



**September 19, 2024**

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It's International Talk Like A Pirate Day!

### **QUOTE OF THE DAY**

"Imagination is the only weapon in the war against reality." – Jules de Gautier

"I see music as fluid architecture." – Joni Mitchell

"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

"People demand freedom of speech as a compensation for the freedom of thought which they seldom use." – Soren Kierkegaard

"The human brain starts working the moment you are born and never stops until you stand up to speak in public." – George Jessel

### **VIDEO OF THE DAY**

[Jerry Jordan paints the Black experience](#)  
*Wisconsin Life*

The Arts Council's 48th Season kicks-off with Collin Raye  
WSAW  
**Season**

Wild World - Cat Stevens - FUNK cover feat. Rett Madison!!  
*Scary Pockets*

*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** Top 10 Reasons to Support the Arts in 2024  
*Americans for the Arts*

**NEW** Now Accepting Applications: 2024–25 National Leaders of Color Fellowship  
*Arts Midwest*  
**Deadline: October 13**

**NEW** Wisconsin Arts Board honors local artist Balbin, author Kocka  
*Sawyer County Record*

**NEW** Opportunity Attraction Fund  
*Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation | WEDC*

**NEW** 2024 Wisconsin Arts Celebration Project | Curiosity  
*Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction*

Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month 2024!  
*NEA Chair Maria Rosario Jackson, PhD*

Call For Pitches: History of Midwestern Creativity in Arts and Culture  
*Arts Midwest*  
**Deadline: September 30**

National Medal of Arts Nominations 2024: Invitation from the Chair  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**Deadline: October 3**

Also  
National Medal of Arts Nomination Form  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**Deadline: October 3**

Cultural Sustainability: Equity-Based Operating Grants

*Arts Midwest*

**Deadline: October 15**

Want to learn more about this grant opportunity? [Sign up](#) for the informational webinar, to be held on September 19.

Wisconsin: The Art of Tourism Conference 2024

*National Assembly of State Arts Agencies (NASAA)*

WAB and WI Humanities Are Hitting the Road Together this Fall!

*Wisconsin Arts Board and Wisconsin Humanities*

**September 23 | Appleton**

**September 24 | Baraboo**

**September 26 | Platteville**

**September 27 | Wisconsin Rapids**

Poetry Out Loud to Celebrate 20th Anniversary During 2024-2025 School Year

*National Endowment for the Arts*

First Annual "Congressional Record" To Highlight Importance of Arts Education, Showcase Musical Talents of Members of Congress

*Americans for the Arts*

Building the Power of Arts and Culture

*National Endowment for the Arts*

Arts & Culture Accessibility Self-Assessment

*Open Door Arts*

NEA FY 2025 Grant Opportunities Now Available

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadlines: Various**

The Indiegogo Arts Campaign Handbook

*Indiegogo*

NEW NCN Articles of Interest | September 6, 2024

*National Creativity Network*

**Job Opportunities**

Chief Executive Officer

*Americans for the Arts*

**Deadline: Materials accepted through October**

Position Announcement – WSMA Program Manager

*Wisconsin School Music Association (WSMA)*

**Deadline: September 25**

Folk and Traditional Arts Director

*National Endowment for the Arts | USA Jobs*

**Deadline: September 30**

Arts Council Deputy Director

*Nebraska Arts Council*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Creative Manager

*Marcus Performing Arts Center*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

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

*gener8tor*

**Deadline: Various**

Jobs & Opportunities

National Organization for Arts in Health

**Deadlines: Various**

**Deadlines | Resources | Events**

America's Invitation | Share Your Story

*America 250*

**Deadline: Before July 4, 2026**

Catch World Fest Artists In Your Community This Fall

*Arts Midwest*

**Through September 21 | Marinette**

Main Street Agenda

*La Follette School of Public Affairs*

**Various | Through October 15**

*If you attend a Community Conversation, be sure to express your support for sufficient and reliable arts funding in Wisconsin.*

Travel Wisconsin 2025 Co-op Programs

*Travel Wisconsin*

**September 19**

2024 Conference

*Alliance for Wisconsin Theater Education*

**September 20 | Wisconsin Center for Music Education, Waunakee**

2024 Conference

*Wisconsin Federation of Museums*

**September 20 | Green Bay**

Small Community Forums

*Wisconsin Rural Partners*

**September 24 | Iowa County, Mineral Point**

**October 1 | Ozaukee County, Belgium**

**October 10 | Adams County, Adams**

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**

Call For Proposals | 2024/25 SNAAP Research Fellows

*Strategic National Arts Alumni Project (SNAAP)*

**Deadline: September 30**

Music Advocacy Day Returns to Mark a Decade of Influencing Policy for Music Creators

*Recording Academy*

**October 1**

2024 Virtual AIGA Design Conference

*AIGA*

**October 10–12, 2024 | Virtual**

Annual Dance Conference 2024

*Wisconsin Dance Council*

**October 12 | CAL Arts Center, Reedsburg**

Wisconsin Science Festival

*Wisconsin Science Festival*

**October 14 – 20**

Also

Host an Event

*Wisconsin Science Festival*

Wisconsin Historical Society: To host 18th annual Local History & Historic Preservation Conference

*WisPolitics*

**October 16 - 18**

CODASummit: Art Technology and Place

*CODAworx*

**October 16 – 18 | Cincinnati, OH**

Wisconsin Book Festival: 23rd Annual Fall Celebration

*Wisconsin Book Festival*

**October 17 – 20**

2024 Conference

*Wisconsin Art Education Association*

**October 23 – 25 | Black River Falls Middle School**

[2024 Wisconsin State Music Conference](#)  
*Wisconsin Music Educators Association*  
**October 23 - 26**

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

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

[Evolving Programs Institute](#)  
*Artist Communities Alliance*  
**November 12 - 14 | Los Angeles + New Jersey + Virtual**

[WEDC launches new round of grants to transform underused spaces](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**Deadline: December 9**

[Musical Theater Songwriting Challenge for High School Students | Songwriting Challenge Eligibility & Guidelines](#)  
*National Alliance for Musical Theatre*  
**Deadline: January 31, 2025**

[2025 NAEA National Convention](#)  
*National Art Education Association*  
**March 20 – 22 | Louisville, KY**

[10th World Summit on Arts & Culture](#)  
*International Federation of Arts Councils and Culture Agencies (IFACCA)*  
**May 27 - 30 | Seoul, South Korea**

[AFTACON 2025](#)  
*Americans for the Arts*  
**June 11 - 14 | Cincinnati, OH**

[2025 National Arts Integration and STEAM Conference](#)  
*Creativity Rising*  
**July 8 – 9, 2025 | Baltimore, MD**

[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**

[Holmen artist has two designs chosen for Wisconsin DNR hunting stamps](#)

*WXOW*

[Civil rights pioneer Vel Phillips' statue symbolizes greater representation in Wisconsin Capitol](#)

*WUWM*

[Artist Get Ready Grants](#)

*CERF+*

**Deadline: October 29**

**Arts and Creativity in Education**

[YoungArts invites applications for National Arts Competition](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 17**

[UWO Radio TV Film alumnus Kenton Barber to be honored with 2024 Outstanding Young Alumni Award](#)

*UW Oshkosh Today*

[Game changing tech upgrades proposed for award-winning UWO Radio TV Film program](#)

*UW Oshkosh Today*

[More than radio: Expanding multimedia opportunities for students](#)

*Wisconsin Broadcasters Association*

[Exploring the Challenges Facing Higher Education](#)

*The Fine Print | UW-La Crosse Murphy Library*

**Community Arts**

[7 stops along Milwaukee's mural trail](#)

*Up North News*



[Episode 106 | From Ignorance to Knowing: A Journey of Art, Science & Healing](#)  
*Change the Story / Change the World*

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Wisconsin author's debut novel recounts recession-era life for young women in Door County](#)  
*Wisconsin Today | Wisconsin Public Radio*

[One Story invites applications for Adina Talve-Goodman Fellowship](#)  
*Philanthropy News Digest*  
**Deadline: October 9**

[Li-Young Lee | The Gift](#)  
*Poem of the Day, Poetry Foundation*

## **Media Arts**

[California's film industry is in crisis. Can it be saved?](#)  
*Los Angeles Times*

## **Performing Arts**

### **Theater/Opera**

[Filling Your Theatre Prescription - Picture a world where the live arts are an integral part of our civic and mental health.](#)  
*American Theatre*

## **Other**

[New Publication Alert: "Bridging Arts and Public Health: A New Framework for Collaboration" | Tasha Golden, PhD](#)  
*LinkedIn*

[Tips to Boost Gift Officer Retention and Job Satisfaction](#)  
*NonProfit Pro*

## **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**

Jesse Blake Hay displays at The Oxbow  
*The Spectator | UW-Eau Claire*  
**Through October 1**

Getting Lost in the Process  
*Woodson Wanderings | Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum*  
**September 19 | Printmaking Workshop**  
**Through December 1 | Birds in Art**

Mitchell Clarke Friends Group To Host Community Cookout  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**September 21**

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

Watch the sparks fly as Sturgeon Bay hosts NWTC's first-ever Welding Rodeo  
*Green Bay Press-Gazette*  
**September 25**

