

## SOUTH DAKOTA ARTS COUNCIL FISCAL YEAR 2016 GRANT AWARDS

At its May 8, 2015 meeting, the South Dakota Arts Council announced special project funding and grant awards totaling \$1.3 million to non-profit organizations, schools and individual artists, for arts projects during Fiscal Year 2016 (July 1, 2015 - June 30, 2016). Grants were awarded in the following categories.

Artist Fellowships: The Council awarded Artist Fellowships to 6 South Dakota artists of exceptional talent to recognize past artistic achievement, encourage future artistic growth, and fund specific activities.

Artist Collaboration Grants: The Council awarded 3 Artist Collaboration Grants, which provide funds for collaborations between 2 artists to advance their work and careers and benefit the state of South Dakota.

Artist Career Development Grants: The Council awarded 10 Artist Career Development grants to provide financial support to emerging artists committed to advancing their work and careers as artist.

Arts Challenge Grants: The Council awarded 31 Arts Challenge Grants to support the yearly activities of the state's major arts institutions and community arts organizations.

Artist in Schools & Communities (AISC) Grants: The Council approved funding for approximately 220 weeks of Artists-In-Schools & Communities residencies conducted by professional artists at schools and other nonprofit institutions throughout the state. Additional residency sites and sponsors will be added to this list while funds remain.

Importation of Musicians Grants: The Council awarded 2 Importation of Musicians grants, which provide matching funds to support importing musicians to enhance an orchestra's performance season.

Project Grants: The Council awarded 37 Project Grants, which provide matching funds to organizations and individual artists to support community-based arts activities.

Statewide Services Grants: The Council awarded 3 Statewide Services Program Grants to support organizations whose statewide missions support and complement the goals and objectives of the South Dakota Arts Council's long-range plan.

Touring Arts: The Council approved funding for 32 touring artists and touring arts groups to be used to underwrite performance and exhibition fees to nonprofit organizations in the State.

Traditional Arts Apprenticeship Grants: The Council awarded 3 Traditional Arts Apprenticeship Grants, which provide funds to master artists to teach qualified apprentices, thereby ensuring that the folk art form will be passed on to another generation.

Interim Grants and Special Projects: The Council also reserved grant funds for special interim projects. These include Professional Development, Technical Assistance, Arts Opportunity, Excursion and Educator grants, and Art for State Buildings purchases. Since applications for these grants are received throughout the fiscal year, they are not found in the list below. All other grants are grouped together by community.

## Aberdeen

- Aberdeen Recreation and Cultural Center: \$29,740. Arts Challenge grant supports year-round arts activities sponsored by the Aberdeen Recreation & Cultural Center.
- Aberdeen Area Arts Council: \$11,279. Arts Challenge grant supports yearly programming of the local arts council.
- Aberdeen Community Theatre: \$22,890. Arts Challenge grant supports ACT's season of locally produced theatrical productions, classes, workshops, and special events.
- Northeast South Dakota Celtic Faire & Games: \$4,000. Project grant supports Celtic music and dance performances and workshops as part of the Celtic Faire and Games.
- South Dakota Film Festival: \$5,000. Project grant supports a 4-day festival held at the Capital Theatre in downtown Aberdeen, featuring approximately 70 films from around the world.
- University-Civic Symphony: \$5,000. Importation of Musicians grant supports the importation of musicians from outside the community to supplement local orchestra personnel.
- Nicholas Fischer: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports framing and exhibition expenses for a large body of work developed over a period of several years.
- Nicole Fischer: \$2,000. Artist Project grant supports the artist's creation of new work.
- Dominant 7: \$3,000. Touring Arts grant supports the group's tour of South Dakota non-profit organizations.

## Agency Village

- Tiospa Zina Tribal School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.

## Allen

- American Horse School: \$3,600 + travel. AISC grants support 4 one-week artist residencies at the school.

## Baltic

- Retreat at Pointer's Ridge: \$4,000. Project grant supports artist residencies at Pointer's Ridge.
- Baltic Area Community Club: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency.

## Belle Fourche

- BF Middle School JAM Program: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports one-week, dual-artist residency at the school.

## Beresford

- Public Domain Tune Band: \$750. Touring Arts grant supports the group's tour of South Dakota non-profit organizations.

## Big Stone City

- Big Stone City School District: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports one-week, dual artist residency in the district.

