2019-2020 Inspiration Grant Round 2

ArtsKC - Regional Arts Council

Evaluation Form

**Note to Evaluators** - Thank you for reading!

*Scoring* is most important, although if you would like to write a comment, or an answer to a question that supports your score, please do so. Brief answers are best. If you direct your response to the applicant, it's best to use a balance of direct critique and professional respect. Your answers will be compiled into Feedback Emails to applicants, but anonymously, and may be re-worded.

**Project Name**
Name of Project
*Character Limit: 100*

**Question Group**
Inspiration Grants are “for individual artists and arts professionals for projects or career development, in recognition of the valuable contributions they make to our local community...an investment in human capital, providing direct support to individual artists and arts professionals for projects and activities that have the potential to advance their careers and build their capacity for future work.”

Priorities for Funding: projects or activities with the potential to have substantial impact on the career development and working capacity of the individuals involved will be the highest priorities for funding. Applications for assistance with normal, “business as usual” expenses involved with the applicant’s customary art practice or professional activities are not considered to be a high priority for funding.

**Artistic Achievement and Quality**
Does this request indicate a high level of excellence in artistic achievement from the applicant? Do you believe that this would be a worthwhile investment of Inspiration funding, given the high level of competition from other applicants?
*Character Limit: 1000*
Artistic Achievement and Quality Score*
5 - Excellent
4 - Very Good
3 - Adequate
2 - Poor
1 - Unacceptable
0 - N/A

Scoring Options: 0 - 5

Career and Community Impact
Does this project have the potential for substantial impact on the career development and working capacity of the individuals involved? Will there be a positive impact on the Kansas City creative community, or on Kansas City's reputation and visibility as a thriving hub for arts and culture?

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Career and Community Impact Rating*
5 - Excellent
4 - Very Good
3 - Adequate
2 - Poor
1 - Unacceptable
0 - N/A

Scoring Options: 0 - 5

Feasibility and Budget
Given the process and budget, does the project have a good chance of being completed successfully? If the request is more than $1,500, does the applicant have matching funds for the amount that is over $1,500? Is this request for "business as usual" expenses, which are not a priority for Inspiration funding?

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Feasibility and Budget Score*
5 - Excellent
4 - Very Good
3 - Adequate
2 - Poor
1 - Unacceptable
0 - N/A

**Scoring Options:** 0 - 5

**Questions, Comments and Future Advice**
Do you have any advice or comments for the artist to consider for their full proposal or for a future application?

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**Funding Recommendation***
Should this project be moved on to the application stage?

**Choices**
Yes
No
Maybe