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Governor appoints Dohui Kim to serve on South Dakota Arts Council

PIERRE, S.D. — Gov. Dennis Daugaard has announced the appointment of Dohui Kim, an artist and film producer from Sioux Falls, to serve on the South Dakota Arts Council.

Kim was born and raised in Busan, South Korea where she attended Pukyong National University, obtaining a Bachelor of Humanities and Social Science in 2008. She moved to South Dakota in 2006, when she began attending Northern State University in a study abroad program, earning her B.S. in business administration and finance in 2009.

Kim is the cofounder of a project and production management company called Kandamark, LLC. She has also worked as a film producer, serving as production coordinator for two feature-length South Dakota films "Dust of War" and "Tater Tot & Patton," as well as several short films produced in South Dakota.

"Dohui will represent the arts industry in South Dakota as both an artist and a businesswoman," said Gov. Daugaard. "Her expertise in the media arts and background in finance will provide a fresh and valuable perspective to the South Dakota Arts Council, and I'm pleased she has accepted this appointment."

The South Dakota Arts Council is a state agency, organized under the Department of Tourism, providing grants and services to artists and nonprofit organizations in South Dakota with funds from the National Endowment for the Arts and the State of South Dakota.

The South Dakota Arts Council's mission is to provide grants and services to artists, arts organizations and schools across the state, with funding from the National Endowment for the Arts and South Dakota state government.

The South Dakota Department of Tourism is comprised of Tourism and the South Dakota Arts Council. The Department is led by Secretary James D. Hagen.