In response to Coronavirus and its impacts on various communities, <u>Art Open Calls</u> & <u>Perennial Press</u> have compiled this living document containing resources for artists. Please share widely!

If you know of a resource, please <u>fill out this form</u> or add a comment to this doc. We will also continue to post resources and opportunities on our <u>Instagram</u> and our <u>monthly mailing list</u>.

If you have a stable income right now, please check out the section: "how you can help." Also consider donating \$3 to Art Open Calls to support the folks compiling these resources & keep artists connected to opportunities.

## **PREPAREDNESS**

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- Preparedness Webinar for Performing Arts Venues
- □ Sample Emergency Plans for Performing Arts Organizations
- ☐ Arts Ready Alert for Preparedness
- Daily report on Coronavirus impact on the Art World
- ☐ Coronavirus Resources for Booksellers
- ☐ The Reasonable Person's Guide to Prepping (podcast)
- □ What Trans People Need to Know about Coronavirus
- ☐ Panel: Artists in a time of Global Pandemic
- ☐ Just Stay: A Simple Self-Isolation Plan

# **EMERGENCY FUNDING**

#### ARTISTS

- ★ Artist Relief Fund
  - Fund for Seattle artists struggling in the current situation
- ★ Personal Emergency Relief Fund
  - Relief fund for Minnesota artists

#### ★ Artist Relief Tree

 Any artists can apply for funding through ART; only caveat is that you have to share their fund on your social media account.

## ★ Rauschenberg Emergency Grants

 New emergency grant program available for U.S. artists who have immediate need, up to \$5,000

## ★ Foundation for Contemporary Arts Emergency Grants

Range in amounts from \$500 to \$5,000

# ★ Patreon grant fund

- International opportunity
- You specify how much money you need and what you will use it for

## ★ Arts and Culture Leaders of Color Relief Fund

o for US-based BIPOC artists and administrators.

#### ★ Soze Foundation Artists + Activists Relief Fund

- \$250 for artists and activists impacted by COVID-19
- INTERNATIONAL opportunity
- Currently CLOSED due to # of applications but you can join waitlist

## ★ Portland Artist relief fund

o For independent artists in the Portland tri-county area

## ★ The Creator Fund

★ Spokane Artists and Creatives relief fund

## ★ Denver Artist Assistance Fund

\$1000 grants available for Denver artists

# ★ Microgrants for small businesses and artists in the RiNo Denver area

#### ★ The Photographer Fund

\$500 grants for photographers impacted by COVID-19

## **★** CERF+

Grants for craft artists infected with coronavirus.

## ★ Artists Charitable Fund

 Grants for painters and sculptors for assistance with COVID-19 related medical bills

#### ★ Artists Fellowship

Grants for fine artists with immediate medical need

## ★ Anonymous Was a Woman Emergency Relief Grant

- Professional women artists over the age of 40 in the U.S. may apply for up to \$2,500
- o Deadline April 30th, 2020

## ★ 20 summers emergency arts funding

- \$500 grants for artists, \$1000 for organizations
- Nominate an artist who needs help in this time (you can also self-nominate)

# ★ Arts Council England grants

Up to \$2500 for artists and freelancers in England

# ★ Hong Kong Arts & Culture funding

# ★ Singapore Unbound Relief Fund

o Grants of \$200 USD / \$280 SGD for creative writers who live in Singapore

## ★ Artly World Artist Relief Fund

- For artists whose income has been impacted by COVID-19
- o One-time \$200 relief stipend

#### PERFORMING ARTISTS / MUSICIANS

## ★ Actors Fund

- Fund for performance artists & entertainment workers in need
- Not just actors, as the name implies

#### ★ I Lost My Gig

Austin, TX artists who have lost gigs due to cancellations can apply to this

## ★ Sweet Relief covid-19 fund

Relief fund for musicians

#### ★ Relief fund

 Financial & addiction recovery help for professional musicians, must have proof of income from music

