**ARTIST-DIRECT GRANTS**

**SUBMISSION WINDOW JAN. 1-15, 2025**

First, please thoroughly review the Grant Overview document for this grant. Applicants must answer the following questions and send a completed PDF file to artistdirect@partnersinart.ca, with the subject line "2025 Artist-Direct Application: NAME". Please ensure pages are also numbered.

Applicants need to submit the following in order, in one PDF:

* Completed Application Form
* Letter of Exhibition Confirmation
* CV
* Images/Documentation or Video Links

**APPLICATION FORM**

**Name:**

**Pronouns:**

**Emerging or Mid-Career Artist:**

**Mailing Address:**

Please ensure you have documentation you reside in the GTA, if requested.

**E-mail address:**

**Website:**

**Please provide 50 word summary of your application in this format**:

"I am a (emerging or mid-career) artist working in (medium) with an upcoming exhibition at (Canadian Gallery) in (dates)."

For example:

"I am a mid-career artist working in photography and sculpture with an upcoming exhibition at Gallery in November 2025”.

**Tell us about your overall artistic practice, history, and achievements (Maximum 300 words)**

* What are your most notable projects/exhibitions?
* What medium do you normally work in?
* What are some overarching or connecting themes/interests in your practice?
* If you identify as an equity-seeking group, you may choose to refer to this here.

**Tell us about the project/exhibition you are applying for. What are you planning to do, and what do you want to achieve with this project? (Maximum 425 words)**

* What is important to you in your work (cultural influences, geography, community, language, environment, technology, etc.) and why?
* What will you create, with what media, and what will your exhibition look like?
* How might this project advance and/or impact your practice/career and further dialogue around contemporary art?
* Why are you excited about this project?

**Budget Summary (Max 150 Words)**

* Please provide us with a short 3-5 sentence summary on how you will use the funds.
* 50% of this grant ($2500) can be paid towards artist fees.

**Attachments**

**Letter of Exhibition Confirmation (Maximum 1 page)**

* Your exhibition must take place between May 2025 - May 2026.
* Please see full eligibility on exhibition hosts;
* Please ask the host gallery/museum/organization to provide a short one-page document confirming your exhibition, including date, curator (when applicable), exhibition title, and any other pertinent information.

**Current Curriculum Vitae (Maximum 3 pages)**

**Documentation of previous work(s) and/or the work-in-progress**

* Max 10 images, no larger than 5 MB
* Video: Provide links via Vimeo or YouTube

Reminder: Applicants need to submit the form + CV + Documentation (in order) in 1

PDF with numbered pages. If possible,please compress the size of the PDF file.