

ARTISTIC CATEGORY DEFINITIONS

- Arts Service: organizations that support organizations that produce and present arts programs
- Children's Events: organizations that produce and present arts programs for children (not by children)
- Dance: (General Operating and Program Grant) organizations that produce and present dance
- Folk and Traditional Arts: organizations supporting community-based arts rooted in cultural practices and passed down by example or word of mouth
- Large: organizations whose operating budgets have been at least \$3 million for the past three completed fiscal years. Placement in the Large category is determined by MSAC.
- Literary Arts: organizations that produce and present literary arts programs (conferences ineligible; festivals may be multi-discipline)
- Multi-Discipline A: organizations that produce or present arts events in two or more artistic disciplines, none of which predominate, and interdisciplinary arts activities that combine two or more artistic disciplines
- Multi-Discipline B: arts festivals, and units of local government or government agencies that produce or present on-going arts events in two or more artistic disciplines, none of which predominate, and interdisciplinary arts activities that combine two or more artistic disciplines
- Music A1: (General Operating Grant) organizations with operating budgets over \$150,000 that produce and present music
- Music A2: (General Operating Grant) organizations with operating budgets between \$50,000 and \$150,000 that produce and present music
- Music C: (General Operating and Program Grant) organizations that produce and present music
- Theatre A: organizations with operating budgets over \$150,000 that produce and present theatre
- Theatre B: organizations with operating budgets under \$150,000 that produce and present theatre
- Visual Arts/Media A: (General Operating Grant) organizations that produce or present visual/media arts
- Visual Arts/Media B: (Program Grant) non-arts organizations that produce or present on-going visual/media arts