- ★ Healthcare for Seattle musicians
- ★ Support for musicians with tour dates canceled
- ★ Performance Artists Fund
  - Philadelphia artists in the performing arts can fill out this form to request financial help
- ★ Indie theater emergency funding
  - NYC-based performing artists who work at independent theaters can apply for emergency funding
- ★ Equal Sound Musician Relief Fund
  - For musicians who have lost gigs
- ★ Allan Slaight Relief Fund
  - For Canadian magicians who have lost gigs
- ★ Art Apart
  - Grants up to \$750 for Canadian theater artists to present a work online during quarantine
- ★ A State-by-State guide for Music Professionals Who Need Help during Coronavirus
- ★ Midway Music Speaks
  - Relief for Indiana-based musicians
- ★ Red Dirt Relief Fund
  - Grants for Oklahoma musicians

## **WRITERS**

- ★ Emergency Grants: Writers
- ★ Emergency Funding: Queer Writers of Color
- ★ 215 festival
  - Grants for Philly writers and booksellers

## LOANS

- ★ Interest-free loans
  - o for NY residents affected by Coronavirus

- ★ Interest-free loans from Kiva
  - For small businesses

#### **GENERAL**

Mutual aid is the voluntary exchange of resources, usually financial, for mutual benefit.

- ★ List of mutual aid groups by state (U.S.)
- ★ Mutual Aid in Seattle
- ★ Mutual Aid in Philly
- ★ Mutual aid groups in Britain
- ★ Discounts on Utilities in Seattle
- ★ Grants up to \$10,000 for Brooklyn Residents
- ★ Financial Assistance for NYC small businesses
- ★ Help for queer & trans folks in the South Side of Chicago
- ★ Request Assistance in San Francisco
- ★ Homegirl Emergency Fund
  - For women, non-binary, and gender expansive folks who need help with rent and other immediate expenses
  - Currently CLOSED due to overwhelming applications
- ★ Trans and Queer Relief Request Form
- ★ Grants for non-profit organizations in San Francisco
  - \$3000+ grants available for orgs addressing racial bias, worker protection, homelessness and renter protection/housing security, and food security

## FINANCIAL EDUCATION

#### **GENERAL INFO**

- □ STIMULUS CHECK CALCULATOR (U.S.)
- What to do about student loans?

	What to do if your gig is canceled			
	Information on unemployment for California artists			
	Resources for NY freelancers			
	U.S. passes relief bill			
WORKING REMOTELY				
	Remote event planning & fundraising			
	Ways of Gathering in the Age of COVID-19			
	How to transition to an online business ASAP			
	Resources for Remote work			
	Freelancers & Community Resources  Extensive document with resources for freelancers			
	Tips for Working Remotely			
	Online teaching in the context of COVID-19			
	How to Be a Better Online Teacher			
	Tips & Tools for Event Organizers during Coronavirus			
٠	Remote Work Survival Kit  Extensive document for best practices for remote working			
JOB OPENINGS				
	Survival Jobs for Actors			
	1500+ jobs from companies hiring remotely (excel spreadsheet)  ☐ All jobs posted in March 2020			

## HOW YOU CAN HELP

## DONATE

Donate to any or all of the following to help artists and organizations in need!

- ★ Immunocompromised people in need (spreadsheet)
- ★ Individuals who need help Financial Solidarity list (spreadsheet)
- ★ Seattle Artist relief fund (Gofundme)
- ★ Queer Writers of Color relief fund (Gofundme)
- \* Art Relief Tree fund (Facebook fundraiser)
- ★ Sweet Relief COVID-19 fund for musicians
- ★ Simply the Basics: delivering hygiene kits to the homeless
- ★ Relief for Discwoman DJs
- ★ Seattle Foundation's COVID-19 Response Fund (Gofundme)
- ★ East Bay Disability Allies provides short term support for folks with disabilities in the East Bay
- ★ Meals on Wheels San Francisco
- ★ Support Art Open Calls in finding opportunities for artists
- ★ Portland Coronavirus mutual aid fund
- ★ Artist Relief Fund in Sacramento (Gofundme)
- ★ Philadelphia Performance Artists Fund (Gofundme)
- ★ NYC low-income Artist and Freelancer Relief Fund (Gofundme)
- ★ The Indie Theater Fund Rapid Relief Emergency Fund (Facebook fundraiser)
- ★ Emergency Funds for Toronto's Precarious workers (spreadsheet)

- ★ Arts Leaders of Color Relief Fund (Gofundme)
- ★ 20 summers Emergency Arts Fund
- ★ Donate to Artist Now
  - Relief for Bay Area artists
  - \$500 emergency grants

#### SUPPORT SMALL BUSINESSES + INDEPENDENT ARTISTS

Small businesses are especially suffering in this hard time, with decreased foot traffic and spending. If you have \$ to spare, consider shopping here first. These are all either artists who have expressed financial need, or stores that have closed in response to the pandemic. Are you an artist or small business and want to be added? Fill out this form with your info.

