

Design Innovation Grant FY19

Rhode Island State Council on the Arts

Name of Project*

Please enter the words "Design Innovation Grant" on this line

Character Limit: 30

Applicant Discipline*

Choose your **primary** arts discipline or art form. The drop down menu is divided by numbered categories with lettered subcategories. We encourage you to use the supplemental letters (e.g. 07A for Clay instead of 07 for Crafts), but this is optional.

Choices

01 Dance
A Ballet
B Ethnic/Jazz
C Modern
02 Music
A Band
B Chamber
C Choral
D New
E Ethnic
F Jazz
G Popular
H Solo/Recital
I Orchestral
03 Opera/Musical Theatre
A Opera
B Musical Theatre
04 Theatre
A General
B Mime
D Puppet
E Theatre for Young Audiences
05 Visual Arts
A Experimental
B Graphics
D Painting
F Sculpture
06 Design Arts
A Architecture
B Fashion
C Graphic
D Industrial
E Interior
F Landscape Architecture

G Urban/Metropolitan

07 Crafts

A Clay

B Fiber

C Glass

D Leather

E Metal

F Paper

G Plastic

H Wood

I Mixed Media

08 Photography

09 Media Arts

A Film

B Audio

C Video

D Technology/Experimental

10 Literature

A Fiction

B Non-Fiction

C Playwriting

D Poetry

11 Interdisciplinary**12 Folklife/Traditional Arts**

A Folk/Traditional Dance

B Folk/Traditional Music

C Folk/Traditional Crafts & Visual Arts

D Oral Traditions (include folk/traditional

13 Humanities storytelling)**14 Multidisciplinary****15 Non-Arts/Non-Humanities****Grantee Race***

Our federal funders require that we collect information on grantee race/ethnicity. Providing this information now is optional. If you respond, please select the most appropriate choice from the list below. (Please note that if you do receive RISCA funds, this information will be required in your final report.)

Choices

A Asian

B Black/African American

H Hispanic/Latino

N American Indian/Alaska Native

P Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

W White

Congressional District of Applicant

District of the United States House of Representatives in which applicant's home address is located. Go to the Secretary of State's Voter Information Center at <https://sos.ri.gov/vic/> and enter your address. Scroll to the bottom of the page results to locate your Congressional district.

Character Limit: 3

Rhode Island House District of Applicant

District of the **Rhode Island** House of Representatives in which applicant's home address is located. Go to the Secretary of State's Voter Information Center at <https://sos.ri.gov/vic/> and enter your address for information. Scroll to the bottom of the results page to locate Rhode Island House district.

Character Limit: 3

Rhode Island Senate District of Applicant

District of the **Rhode Island** Senate in which applicant's home address is located. Go to the Secretary of State's Voter Information Center at <https://sos.ri.gov/vic/> and enter your address. Scroll to the bottom of the results page to locate your Rhode Island Senate district.

Character Limit: 3

Applicant Eligibility

Are you at least 18 years of age?*

Applicants must be at least eighteen years of age to apply for RISCA funds.

Choices

Yes

No

Are you a US Citizen or Green Card holder and a resident of the State of Rhode Island?*

You must be A United States citizen or Green Card holder and a current, legal resident of the State of Rhode Island. You must have established legal residence in Rhode Island for a minimum of twelve consecutive months prior to the date of application and you must be a current legal resident of the State of Rhode Island at the time that grant funds are disbursed. Rhode Island State Law (§44-30-5) defines a "resident" as someone "who is domiciled in this state" or "who is not domiciled in this state but maintains a permanent place of abode in this state and is in this state for an aggregate of more than one hundred eighty-three (183) days of the taxable year." If an individual selected for a grant award is no longer a resident of the State of Rhode Island when funds are to be disbursed, the grant award may be withdrawn.

Choices

Yes

No

Are you a student in an arts degree program?*

Students attending high school or students pursuing undergraduate or graduate degrees in an arts discipline or an arts-related subject area at the time of application may not apply.

Choices

Yes

No

Past DIG award recipients are ineligible to apply in the same category for two deadlines following receipt of an award (For example, if you apply on October 1, 2013 and receive an award, you may not apply again until October 1, 2016). Past Fellowship or Grant recipients may not reapply for RISCA support unless all final reports for previous awards have been submitted.

Resume or CV

Resume or CV Upload (and optional Bio)*

Please upload a copy of your resume or CV as a pdf, Word or text document. Also feel free to use the space below to provide us with a brief bio.

Character Limit: 1000 | File Size Limit: 2 MB

Design Proposal

Description of Design Idea*

The DIG grant is a cash award for Rhode Island designers who demonstrate excellence and innovation in their field. Awards are based upon samples of past work and a proposal for future work. Grant recipients are not required to pursue implementation of winning design proposals or completion of design projects. However, award recipients will be asked to pursue the next phase of their project such as meeting with potential partners, creating more detailed schematics, creating a project development plan, etc.

Please provide a brief summary of your DIG proposal below.

Character Limit: 500

Problem Statement*

What is the need or issue that your design project seeks to address?

Character Limit: 1000

Description of the design concept or project.

A detailed description of the design, including specific components, and how it will function.

Character Limit: 1000

Development Phase

What is the current phase of development of this project, and what would the next phase be if you were to receive this grant. Please include specific anticipated outcomes (ie, presentation as a design conference, a functioning model, creation of detailed plans for production, etc.).

Character Limit: 1000

Innovation and Public Benefit

How is this project new and innovative, and what is the potential public benefit?

Character Limit: 1000

The applicant must be the primary creative force behind the work. No other artist may submit the same proposal or support materials as their own at this deadline or in any future RISCA application.

Work Samples Upload

The DIG application requires submission of images including draft representations of your design idea and examples of design work completed within the past three (3) years. These images may include preliminary plans, elevations, sketches, photographs, etc.

Work submitted for the DIG grant may not be submitted for a Fellowship award during this or any future deadline.

Please upload up to 8 images below as jpegs or pdfs. Each image may be as large as 2 MB. We recommend that you size your files as close to 2 MB as possible without going over that size limit. Large digital files (such as CAD drawings) may be attached as pdfs. Files that are too large to attach or video and other media may be emailed to mollie.flanagan@arts.ri.gov or shared with support-material@arts.ri.gov via GoogleDrive.

File names must include the number order in which they are to be viewed and the title of the work. (For example "1_alt_space_rendering")

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that their proposal, resume or CV, work samples and work samples list are prepared and submitted adequately to RISCA for panel review.

Questions regarding the application process may be directed to mollie.flanagan@arts.ri.gov at least 48 hours before the deadline.

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Work Samples List Upload

- Please upload your work samples list as a pdf, Word or text document.
- Your work samples list must include: title, materials, and year of completion for each image you submit with your application.
- If any other clarification about an image is necessary for the panel to understand what they are seeing, additional text may be added for clarification.
- Detail or installation views should be indicated as such.
- The image list must be numbered and must match the order in which you upload your image files to the application. Please be aware that your work will be viewed one image at a time, in the order you have designated.*

File Size Limit: 1 MB

Assurances Page (required)

By clicking the box below I agree that:*

I have met all the eligibility requirements listed in the DIG application. I certify that the information contained in this application, including all supporting documents and attachments, is my own work and true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Rhode

Island State Council on the Arts (RISCA) may reproduce the Support Materials (or a copy thereof) from funded applications for purposes of promoting RISCA programs. Ownership and copyright of the actual work remain with the applicant. I hereby release the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts, its members and employees, from any liability and/or responsibility concerning the submission of materials to this grant program.

Choices

Yes

The deadline for this application is 11:59 PM on the deadline date. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS.