Learn – Residencies

Offline Application Form

Application deadlines: January 15

This is the application form for offline submissions to the **Learn - Residencies** grant. This application form is intended for applicants who are D/deaf or living with a disability who require an accessible application, or those who have limited internet access.

We strongly recommend that you have the Residencies guidelines and MAC's general guidelines with you while you work on your application.

To complete your application, fill out the following forms:

- Section A - Applicant details
- Section B – Registration details
- Section C – Project Information
- Section D – Support Material
- Section E – Residency dates
- Section F – Additional information (optional)
- Section G – Declaration
- Section H – Voluntary Identification (optional)

Submit a complete application including your support material to the Manitoba Arts Council on the day of the deadline by mail, email or by delivering it in-person.

Note: if the deadline falls on a weekend or statutory holiday, we will accept your application on the following business day.

If you are submitting your application by mail, make sure that the envelope is post-marked on the date of the deadline (or earlier).

Contact us

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Office Hours
8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday, closed for lunch from 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm.

The Manitoba Arts Council carries out its work on the original lands of the Anishinaabeg, Anishininewuk, Dakota Oyate, Denesuline and Nehethowuk Nations, and on the National Homeland of the Red River Métis. We acknowledge that northern Manitoba includes ancestral lands of the Inuit. Our office is located on Treaty One territory, but our work extends throughout Treaties Two, Three, Four, and Five.

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Section A – Applicant details [part 1/2]

For individual applicant, group and organization contacts

Legal first name	Legal middle name	Legal last name
Other name*		Pronouns
Preferred name o Other name	o Legal first name legal last name	o Other name (Legal first name Legal last name)
Address		
City/Town/Reserve	Province/Territory	Postal code
Primary email		
Secondary email		
Primary phone	Work phone	
Mobile phone	Fax number	

* If you use a different name in your professional career, such as a stage name or a chosen name, please enter it in full. For example, if your legal name is Jonathan Smith but you prefer to be called John, enter "John Smith."

For individuals, your first and last name will appear on your cheque. It will also appear on the T4A for tax purposes. T4A forms will be issued to individuals for amounts received in excess of $500.00. Your professional name will be used on all correspondence and announcements.

Note: The Manitoba Arts Council is subject to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA). The information you provide is protected under that Act. For more on this, please read MAC's policy on the use of personal information

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Section A – Applicant details [part 2/2]

For all applicant types

Additional information

Attach the document required for your applicant type

Individual:

- o   An artistic resume or curriculum vitae

    Note: Your resume or CV should demonstrate a level of professional experience suitable to your chosen role (e.g., professional artist, arts/cultural professional) in each of the artistic disciplines you have selected.

Group:

- o   A group history
- o   A bio, artistic resume or curriculum vitae for each key group member

Organization:

- o   An organizational history

    Note: Your history must indicate your organization's mission, vision, and mandate.

Section B – Registration details for individuals [part 1/1]

For individual applicants

Confirm the following:

- ☐ I am a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada
- ☐ I am a resident of Manitoba
- ☐ I am 18 years of age or older

I am applying for this grant as:

- ☐ A professional artist
- ☐ An arts/cultural professional
- ☐ An Indigenous Knowledge Keeper

Note: Definitions for each applicant type can be found in MAC's General Guidelines.

Artistic discipline

Check all disciplines that are applicable to you as an individual applicant:

☐ Craft	☐ Dance	☐ Inter-arts	☐ Literary arts
☐ Media arts	☐ Music	☐ Theatre	☐ Visual arts
☐ Other (specify):	☐	☐	☐

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Section C - Project Information [part 1/5]

For all applicant types

Project title

This should be a brief description of your project and proposed activity. MAC staff and assessors can use this field to identify your application.

Project title:

Project dates

Payments on awarded grants will be released one month before this date at the earliest.

The activity for which you are applying for funding should not start before the deadline

Project start date:	Project end date:

Artistic discipline

Check the artistic discipline(s) most relevant to this application:

☐ Craft   ☐ Dance   ☐ Inter-arts   ☐ Literary arts
☐ Media arts   ☐ Music   ☐ Theatre   ☐ Visual arts
☐ Other (specify): _____

Type of activity within your project

o Artistic, cultural, or cross-sectoral exchange
o Creative research
o Creation and development of new work or works in progress
o Skill development

Stage of development:

☐ New work
☐ Work in progress

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Section C - Project Information [part 2/5]

For all applicant types

Background

Provide an overview of your history and experience in your field of practice.

Assessors may not be familiar with your work, specific practice(s), community(ies), or culture(s). Provide the information they need to understand who you are and your work. Include your recent activity.

Word count: maximum of 350 words

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Section C – Project Information [part 3/5]

For all applicant types

Project description

Tell us about your project. Consider the following questions, if applicable:

- What are you planning to do?
- What do you hope to achieve?
- Why is this project important?
- Why have you chosen this particular opportunity?
- How is this relevant to your goals?
- What is your ability to undertake this project? Consider factors beyond your project, including climate, isolation, logistics of travel, and culture.

Word count: maximum of 500 words

Section C – Project Information [part 4/5]

For all applicant types

Public Presentation

Include a brief description of your proposed public presentation.

Artists in residency during the peak season (July and August) are expected to provide more engagement with the public than artists in the shoulder season (June and September).

Word count: maximum of 250 words

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Section C – Project Information [part 5/5]

For all applicant types

Cultural integrity

Cultural integrity is the practice of respecting and honouring the ownership of materials, traditions, and knowledges that originate from a particular culture or community.

Describe your relationship to the cultures or communities represented in your project and how you are approaching your work with cultural integrity.

See the General Guidelines to learn more about MAC's understanding of cultural integrity.

Word count: maximum of 300 words

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Section D – Support Material Instruction

For all grant types

Support material is one of most the important parts of your grant application. The assessment panel, who decide whether your project will be funded, will view these examples of your work to see the type and quality of art you create. These materials can include writing samples, images, videos, audio recordings, and more.

Support material should be samples of your current or past work, and it should relate to and/or support your proposed project; it may include the work/activities of other key artists or partners.

Quantity of support material allowed

Submit a minimum of one, and up to a maximum of three items of support material.

The following count as **one item**:

 up to 5 images **OR**

 up to 15 pages of text **OR**

 up to 4 minutes of audio or video

For instance, your three items can be a total of 15 images, or 45 pages of text, or 12 minutes of audio/video. But you can also submit a combination of images, text, and recordings, as long as it falls within the limits. Do not submit original work or the only copy you have. Support material will not be returned.

How to submit support material

Support material may be submitted on a USB key or sent by email to helpdesk@artscouncil.mb.ca. For audio/video files, you may also enter a link toward Vimeo, YouTube, SoundCloud or Bandcamp.

If you are submitting digital files, make sure that the file names you provide in the follow form match the names of the digital files you are submitting.

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Section D – Support Material [part 1/4]

For all applicant types

File name or link: ☐ Image ☐ Text ☐ Audio/video

Title	Year Produced
Applicant's role	
Image: Dimension, medium; **Text:** # of pages; **Audio/video:** start time/end time	

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Section D - Support Material [part 2/4]

For all applicant types

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Section D – Support Material [part 3/4]

For all applicant types

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Section D - Support Material [part 4/4]

For all grant types

Describe how the support material relates to this application.

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Section E. Residency dates [part 1/1]

For all applicant types

Residencies must take place between **1 June and 30 September in two-week slots**.

Check-in: **Mondays** at 2:00pm
Check-out: **Sundays** at 1:00pm.

Successful applicants may not necessarily receive their choice of dates. Indicate your second and third choice of dates in the space provided.

Note: Payments on awarded grants will be released one month before the start date at the earliest.

First choice:

Start date:	End date:

Second choice:

Start date:	End date:

Third choice

Start date:	End date:

Section F. Additional Information [1/1; optional]

For all applicant types

If there is anything that has not been asked that is essential to understanding your application, provide it here.