## Bison

- Bison School District: \$1,600 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week artist residencies in the district.

## Black Hawk

- Black Hills Blues Society: \$2,000. Project grant supports the 2015 BH Blues Showcase and participation in the International Blues Challenge in Memphis, TN.

## Brandon

- Robert Bennis Elementary PTA: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.
- Brandon Valley Intermediate School PTA: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.

## Britton

- Northern Fort Playhouse: \$2,500. Project grant supports the Playhouse's summer season.
- Britton-Hecla School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.

## Brookings

- Prairie Repertory Theatre: \$11,527. Arts Challenge grant supports seasonal programming of Prairie Rep in both Brookings and Brandon.
- South Dakota Art Museum: \$21,671. Arts Challenge grant supports the collection, preservation, and exhibition of visual art and other year-round programming at the Museum.
- Brookings Arts Council: \$4,570. Arts Challenge grant supports the Council as it maintains a gallery and art center and provides a variety of arts experiences for the citizens of Brookings.
- Brookings Chamber Music Society: \$2,000. Project grant supports the society's annual concert series.
- SDSU Music Department: \$3,000. Project grant supports SDSU's String Project to strengthen orchestral programs in the public schools.
- South Dakota Center for the Book/SD Humanities Council: \$10,000. Statewide Services grant supports the 11th annual South Dakota Festival of Books, featuring 50 authors and a variety of other activities.
- SDSU – Civic Symphony: \$3,000. Importation of Musicians grant supports the importation of professional musicians to supplement local musicians for the 2014-2015 Symphony season.
- Diana Behl: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's development of a series of mixed print media works and to assist in the dissemination of the work to new geographic audiences.
- Karen Kinder: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the creation and marketing of the artist's work.
- Hillcrest Elementary School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grant supports a two-week artist residency at the school.

## Canton

- Canton School District: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grant supports a two-week artist at Lawrence Elementary School.

## Castlewood

- Castlewood School District: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the school.

## Chamberlain

- St. Joseph's Indian School: \$1,800 + travel. AISC grants support 3 one-week artist residencies at the school.
- Missouri Valley Arts Council: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual artist residency in the community.

## Clear Lake

- Deuel School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.

## Custer

- Black Hills Playhouse: \$23,879. Arts Challenge grant supports summer season in Custer State Park.
- Custer Elementary School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.

## Deadwood / Lead

- Historic Deadwood Lead Arts Council: \$5,261. Arts Challenge grant supports yearly programming of the local arts council.
- Chamber Music Festival: \$5,000. Project grant supports classical chamber music concerts and educational activities at events in Black Hills and Pine Ridge communities throughout the month of July.
- Historic Deadwood Lead Arts Council: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency

## Dupree

- Dupree After School Program: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.

## Eagle Butte

- The Keya Foundation: \$4,000. Project grant supports Lakota Artistry Cooperative members' education, art supplies and artist development.

## Elk Point

- Ashton Bird: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's creation of an installation that will be exhibited at the Washington Pavilion Visual Arts Center in Sioux Fall.
- Elk Point Jefferson High School: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual artist residency at the school.

## Faulkton

- Faulkton Arts Council: \$2,800 + travel. AISC grants support 4 weeks of artist residency activities in the school and community.

## Fort Pierre

- Jim Szana Trio: \$5,000. Touring Arts grant supports the group's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations
- Stanley County G.O.L.D. Program: \$2,000. AISC grant supports a 2-week, dual-artist residency.

## Freeman

- Swiss Choral Society: \$1,000. Project grant supports the Society's annual fall concert, which this year will be a performance of Mendelssohn's *Elijah*.

## Gregory

- Gregory School District: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency in the district.

## Herrick

- Native American Advocacy Program: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency.

## Hill City

- Hill City Arts Council: \$7,718. Arts Challenge grant supports HCAC's season of activities and events.
- Black Hills Film Festival: \$4,000. Project grant supports the 7th annual festival showcasing independent films for public viewing and featuring workshops for filmmakers, writers, actors, and cinematographers.
- Kristin Donnan and Ariadne Albright (Vermillion): \$6,000. Artist Collaboration grant supports the production of an illustrated book titled *Self-Service: An Artist in Healthcare*, designed for artists, art educators, and students interested in arts service careers in the wellness field.
- Boys & Girls Club of the BH (Hill City Unit): \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency.

