicals returns in 2026!

World Premiere Wisconsin

Through December 31

Emerging Program Institute (EPI)

Artist Communities Alliance

Registration is Open

October 22, 23, 29, 30 | EPI | Virtual

Conference

Alliance for Wisconsin Theatre Education

September 18 | UW-Parkside

Mission Possible: Strengthening our role as agents of change through innovation and collaboration.

2026 Wisconsin Aging, Disability and Independent Living Network (ADILN) Conference

September 21 – 23 | Wisconsin Dells

Midwest Arts Expo

Heartland Performing Arts

September 22 – 25

Creative Economy Pathways | 2026 Virtual Town Hall Series

Creating Abundance Collaborative

September 23 | Creative and Durable Skill Development for the Future of Work

October 14 | Creative Youth Development Launching the Next Generation of Artists
November 18 | Innovative Creative Economy Networks and Ecosystems

Webinar Series: Small Orgs, Big Ideas

Arts Midwest

September 23 | Love Is Power: Trusting Young People to Lead

September 30 | What Art School Doesn't Teach: The Missing Curriculum Every Artist Deserves

October 8 | Power Building, Inside and Out

AI's Impact on the Creative World

Wisconsin Broadcasters Association

September 29

Award-Winning Actress Phylicia Rashad to Headline the 36th Nancy Hanks Lecture

Americans for the Arts

September 30

Wisconsin Economic Summit tackles workforce challenges, building bright futures

Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation

September 30 – October 1 | Eau Claire

Also

Wisconsin Economic Summit to highlight opportunities for shared economic growth and strategic investments for the future

Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation

September 30 – October 1

2026 Biennial NAfME Music Research and Teacher Education Conference

National Association for Music Education

September 30 – October 3 | Long Beach, CA

Annual State Conference

Wisconsin Dance Council

October 9 | Diamond Jubilee Dinner

October 10 | Professional Development Conference | MYArts

NOAHCON

National Organization for Arts in Health

October 11 - 13 | Rochester, NY

October 28 | Virtual Day

2026 Wisconsin Science Festival

Wisconsin Science Festival

October 15 – 25

Rooted in Community | 2026 Annual Conference

Wisconsin Library Association

October 20 - 23 | Middleton

Women Trailblazers Conference

UW-Stevens Point School of Business and Economics

October 28 | Stevens Point

2026 Wisconsin State Music Conference

Wisconsin Music Educators Association

October 28 – 31 | Monona Terrace Community & Convention Center

WAEA Fall Conference

Wisconsin Art Education Association

October 30 - 31 | Waunakee

Creative Communities, Collective Futures

2026 Chicago Regional | National Association of Latino Arts & Cultures

November 12 – 14 | Chicago, IL

NEW The Institute of Museum and Library Services is Accepting Fiscal Year 2027 Grant Applications to Strengthen America's Cultural Heritage

Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS)

Deadline: November 13

Wisconsin Interscholastic Theatre Festival

Wisconsin Interscholastic Speech & Dramatic Arts Association

November 19 - 21 | UW-Parkside

2027 NAMM Show

National Association of Music Merchants (NAMM)

January 26 – 30 | Anaheim, CA

Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism 2027

Travel Wisconsin

March 14 – 16, 2027 | Appleton

Connected for Health: The Inaugural U.S. Social Prescribing Conference

Institute for Social Prescribing | University of Michigan + Social Prescribing USA

March 24 - 26 | Ann Arbor, MI

Capacity Building Webinar Series

Creative West

Various

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

Craft supplies get a second life at West Allis' 414 Art Revival

Lake Effect | WUWM

Historical Society Honored With State's Top Award

Door County Pulse

Scenic Wisconsin: Nature Photos from across the state

Wisconsin State Farmer

Wisconsin Institute for Law & Liberty: Wisconsin artist beats utility company in data center land dispute

WisPolitics

Artists push back on AI art exhibit at MMoCA

Wisconsin State Journal

Georgia O'Keeffe's Lifelong Obsession with Architecture

New City Art

Embracing Community, Building Membership: Reversing the Decline in Lower-Level Giving

Alliance Blog | American Alliance of Museums

Museums & Public Opinion 2026 Report

Research and Reports | American Alliance of Museums

The Next Change Trump Has Planned for the Smithsonian

The Atlantic

AI Companies Are Destroying Books by the Millions. What Will It Mean for Art?

