# RESOURCES AVAILABLE FOR ARTISTS DURING COVID-19

#### WHAT SHOULD ARTISTS BE DOING?

- If COVID-19 has affected your employment, make sure your employer has applied for your unemployment with the Department
  of Labor.
- Prepare submissions for open calls.
- Subscribe to the sites below to be the first to see new art calls and to stay up-to-date on resources for artists.

### **ACTIVE LISTS OF RESOURCES\***

- <u>Artists Thrive</u> has compiled and is continually updating a running list of emergency and other resources for artists.
- <u>Burnaway</u> has a running list of resources for Southern artists.
- <u>Springboard for the Arts</u> has compiled and is continually updating a running list of emergency and other resources for artists, individuals, and organizations.
- <u>The Georgia Council for the Arts</u> has lists of resources for <u>non-profit arts organizations</u> and <u>individual artists</u>.
- Americans for the Arts has a list of CARES Act and other federal resources, as well as resources for individuals, organizations at the local, county/regional, state, and national levels. Americans for the Arts also has great data dashboards on the impact COVID-19 has had on the arts community in the U.S.
- <u>The National Endowment for the Arts</u> has a list of national resources for artists and arts organizations.
- <u>Creative Capital</u> has compiled a list of resources for artists, including online workshops, local, state, and national grants.
- Artists at Risk Connection has compiled a list of resources for artists, organized by discipline, including all, visual, media, performance, writers, musicians, filmmakers, cultural professionals, and arts organizations. In addition to
  - financial assistance, ARC also has a list of legal resources, federal support, and webinars to help artists navigate during COVID-19.
- Adobe has a list of grants for visual artists affected by COVID-19.

Artwork Archive has a list of international, national, and regional grants for artists. You may also sign up for weekly emails to receive notices about the latest grants available.

\*As of April 29, 2020

#### **EMERGENCY FUNDS**

- <u>PEN America</u> has applications open for the Writers' Emergency Fund for writers and authors in literary, theater, and journalism fields.
- <u>United States Artists</u> just launched an Artist Relief Fund of \$5,000 each to individual artists facing economic hardship.

#### **OTHER RESOURCES**

- <u>The Athens Cultural Affairs Commission</u> is awarding five \$1,500 Arts and Community grants. The deadline is May 20.
- <u>Americans for the Arts</u> is archiving their very informative webinars on COVID-19 policy updates and resources.
- The Georgia Council for the Arts is distributing National Endowment for the Arts funds for FY20 Partner, Project, Arts Education Program, or Vibrant Communities grant recipients whose program/event/season has been rescheduled or canceled due to COVID-19.
- <u>GURU</u> has more than 2,500 free lance jobs currently posted, ranging from creative writing to programming to data entry.
- <u>FIVERR</u> has voiceover gigs and administrative service positions available.
- <u>UPWORK</u> has positions ranging from social media managers, Excel experts, to customer service representatives.

## BE THE FIRST TO KNOW ABOUT NEW GRANTS & ART CALLS

- Sign up to receive artist calls from all over the United States at <a href="PublicArtist.org">PublicArtist.org</a> and <a href="AnyArtist.org">AnyArtist.org</a>.
- CODAworx has open artist calls from all over the country. Sign up for weekly emails to receive their newsletter with the latest calls.