## Hot Springs

- Theresa Slagel: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's apprenticeship with 2 North American master weavers.
- Hot Springs Elementary School: \$2,400 + travel. AISC grants support 2 two-week artist residencies at the school.

## Hoven

- Hoven Elementary School: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency at the school.

## Huron

- Center for Independent Living: \$2,000. Project grant supports the production of a play by Kelsy Schoenhaar, featuring actors with and without disabilities.

## Kimball

- Kimball School District: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week artist residencies, one at the elementary school and another at the junior high and high school.

## Kyle

- Tilda St. Pierre: \$5,000. Artist Fellowship grant supports the artist's professional development in teaching folk and traditional arts in tribal communities.

## Lennox

- Lennox Elementary PACE: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artistic residency.

## Leola

- Leola School: \$2,000 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week, dual artist residencies at the school.

## Madison

- Madison Area Arts Council: \$4,000. Project grant supports the Arts Council's year of performances and provides operating support for activities in the Brick House Community Arts Center.
- Cassie Marie Edwards: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's creation, exhibition and promotion of her work.
- Madison Central School Educational Foundation: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the school.

## Martin

- Dallas Chief Eagle: \$6,500. Touring Arts grant supports the artists' tour – *Nurturing the Tree/Hoop of Life* – to South Dakota nonprofit organizations.

## McLaughlin

- McLaughlin School District: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency in the district.

## Milbank

- Koch Elementary School PPE: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grant supports a two-week artist residency in the school.
- Milbank High School: \$3,600 + travel. AISC grant supports a 6-week artist residency at the school.

## Mission

- Sinte Gleska University: \$4,000. Project grant supports the Northern Plains Indian Art Market held in Sioux Falls in September.

## Mitchell

- Area Community Theatre of Mitchell. \$12,054: Arts Challenge grant supports the theater's annual performance season.
- South Dakota Art Education Association: \$2,000. Project grant supports professional development activities for art teachers during ADAEA's convention.
- Area Community Theatre: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports one-week, dual-artist residency.

## Murdo

- Jones County High School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the school.

## Nemo

- Lead/Deadwood & Tech Campus: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the Tech Campus.

## New Underwood

- Duane Reichert ~ *Backstage With a Rodeo Clown*: \$3,000. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.

## Onida

- Agar-Blunt-Onida School District: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the district.

## Pierre

- Pierre Players: \$6,386. Arts Challenge grant supports the year-round season of Pierre Players Community Theatre.
- Capital City Children's Chorus: \$4,138. Arts Challenge grant supports the general operating expenses of the Children's Chorus' annual season of activities.
- Dakota Western Heritage Festival: \$1,250. Project grant supports a heritage of the American West festival featuring cowboy music, story telling and poetry; art exhibits, demonstrations and workshops.
- South Dakota Historical Society Foundation: \$1,000. Project grant supports a reprinting of the book "Skylines and Wood Smoke" by Badger Clark.

## Pine Ridge

- Heritage Center at Red Cloud Indian School: \$15,598. Arts Challenge grant supports the Heritage Center's yearlong activities designed to collect, preserve and exhibit the tribal arts of the Lakota and the fine arts of all Native Americans.

## Platte

- Platte-Geddes School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the school.

## Rapid City

- Rapid City Arts Council: \$27,847. Arts Challenge grant supports a variety of visual and performing arts programming available to the people of Rapid City and the larger geographical area it serves.
- Black Hills Community Theatre: \$13,339. Arts Challenge grant supports BHCT's season of theatrical productions and educational outreach activities.
- Black Hills Symphony Orchestra: \$13,902. Arts Challenge grant supports the Symphony's concert season and educational outreach activities for youth of the Black Hills region.
- Black Hills Chamber Music Society: \$2,417. Arts Challenge grant supports the Society's season of performances and activities.