Guest Speaker: Mónica Guzmán  
*UW-Superior Center for Continuing Education*  
**October 8**

St. Olaf Orchestra to tour Wisconsin and Illinois  
*St. Olaf College News*  
**October 12, 18**

Cultivate Curiosity at the 14th Annual Wisconsin Science Festival  
*Morgridge Institute for Research*  
**October 14 – 20**

### **Community Arts**

What to do in Madison this weekend: Marquis Hill Quintet, Willy Street Fair and more  
Isthmus Picks  
*Isthmus*  
**September 19 – 22**

12 Things to Do in Milwaukee This Weekend: Sept. 20-22  
*Milwaukee Magazine*  
**September 20 – 22**

Things to do in Madison: Esperanza Spalding, Willy Street Fair and more  
*The Cap Times*  
**This Weekend**

[Western Wisconsin Weekend: Fishing, a car show and an adventure to Middle Earth](#)  
*River Falls Journal*  
**This Weekend**

## **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month in Milwaukee with these events](#)  
*WISN*  
**Through October 15**

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Great Lakes, Great Read 2024-2025 Program announces free webinar series](#)  
*Sea Grant | University of Wisconsin*  
**September 25, October 2, 9**

## **Performing Arts**

### **Music**

[Prometheus Trio Opens 25th Season](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**September 23**

### **Theater/Opera**

[Milwaukee Theater District Launches “Best Seats in MKE” in lead up to Second-Annual Milwaukee Theater Week](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**October 10 – 20**

## **OPPORTUNITIES**

[September 2024 Opportunities: Open Calls, Residencies, and Grants for Artists](#)  
*Colossal*  
**Various**

[Opportunities for September and October 2024](#)  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various | September & October**

[Opportunities for October and November 2024](#)  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various**

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**

IMLS Now Accepting Proposals for Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian and National Leadership Grants for Libraries Programs

*Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS)*

**Deadline: September 20**

Adolf Busch Award invites applications from organizations using music to address social injustice

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: September 20**

OPERA America invites applications for Opera Grants for Women Composers: Discovery Grants

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: September 20 (Intent to apply)**

Nutcracker Auditions

*Madison Ballet*

**September 21, 22**

Applications Open for ALWI 2024 Classroom Resources Grants

*The Andrew Lloyd Webber Initiative | American Theatre Wing*

**Deadline: September 25**

Foundwork invites applications for Foundwork Artist Prize

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: September 26**

Call For Proposals | 2024/25 SNAAP Research Fellows

*Strategic National Arts Alumni Project (SNAAP)*

**Deadline: September 30**

Arts Retreat

*Cultural Center | New York Mills, MN*

**Deadline: October 1**

Midwest Memory Grant Opportunity for Rural Midwest Communities

*Forecast*

**Deadline: October 1**

Lighthouse Works invites applications for 2025 fellowship program

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 1**

WDC Emerging Artist Mentorship Program - Now Accepting Submissions

*Wisconsin Dance Council*

**Deadline: October 1**

Mary L. Nohl Fund Fellowships for Individual Artists 2025 Guidelines

*Lynden Sculpture Garden*

**Deadline: October 3**

The Bennett Prize invites applications from women painters working in figurative realism

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 4**

**NEW** One Story invites applications for Adina Talve-Goodman Fellowship

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: October 9**

**NEW** Now Accepting Applications: 2024–25 National Leaders of Color Fellowship

*Arts Midwest*

**Deadline: October 13**

Call for Artists: Art Comes Alive  
*ADC Fine Art, Cincinnati*  
**Application Deadline: October 13**

**NEW** Call for Entries | Wisconsin Triennial  
*Madison Museum of Contemporary Art*  
**Deadline: October 14**

**NEW** YoungArts invites applications for National Arts Competition  
*Philanthropy News Digest*  
**Deadline: October 17**

**NEW** Artist Get Ready Grants  
*CERF+*  
**Deadline: October 29**

Visit Eau Claire Announces Call to Artists for 2025 Sculpture Tour  
*WEAU*  
**Deadline: November 1**

Wisconsin Directors Lab  
*Forward Theater Co.*  
**Registration Deadline: November 1**

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**

**NEW** The Library is seeking to expand our Public Art Collection.  
*Waukesha Public Library*  
**Deadline: December 1**

Friends of Schmeeckle host annual arts competition  
*UW-Stevens Point News*  
**Deadline: December 6**

Short Film Fest Accepting Submissions Now  
*Door County Pulse*  
**December 31 | Final Deadline**

**NEW** America's Field Trip  
*America 250*  
**Deadline: April 16**

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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