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NEA Announces Second Round of Grants for FY 2016

The National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) will award \$82,357,050 in grants to fund 1,148 projects in the second major grant announcement of its [50th anniversary](#). In this round, 1,002 Art Works grants, totaling \$26,019,500, are to be awarded to organizations across the country.

Art Works grants support:

- Creation of art that meets the highest standards of excellence
- Presentation of new and existing work
- Public engagement with diverse and excellent art
- Lifelong learning in the arts

In this round of Art Works funding,

- The NEA and the review panels it convened examined 1,763 eligible applications.
- Grants will be made to 57 percent of those applicants.
- Amounts range from \$10,000 to \$120,000 with a median grant amount of \$20,000.

Additionally, through the Our Town grant program, the NEA’s signature program for creative placemaking or art-based community development, 64 grants, totaling \$4.3 million, are also to be awarded.

59 TCG Member Theatres collectively received 61 awards totaling \$1,468,000 in these categories: Theater and Musical Theater, Arts Education, Presenting and Multidisciplinary Works, Media Arts, and Dance (all disciplines encompassed by Art Works), as well as Our Town.

The NEA announced the following awards to TCG Member Theatres:

Art Works Grants (60 across 5 disciplines)

Theater and Musical Theater (52)

American Shakespeare Center	\$ 15,000
Appalshop, Inc. (Roadside Theater)	\$ 20,000
Arizona Theatre Company	\$ 15,000
Barrington Stage Company Inc.	\$ 10,000
Book-It Repertory Theatre	\$ 10,000



California Shakespeare Theater	\$ 30,000
Center for Puppetry Arts	\$ 10,000
Chicago Shakespeare Theater	\$ 75,000
Children's Theatre Company	\$ 10,000
Civilians, Inc.	\$ 10,000
Dorset Theatre Festival	\$ 15,000
East-West Players, Inc.	\$ 25,000
Elm Shakespeare Company	\$ 15,000
foolsFURY Theater Company	\$ 10,000
GALA Inc., Grupo de Artistas Latinoamericanos (GALA Hispanic Theatre)	\$ 35,000
Geffen Playhouse, Inc.	\$ 15,000
Gillourey Institute (Silk Road Rising)	\$ 10,000
Girl Be Heard Institute	\$ 20,000
Horizon Theatre Company, Inc.	\$ 20,000
Idaho Shakespeare Festival, Inc.	\$ 15,000
Independent Shakespeare Co. Inc.	\$ 15,000
Jungle Theatre	\$ 15,000
Knights of Indulgence Theatre United States (The Imaginists)	\$ 10,000
L.A. Theatre Works	\$ 55,000
Latino Theater Company	\$ 20,000
Mabou Mines Development Foundation, Inc.	\$ 15,000
Miami Theater Center	\$ 10,000
Nashville Repertory Theatre, Inc.	\$ 10,000
New Repertory Theatre, Inc.	\$ 10,000
New York Shakespeare Festival	\$ 100,000
Old Globe Theatre	\$ 38,000
Olney Theatre Corporation	\$ 15,000
Pan Asian Repertory Theatre, Inc.	\$ 30,000
Pasadena Playhouse State Theatre of California, Inc.	\$ 40,000
Penobscot Theatre Company	\$ 10,000
Phamaly Theatre Company	\$ 20,000
Pillsbury United Communities (Pillsbury House Theatre)	\$ 45,000
Playwrights Realm Inc	\$ 15,000
Shakespeare Festival St. Louis	\$ 20,000
Spanish Theatre Repertory Company, Ltd.	\$ 40,000
Stages Theatre Company, Inc.	\$ 10,000



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Ten Thousand Things	\$ 35,000
Theater Mu Incorporated	\$ 15,000
Theatre @ Boston Court	\$ 10,000
Theatre Latte-Da	\$ 10,000
Touchstone	\$ 15,000
Tricklock Company	\$ 20,000
Weston Playhouse Theatre	\$ 15,000
Williamstown Theatre Foundation, Inc.	\$ 15,000
Women's Project & Productions	\$ 45,000
Wooster Group, Inc.	\$ 25,000
Working Theatre Company, Inc.	\$ 15,000
Total for category:	\$ \$1,148,000

Arts Education (4)

Epic Theatre Center, Inc.	\$ 30,000
Philadelphia Young Playwrights	\$ 35,000
Round House Theatre	\$ 15,000
Young Playwrights' Theater, Inc.	\$ 50,000
Total for category:	\$ 130,000

Presenting and Multidisciplinary Works (1)

Emerson College (ArtsEmerson)	\$ 15,000
Total for category:	\$ 15,000



Media Arts (2)

L.A. Theatre Works	\$ 30,000
La MaMa Experimental Theatre Club, Inc.	\$ 25,000
Total for category:	\$ 55,000

Dance (1)

La MaMa Experimental Theatre Club, Inc.	\$ 20,000
Total for category:	\$ 20,000

Total of all TCG Member Theatres' Art Works Grants: \$1,368,000

Our Town Grant (1)

Pangea World Theater	\$ 100,000
Total for category:	\$ 100,000

Also included in the announcement are State & Regional Partnership Agreements and Research: Art Works, which funds research that investigates the impact of the arts on individuals and groups.

[Complete lists of all awardees](#) and more detailed information about [Art Works](#) and [Our Town](#) can be found on the NEA website, along with [a timetable of upcoming grant application deadlines](#).