- Rapid City Children’s Chorus: \$4,263. Arts Challenge grant supports the Children’s Chorus’ annual season of performances and outreach activities.
- Main Street Square: \$4,000. Project grant supports “A Gathering of People, Wind and Water, celebrating Native peoples and the art of the Great Plains.
- Backroom Productions: \$5,000 Project grant supports Backroom’s indie press project, a succession of events that will identify promising authors and publish their writing in a series of anthologies.
- Arts Rapid City: \$2,000. Project grant supports Intermedia Arts’ *Creative Community Leadership Institute*, which will produce a series of workshops in Rapid City for cross-sector community leaders.
- Black Hills Playhouse Alumni Association: \$3,000. Project grant supports the production and publication of *The Dream Lives on . . . The Black Hills Playhouse 1995 – 2014*, as a sequel to an earlier publication covering the beginning years of the Playhouse.
- Rural America Initiatives: \$2,000. Project grant supports a collaborative project with the Pine Ridge Area Chamber of Commerce that will create an Indian Winter Art Market and Sale in Rapid City.
- Deborah Mitchell: \$5,000. Artist Fellowship grant supports the artist’s creation of a new body of work and prepare it to tour as a one-person exhibition throughout South Dakota.
- Tenyoh (Yoko Sugawara): \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist’s transition into a full-time career as an artist. Funds will be used for materials to exhibit and market her artwork.
- Kjetil Groven & Stanton Hope: \$3,966. Traditional Arts Apprenticeship grant supports a blacksmithing apprenticeship between master artist Groven and apprentice artist Hope.
- Hank Harris: \$3,000. Touring Arts grant supports the artist’s tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Rapid Valley Elementary PTA: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.
- Wilson Elementary: \$1,800 + travel. AISC grants support 3 weeks of artist residencies at the school.
- Meadowbrook Elementary (Congress of Parents): \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.
- Zion Lutheran School: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency at the school.
- St. Elizabeth Seton School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week artist residencies at the school.
- YMCA of Rapid City: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual artist residency.
- Rapid City Arts Council: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual artist residency.
- Black Hills Works: \$19,200 + travel. AISC grants support 32 weeks of artist residencies at the arts center.

### Red Owl

- Robert Dennis and Lori Boggs: \$4,000. Traditional Arts Apprenticeship grant supports a saddle making apprenticeship with mater artist Dennis and apprentice artist Boggs from Howes, SD.

### Rosebud

- Keith Braveheart and Jim Cortez: \$4,540. Artist Collaboration grant supports the production of a film that documents the story of the Lakota artist.



## Rosholt

- Rosholt School District: \$2,800 + travel. AISC grants support 4 weeks of artist residencies in the district.

## Salem

- McCook Central School: \$1,600 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week artist residencies in the school.

## Scotland

- Scotland School District: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the district.

## Selby

- Busy Blue Birds 4-H Club: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency in the community.

## Sioux Falls

- Sioux Falls Arts Council: \$7,638. Arts Challenge grant supports the year-round activities of the Arts Council.
- Sioux Falls Jazz & Blues Society: \$34,448. Arts Challenge grant supports the Society's annual summer JazzFest, a jazz concert series throughout the year, and outreach activities such as the Jazz Diversity Project.
- South Dakota Symphony Orchestra: \$41,037. Arts Challenge grant supports the Symphony's season of orchestral music, special concerts, and education and touring programs.
- Washington Pavilion: \$45,000. Arts Challenge grant supports visual arts exhibitions, performances and other activities that are part of the Pavilion's season of arts events.
- Sioux Empire Community Theatre: \$11,975. Arts Challenge grant supports the Theatre's season of community-based productions.
- SculptureWalk Sioux Falls: \$18,695. Arts Challenge grant supports a series of activities throughout the year.
- Dakota Players: \$6,898. Arts Challenge grant supports the group's year-round activities including touring and outreach to communities across the state.
- Dakota Sky Foundation: \$4,909. Arts Challenge grant supports the annual Dakota Sky International Piano Festival, featuring a wide variety of events including recitals, children's concerts, and public lectures.
- Singing Boys of Sioux Falls: \$2,082. Arts Challenge grant supports the organization's year-round season of performances and activities.
- LifeScope (Children's Care): \$4,750. Project grant supports the inclusion and participation of children and adults of all abilities in a music, dance, and movement-based public performance.
- South Dakota Friends of Traditional Music: \$3,500. Project grant supports the Sioux River Folk Festival, an annual public event at Newton Hills State Park near Canton.
- Eide/Dalrymple Gallery at Augustana: \$3,000. Project grant supports an exhibition of sculptures by South Dakota-born artist Bridget Beck and the artist's workshops with high school and middle school students to produce two community collaborations.

