



Funding, Awards & Professional Development Opportunities

ARTS Queensland Funding

<https://www.arts.qld.gov.au/aq-funding/funding-programs>

The Queensland Arts Showcase Program (QASP) supports vibrant and accessible arts and cultural experiences for Queensland by individuals, organisations, or collectives. The QASP program is delivered through three streams Arts Accelerate, Arts Activate and Arts Advantage. Applications are open April 1st to May 31st, 2022. [Learn more](#)

Regional Arts Development Fund: Arts Queensland is proud to partner with local government to support quality arts and cultural experiences across Queensland through the Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF). RADF promotes the role and value of arts, culture and heritage as key drivers of diverse and inclusive communities and strong regions. RADF invests in local arts and cultural priorities, as determined by local communities, across Queensland. [Learn more](#)

Australian Museums & Galleries Association

<https://www.amaga.org.au/>

The Public Galleries Queensland Bursary Program is open for 2022. There are 4 types of bursaries available. Applications close March 31st, 2022. [Learn more](#)

AMaGA National Funding Opportunities: Contains links to national funding opportunities. [Learn more](#)

Culture, Heritage and Arts Regional Tourism (CHART) Program: The CHART program is a \$3 million Australian Government program that aims to support community cultural, heritage and arts organisations in regional Australia as they recover from the impacts of COVID-19. [Learn more](#)

PPCA Performers' Trust Foundation

<https://www.pcca.com.au/>

PPCA Performers Trust Foundation: Established in 1975, the PPCA Performers' Trust Foundation provides grants to promote and encourage music and the music-related performing arts. [Learn more](#)

The Gambling Community Benefit Fund

<https://www.justice.qld.gov.au/initiatives/community-grants>

The Gambling Community Benefit Fund is Queensland's largest one-off community grants program and distributes approximately \$60 million each year to not-for-profit community groups. The GCBF allocates funding to these groups to help them provide services, leisure activities and opportunities for Queensland communities. [Learn more](#)

Australian Government – Department of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Communications - Office for the Arts

<https://www.arts.gov.au/>

The Arts Sustainability Fund supports the arts and entertainment sector to continue its activities by providing necessary finance to plan a pathway for recovery from the effects of COVID-19. Funding will support employment and contribute to rebuilding Australia's economy, as well as enhancing community wellbeing and access to cultural experiences across Australia. [Learn more](#)

The Cultural Gifts Program offers tax incentives to encourage people to donate cultural items to public art galleries, museums, libraries, and archives in Australia. [Learn more](#)

STATE LIBRARY OF QUEENSLAND

<https://www.slq.qld.gov.au/>

Queensland Literary Awards: The Queensland Literary Awards showcase outstanding authors from across Australia, celebrating emerging and established authors across a range of genres. State Library of Queensland is proud to manage the Awards in collaboration with sponsors, the literary community, and industry partners. Entries open March 1st and close April 29th, 2022. [Learn more](#)

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA

<https://www.unisa.edu.au/connect/samstag-museum/>

ANNE & GORDON SAMSTAG INTERNATIONAL VISUAL ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS: The annual Samstag Scholarships enable Australian artists to develop their artistic capacities and skills through a dedicated period of practice-based learning in an international learning institution. The scholarship provides each artist with institutional fees for one academic year of study and a US\$50,000 tax free allowance and covers travel expenses to a leading international art school of their choice. Applications open March 1st and close June 30th, 2022. [Learn more](#)

REDLAND ART AWARDS

<https://redlandartawards.com.au/>

Redland Art Awards: Redland Art Awards is a biennial contemporary painting competition open to all Australian artists, presented by Redland Art Gallery. Redland Art Awards 2022 features four prizes, totalling \$22,000. The primary award is an acquisitive prize of \$15,000 with runner up awards of \$4,000 and \$2,500 as well as The Meredith Foxton People's Choice Award of \$500. Applications open now and close Sunday August 28th, 2022. [Learn more](#)

First Nations Art Competition

<https://www.sqlandscapes.org.au/>

First Nations Art Competition: Art tells the story of our landscapes, and connects us to our identity, our Country and our people. The 2021 First Nations Art Competition aims to allow First Nations artists from the 28 Nations in our area to share their art with others and be recognised for their incredible talent. The theme of the 2021 First Nations Art Competition is Heal Country. Applications are open now and close on April 22nd, 2022. [Learn more](#)

The Ian Potter Cultural Trust

<https://www.ianpotterculturaltrust.org.au/>

The Cultural Trust: The Cultural Trust is committed to encouraging excellence and supporting a vibrant, world-class arts scene in Australia. The Cultural Trust offers grants up to \$10,000 to assist talented emerging and early career artists to take up professional development opportunities, usually overseas. Round 2 currently open and closes Tuesday 3 May, 2022 at 5pm AEST. [Learn more](#)

Australia Council for the Arts

<https://australiacouncil.gov.au/>

Playing Australia Project Investment: Playing Australia Project Investment supports performing arts tours to reach regional and remote communities across Australia. The program supports net touring costs and other designated costs associated with tours. There is no limit on the amount that can be requested. Round closing date Tuesday June 2022, 3pm AEST. [Learn more](#)

Access Arts

<https://accessarts.org.au/>

Access Arts Achievement Award: The Access Arts Achievement Award provides up to \$10,000 funding for Queensland artists, arts workers and producers with disability working in any art form to create, develop, present, produce, exhibit, and tour their work. This is a fantastic opportunity to extend the life of an existing work or create a new one! [Learn more](#)

QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT GRANTS FINDER

<https://www.grants.services.qld.gov.au/#/>

AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT CURRENT GRANT OPPORTUNITY LIST

<https://www.grants.gov.au/Go/List>