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Section G. Declaration [part 1/1]

For all applicant types

Translation

MAC welcomes applications in English and French. Where an application is submitted in French, MAC will engage a bilingual assessor who is familiar with the discipline. Portions of the application will also be translated into English for use in the jury or panel process, in addition to being provided in the original language. When portions of an application are to be translated, the applicant has the option of having MAC provide the translation or of hiring a translator of their choice and being reimbursed for their expenses at a rate of $0.27 per word.

☐   I am completing this application in English.
☐   I am completing this application in French and I will contract my own translator.
☐   I am completing this application in French and MAC can send my application for translation.

Communication

How would you like to receive written communication from the Manitoba Arts Council?

☐   By email
☐   By postal mail

Declaration

☐   I hereby declare that the information above is correct to the best of my knowledge.
☐   I understand that my eligibility must be approved by Manitoba Arts Council staff before my application is considered.
☐   I confirm that I have gone through the grant-specific guidelines included in this package and that I have also reviewed MAC's general guidelines for completing grant applications.
☐   I understand that this application form is intended for applicants who are D/deaf or living with a disability who require an accessible application, or those who have limited internet access.

_____   _____
Signature   **Date**

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Section H - Voluntary identification information
[part 1/3; optional]

For all applicant types

The Manitoba Arts Council is committed to supporting artistic practices that reflect the diversity of Manitoba's population. You are invited to complete the voluntary identification portion of this profile registration. This is entirely optional. This information will be used to monitor how well MAC grants reflect the full diversity of who we are as a province. You can see how we use this information on MAC's website. This information will not be used in the assessment process and will not be made available to assessors. For further information, please read MAC's policy on the use of personal information.

What is your primary language?

☐ English
☐ French
☐ Indigenous language   Specify:
☐ Sign language   Specify:
☐ Other language   Specify:

Do you speak, read and/or understand the following:

English

☐ Speak
☐ Read
☐ Understand

French

☐ Speak
☐ Read
☐ Understand

Other (specify):

☐ Speak
☐ Read
☐ Understand

Birth year:

Gender:
☐ Female
☐ Male
☐ Non-Binary
☐ Other (specify):

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Section H – Voluntary identification information

[part 2/3; optional]

For all applicant types

Do you identify as any of the following:

☐ **Indigenous**
    ☐ First Nations
    ☐ Metis
    ☐ Inuit
    ☐ Other (specify):

> What is the Indigenous community that you belong to?

☐ **Francophone**
    ☐ Franco-Manitoban
    ☐ Francophone from Quebec
    ☐ Francophone from another part of Canada
    ☐ Francophone from France
    ☐ Francophone from another country. Specify:
    ☐ I learned French as an additional language
    ☐ Other (specify):

☐ **Black and/or a Person of Colour**
    ☐ Black. Specify:
    ☐ Person of colour. Specify:

D/deaf

Please select 'Yes' if you are D/deaf, deafened or hard of hearing.

    ☐ Yes. Specify:

Financial assistance may be available for applicants who are Deaf. See MAC's accessibility page for further information.

Section H – Voluntary identification information

[part 3/3; optional]

For all applicant types

Living with a disability (including physical, psychiatric, and intellectual disabilities)

Please select 'Yes' if you live with any type of disability, including physical, psychiatric, and intellectual disabilities.

☐ Yes. Specify:

Financial assistance may be available for applicants who live with a disability. See MAC's accessibility page for further information.

2SLGBTQ+

Please select this option if you identify as Two-Spirit, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, or part of the 2SLGBTQ+ community in any other way.

☐ Yes. Specify:

Part of any other underserved community

☐ Yes. Specify:

Assessor selection

As an individual applicant, you are automatically considered for membership in upcoming assessment panels. If you would like MAC to take into account the information you share in this section when putting together assessment panels (so that you can help assess applications where your background and insights might be especially valuable), we ask you to give us permission for that by checking the box marked 'I agree' below. You may withdraw your permission whenever you want by unchecking that same box.

The information I provide in this section may be used by MAC when considering me for membership in upcoming assessment panels

☐ Agree