- High Plains Woodwinds: \$1,500. Project grant supports the performance of 2 public concerts and additional community outreach concerts.
- Tallgrass Recovery and Sober Living Homes: \$1,000. Project grant supports the annual Recovery Art Show, a community-based partnership designed to bring together diverse groups of individuals to establish a dialogue on the struggles of addiction and the beauty of a life of recovery.
- Bruce Preheim: \$5,000. Artist Fellowship grant supports the artist's creation of work for a major exhibiton at the Washington Pavilion in February 2016.
- Cedric Chatterly: \$5,000. Artist Fellowship supports the artist's production of handmade cameras and the creation of photographs with these cameras.
- Stephen Bormes: \$5,000. Artist Fellowship supports the creation and installation of 70 works for a 2016 exhibition at the Washington Pavilion.
- Brittany Vogt: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's professional growth by providing materials for new work, helping create a website for marketing purposes, and preparing work for exhibitions.
- Laura Jewell: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's creation of materials for better presentation and marketing of her work.
- Christopher Briewer: \$2,000. Artist Project grant supports the artist's creation of illustrations and artwork for a motion comic e-book and turning it into an animated episode for the web.
- Tara Geister-Barney: \$2,000. Artist Project grant supports "Operation: All for the Walls," a collaborative project between the artist and Dakotabilities to provide art classes for clients with disabilities. .
- Comfort Theatre: \$5,500. Touring Arts grant supports the company's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Dakota Jazz Collective: \$2,500. Touring Arts grant supports the group's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Dakota Players: \$7,500. Touring Arts grant supports the theater's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Flower and Flame: \$3,000. Touring Arts grant supports the group's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Maggie in the Meantime: \$3,000. Touring Arts grant supports the group's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Phil Baker: \$7,500. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Dakota String Quartet: \$10,500. Touring Arts grant supports the ensemble's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Dakota Wind Quintet: \$10,500. Touring Arts grant supports the ensemble's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Dakota Chamber Orchestra: \$13,000. Touring Arts grant supports the chamber orchestra's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- South Dakota Symphony Orchestra: \$3,000. Touring Arts grant supports the symphony's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Sioux Falls Jazz and Blues Society: \$4,000. Touring Arts grant supports the Society's tour of the Jazz Diversity Project to South Dakota nonprofit organizations.

- John Harris Elementary School: \$2,400 + travel. AISC grants support 2 two-week artist residencies at the school.
- Anne Sullivan Elementary School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grant supports a two-week artist residency at the school.
- Eugene Field A+ Elementary School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grant supports a two-week artist residency at the school.
- Challenge Center at Robert Frost Elementary: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency.
- SF Christian Elementary School: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency in the school.
- SF Lutheran School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grant supports a two-week artist residency at the school.
- LifeScope (Children's Care Hospital & School): \$5,200 + travel. AISC grants support 6 weeks of artist residencies at the school.
- Sanford Arts: \$25,200 + travel. AISC grants support 42 weeks of artist residencies in the Medical Center cancer treatment facility.

### Sisseton

- Sisseton Arts Council. \$4,000: Project grant supports the Council's season of events and activities,
- Sisseton School District: \$6,000 + travel. AISC grants support 10 weeks of artist residencies in district schools.
- Sisseton Arts Council: \$2,400 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-month artist residency in the community.

### Spearfish

- Matthews Opera House and Arts Center: \$21,542. Arts Challenge grant supports a wide variety of arts programming. The organization produces community theatre productions at the Matthews Opera House, operates an art gallery, presents touring performing artists, showcases local visual artists, organizes a summer outdoor art festival and winter art show, a foreign film series and other activities.
- Dick Termes / Termespheres & Lectures: \$5,000. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Gordy Pratt: \$6,500. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organization.
- Markie Scholz / Dragons Are Too Seldom Puppet Theatre: \$7,000. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Jami Lynn Buttke: \$2,000. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.

### St. Onge

- Randy Aldrich and Tee Ridley: \$3,990. Traditional Arts Apprenticeship grant supports a saddle making apprenticeship with master artist Aldrich and apprentice artist Ridley.

### Sturgis

- Sturgis Area Arts Council: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports one-week, dual-artist residency.

## Timber Lake

- Timber Lake Middle School: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency at the school.

## Valley Springs

- Jim Groth: \$750. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Valley Springs Elementary PTA: \$600 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week artist residency in the school.