ARTnews

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Music Class and Showing Up: What Eight Years of Rhode Island Student Data Tell Us](#)

Bob Morrison

[DPI Seeks \\$28 Million For Deafblind Students, Libraries And Cybersecurity](#)

Urban Milwaukee

[New Fund Aims to Help Develop Young Talent in Wisconsin](#)

Radio World

[Obituary | Dr. James M. Siefkas](#)

Legacy.com

[UW-Eau Claire Moves Up In Forbes' List of America's Top Colleges](#)

Volume One Magazine

[Medical College of Wisconsin Inaugurates Dr. Shekar N. Kurpad as President and Chief Executive Officer](#)

PR Newswire

Community Arts

[Black Arts MKE Names New Artistic Director: Dimonte Henning](#)

Black Arts MKE

[Hudson Lions Club puts on 11th annual Hometown Music Fest, with proceeds going to help police department](#)

Hudson Star-Observer

[Every American city needs a music office](#)

Impact Council | Fast Company

[Racine's giant postcard auction will go live Saturday](#)

Wisconsin State Journal

Bid through October 17

[Looking back at Milwaukee Night Market through the years](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[Dennis Yen-Feng Lei: Forty years of Wisconsin-Taiwan sister ties—why they matter more than ever](#)

WisPolitics

Literary Arts/Libraries

[DPI Seeks \\$28 Million For Deafblind Students, Libraries And Cybersecurity](#)

Urban Milwaukee

[Phil Klay Is Appointed President of PEN America](#)
The New York Times

[Volunteer with WriteGirl](#)
WriteGirl
Deadline: October 1

[Amanda Hernández | Noise](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[WMSE Unveils Sound Check, a New Series Featuring Touring Artists Live From Milwaukee Venues](#)
Urban Milwaukee

Performing Arts

Dance

[Global Dance Circle for Social Change Submission Form 2026 / Círculo Global de Danza para el Cambio Social: Formulario de Presentación 2026](#)
Mark DeGarmo Dance
Deadline: October 17

Music

[Even Sam Ness didn't know about his own recently released single](#)
Madison Magazine

[QUICK HITS: Here's What The Locals Are Listening To This September](#)
Volume One Magazine

[Every American city needs a music office](#)
Impact Council | Fast Company

Presenting

[Photos Spur Speculation About Possible Demolition of Kennedy Center](#)
The New York Times

Also
[What's next for the Kennedy Center now that it's closed](#)
MSN, The Washington Post

[Trump's Kennedy Center Shakedown](#)
The Atlantic

[The last day at the Kennedy Center](#)
MSN, The Washington Post

[Trump threatens to tear down the Kennedy Center, as legal battle continues](#)
All Things Considered | NPR

Other

[Nonprofit Mergers Need More Than Mission Alignment](#)
Stanford Social Innovation Review

[When the Numbers Don't Add Up, Strong Boards Ask Why](#)
NonProfit Pro

[This Labor Day, It's Time for a New Social Contract With Workers](#)
Observer

[Built Not Posted: Seen Online, Unseen in Policy: The Creator Labor Gap](#)
American Influencer Council

[Dear Philanthropy, Reimagine What Creators Can Dream Of](#)
Doris Duke Foundation

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

[Latina artists explore transformation in 'From Ashes, We Rise'](#)
Wisconsin State Journal
Through October 15

[Miller Unveils New Exhibits](#)
Door County Pulse
Through November 7

[Blooming26: Artist From The 414](#)
A Dallas Originals, EventBrite
October 4

[Twenty Dirty Hands Self-Guided Pottery Tour](#)
Twenty Dirty Hands
October 16 - 18

Arts and Creativity in Education

Ger Xiong: Hold on Tight, September 18 – October 18 | UWL Art Gallery
La Crosse Local

September 18 | Opening Reception & Artist Talk

September 18 – October 18 | Exhibition

Effective Governance and Civility in Polarized Times

Wisconsin Institute for Public Policy and Service

October 1 | Wausau and Virtual

Alexandra Cousteau | Thering Hedrick Lecture Series

UW-Superior

October 6

Events

Peck School of the Arts | UWM

Various

Events Calendar | Arts

UW-Madison

Various

Our Hive: Arts, Culture and Community Events

UW-Superior

Various

Community Arts

What to do in Madison this weekend: Sept. 17-20, 2026

Isthmus

Through September 20

14 Things to Do in Milwaukee This Weekend: Sept. 17-20

Milwaukee Magazine

Through September 20

3 weekend events you don't want to miss Sept. 17-20 in Stevens Point

Stevens Point Journal

Through September 20

3 weekend events you don't want to miss Sept. 17-20 in Wisconsin Rapids

Wisconsin Rapids Daily Tribune

Through September 20

Things to do in Manitowoc this weekend include Oktoberfest and music

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter

This Weekend

Western Wisconsin Weekend: Bacon Bash is back

Hudson Star-Observer

This Weekend

Cheese, fishing and fashion on this weekend's schedule

Wisconsin State Journal

This Weekend

Don't Forget To Crash The Bay View Bash

Weekend Preview | Urban Milwaukee

This Weekend

On Tap: An Isthmus Newsletter

Isthmus

September 18 – 26

Heritage council to host first-ever regional history conference on Sept. 24

Vilas County News-Register

September 24

A Fall Tradition in the Heart of Hayward

Spooner Advocate

September 26

Five Must-See Buildings In Doors Open Milwaukee

Urban Milwaukee

September 26 – 27

Berens, Chisel, Vig on Rally for the Valley lineup to aid tornado recovery

Appleton Post-Crescent

October 3

Arts

Madison Magazine

Various

Wausau Area Events

Wausau Pilot & Review

Various

Performing Arts

Music

This Week in MKE Music Sept. 17-23, 2026

Shepherd Express

September 17 – 23

Theater/Opera

[Q&A: Monica West's New Play Pits Dreams vs Reality](#)

Milwaukee Magazine

Through September 20

OPPORTUNITIES

[Residency Opportunities | September + October](#)

Artist Communities Alliance

Various | September + October

[September 2026 Opportunities: Open Calls, Residencies, and Grants for Artists](#)

Colossal

Deadlines: Various

[Introducing the Arts Funding Finder](#)

Arts Midwest

Deadlines: Various

[The Mary L. Nohl Suitcase Export Fund Opens 2026 Summer Cycle](#)

Lynden Sculpture Garden

Deadline: Until funds for this cycle are expended

[CALLING ALL CREATIVES: Artist Market Of E.C. Opens 2026 Applications](#)

Volume One Magazine

Now Open

[Nonprofit Capacity Building Grant](#)

St. Croix Valley Foundation

Deadline: Rolling

[Open Call for Queer Artists](#)

OutReach LGBTQ+ Community Center

Deadline: Rolling

[Boost Your Art Career With SVA Continuing Education Courses, Workshops, and Residencies](#)

Colossal

Various

[The Creative Collab | Bronzeville Artist-In-Residency Mentor Program](#)

Copywrite Magazine

Deadline: Rolling

Public Art Conservation Fund Application and Guidelines

City of Milwaukee Arts Board

Deadline: Rolling, as long as funds remain, in order they are received.

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

2026/27 Madison Opera High School Apprentice Application

Madison Opera

Deadline: September 21

The Call for Proposals Is Now Open | 2027 AAM Annual Meeting & Museum Expo

American Alliance of Museums

Deadline: September 21

Creative Placemaking for Rural & Outdoor Recreation Communities: Building Places People Love Through Arts, Culture & the Outdoors

Harbinger Consultancy

September 24, October 1, 8 | Video Conference Sessions

In The Moment: An Exhibition by PhotoMidwest Members

Isthmus

Entry Deadline: September 25

NEW Call for Indigenous Artists: Public Art Installation Overlook Plaza Project La Crescent Minnesota

La Crescent Minnesota, Creative West

Deadline: September 25

UPAF Seeks Nominations for "60 for 60" Performing Arts Champions

Urban Milwaukee

Deadline: September 30

[Making Waves Award](#)

Boreal Waters Community Foundation

Deadline: September 30

[Bridge Builder Award Nomination](#)

Boreal Waters Community Foundation

Deadline: September 30

[Mural Friendly Cities](#)

National Mural Awards

Deadline: October 1

[Wildlife Art Gallery Submissions Open](#)

Friends of the Mead/McMillan Wildlife Areas

Deadline: October 1

NEW [2027 ACC Fellowships and Grants](#)

Asian Cultural Council

Applications Accepted: October 1 - November 10

[24th Cycle of Fellowship Program for Visual Artists Opens September 8](#)

Urban Milwaukee

Deadline: October 8

[Women Entrepreneurs Can Apply For Red Letter Grant Fall Cycle](#)

Volume One Magazine

Deadline: October 12

NEW [Racine's giant postcard auction will go live Saturday](#)

Wisconsin State Journal

Bid through October 17

NEW [Global Dance Circle for Social Change Submission Form 2026 / Círculo Global de Danza para el Cambio Social: Formulario de Presentación 2026](#)

Mark DeGarmo Dance

Deadline: October 17

[Emerging Program Institute \(EPI\) 2026](#)

Artist Communities Alliance

October 22 – 23; 29 – 30 | Virtual

[Small Works Open Call](#)

Carnelian Art Gallery

Deadline: November 2026

NEW [Now Accepting Applications for GIG Fund: Interstate Touring](#)

Arts Midwest

Phase 1 Deadline | November 4
Phase 2 Deadline | November 17

The Institute of Museum and Library Services is Accepting Fiscal Year 2027 Grant Applications to Strengthen America's Cultural Heritage
Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS)
Deadline: November 13

Access/VSA Emerging Young Artists Program
Access/VSA International Network
Deadline: November 19

Access/VSA International Young Musicians Program
Access/VSA International Network
Deadline: November 19

Access/VSA Playwright Discovery Program
Access/VSA International Network
Deadline: November 19

NEW Bristol Art Museum Announces National Call for Collage for Torn Boundaries
Bristol Art Museum
Deadline: November 29

Wisconsin's Own
Wisconsin Film Festival
Deadline: December 31; An early-bird discount on entry fees for non-students is available for films submitted no later than December 1, 2026.

Wisconsin's Own Student
Wisconsin Film Festival
Deadline: December 31

Annual Call to Artists Now Open!
Pump House Regional Arts Center
Deadline: January 31 | 2027 - 2028 Gallery Exhibition Season
Deadline: January 31 | 2026 - 2027 Driftless Ceramics Biennial Group Exhibition
Deadline: January 31 | 2027 Artspire Fine Art Fair Vendor

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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