## Vermillion

- South Dakota Public Broadcasting: \$10,000. Statewide Services grant supports weekday broadcasts of the "Arts Calendar" on SDPB Radio and the written and audio archive of "Arts Calendar" on SDPB Internet as well as other news and feature reports that air several times a month and special programs such as "Food for Thought."
- National Music Museum: \$23,576. Arts Challenge grant supports the Museum's mission to serve the people of South Dakota and the nation as an international center for collecting and conserving musical instruments of all cultures and bringing people together to study, enjoy and understand our diverse musical heritage.
- Vermillion Community Theatre. \$1,250: Project grant supports the July 2014 production of "Mary Poppins."
- Vermillion Area Arts Council: \$2,250. Project grant supports Messy Hands Summer Art Camp, a visual arts opportunity for area youth 4-14 years old.
- Coyoteopoly Vermillion Rotary Club: \$3,500. Project grant supports the *South Dakota Shakespeare Festival*, which will produce its 4<sup>th</sup> season of free Shakespeare performances and arts education programming.
- Stephen Yarbrough: \$5,000. Artist Fellowship grant supports the composition of an extended concert work for orchestra and solo baritone voice, based on texts from the Psalms.
- Tracelyn Gesteland and Wyatt Smith (New Haven, CT): \$6,000. Artist Collaboration grant supports the recording of a CD featuring music for organ and mezzo-soprano. In addition to the recording, performances by the Gesteland-Smith Duo have been scheduled in Sioux Falls, Vermillion, Omaha and Colorado Springs.
- Ariadne Albright and Kristin Donnan (Hill City): \$6,000. Artist Collaboration grant supports the production of an illustrated book titled *Self-Service: An Artist in Healthcare*, designed for artists, art educators, and students interested in arts service careers in the wellness field.
- Sandra Kern Mollman: \$2,000. Artist Career Development grant supports the artist's continued development as a community-based theater artist through the purchase of research materials, professional development through the Cornerstone Theatre Company in Los Angeles, and the subsequent creation of workshops designed for SD audiences.
- Discovery Mime / Movement Theatre: \$4,000. Touring Arts grant supports the company's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Jazz Portraits: \$600. Touring Arts grant supports the ensemble's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Rawlins Piano Trio: \$1,500. Touring Arts grant supports the ensemble's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.

- Darin Wadley: \$500. Touring Arts grant supports the ensemble's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.
- Vermillion Community Theatre: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency in the community.
- Dakota Hospital Foundation: \$1,800 + travel. AISC grants support 3 one-week artist residencies at the hospital.

### Wagner

- Wagner Community School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week artist residencies at the school.

### Wakpala

- Kevin Lock: \$8,500. Touring Arts grant supports the artist's tour of South Dakota nonprofit organizations.

### Wall

- Wall School District: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency in the schools.

### Watertown

- Town Players: \$4,805. Arts Challenge grant supports Town Players' yearly season of productions.
- North Country Fiber Fair: \$1,250. Project grant supports instructional workshops with featured fiber artists Chad Alice Hagen and Sarah Anderson during this year's annual event at the Codington County Extension Complex.
- Northern Prairie Arts: \$3,000. Project grant supports Arts Night @ the Pub, a monthly showcase of visual, performing, and literary artists.

### Yankton

- Yankton Area Arts: \$8,194. Arts Challenge grant supports diverse yearly programming including arts presentations, visual art exhibitions, children's workshops, and support to artists and other organizations.
- Yankton Children's Choir: \$1,500. Project grant supports operating expenses for the 2015-2016 season.
- Sacred Heart Middle School: \$1,200 + travel. AISC grants support 2 one-week artist residencies at the school.
- Sacred Heart Elementary School: \$1,000 + travel. AISC grant supports a one-week, dual-artist residency at the school.
- SD Human Services Center: \$2,800 + travel. AISC grants support 4 weeks of artist residencies at the facility.

## Statewide

- Governor's Biennial Art Exhibition: \$7,000. Statewide Services grant supports a juried art exhibition featuring South Dakota artists that tours the state every 2 years. Members of the statewide consortium of organizations that produce and host the exhibition are the Washington Pavilion Visual Art Center, Sioux Falls; the South Dakota Art Museum, Brookings; and the Dahl Art Center, Rapid City. Additional sites sometimes host the show.