- ★ List of small Bay Area businesses to support online
- ★ E.M. Wolfman Books, Oakland
- ★ Milkweed Books, Minneapolis
- ★ Bloody Girl Gang
- ★ Chiomma Hall, artist
- ★ Martian Press, L.A.
- ★ Authentic Creations Publishing Apothecary

## HIRE INDEPENDENT ARTISTS

★ COVID-19 Mutual Aid Directory of Artists

## SUBSCRIBE TO AN INDEPENDENT MAGAZINE

- **★** Bitch Magazine
  - Feminist response to pop culture
- **★** Granta
  - Magazine featuring emerging writers

# OTHER WAYS TO HELP ☐ Take the Coronavirus Impact survey from Americans for the Arts ☐ How to Support Prisoners During COVID-19 (resource doc) ■ Start an Emergency Relief Fund COLLECTIVE CARE + HEALING JUSTICE □ Collective Care is our best weapon against COVID-19 "As the COVID-19 pandemic sweeps around the world, statist and capitalist structures predictably continue to fail us in many ways. Underlying that failure is the stress on individual responses: stockpile, isolate, and care for yourself." ☐ Contains a growing list of mutual aid pandemic disaster care ☐ Community Care in the Time of Coronavirus "As COVID-19 spreads in the U.S many of us are asking: How do we connect, organize, and deepen community amidst the necessary public health practice of physical distancing? How do we combat the spread of isolation, othering, and fear? How do we learn from BIPOC, queer, and disabled communities on surviving pandemics and caring for each other? How do we stand in solidarity, mutuality, and community care, at this time of social emergency, and use what we learn toward making systemic change?" **ARTICLES** ☐ "The Only Way to Survive Is by Taking Care of One Another" ■ Interrupting Racism & Bias ☐ On Rushing Towards Apocalypse from Adrienne Maree Brown □ Coronavirus: The Case for Canceling Everything ☐ Facing COVID-19 with Community Instead of Fear

☐ In the Wake of Coronavirus, Human Connection is More Important Than Ever

## **INTERACTIVE**

☐ Autonomy + Collective Care 101 zines + printables

	Coronavirus wisdom from a social justice lens podcast
	Resources for facing Coronavirus from Adrienne Maree Brown
	Radical Healthcare Readings
	Lonely? Talk to someone else using QuarantineChat (app)
	Toolkit for healing anxiety
	Ways to Keep Busy while Social Distancing from Broken Pencil
	OPPORTUNITIES
the ver	ots of opportunities being taken away each day, we want to bring awareness to some of nues still accepting art submissions. It is important to keep up our artistic practices hard times. Even if we have to be physically distanced, we can still be artistically cted through online & print mediums.
PUBL	ICATIONS
٠	<u>Train River publishing poetry anthology</u> □ theme: COV-19, deadline ongoing
ONLI	NE EXHIBITS
٥	The Gathered Gallery  Class of 2020 exhibit, for graduating art students from Canadian colleges
٠	Social Distance Gallery  Showcasing BFA & MFA thesis exhibits that are postponed or canceled because of coronavirus.
٠	<ul> <li>In Passing Gallery</li> <li>Exhibit: "Ether", showcasing any artists who have had shows or other opportunities disrupted</li> </ul>
OTHE	ER OPPORTUNITIES
٠	<ul> <li>The Darkside Collective</li> <li>Young artists &amp; students can opt into a digital critiquing program to get feedback during this time of social distancing.</li> </ul>
۵	Postbinary mutual aid directory  Artists can submit their information to be included in a directory

□ Social Distancing Concert Streaming	
<ul> <li>Distant Sounds: Collective Participatory Sound Artwork</li> <li>Olio Gallery is accepting files to capture the ethos of Coronavirus in the world through sound. Rolling deadline, submissions will be compiled into an online exhibit.</li> </ul>	ţ
☐ Free downloadable coloring books from 113 museums	
<ul> <li>Participate in the Global Haiku Project</li> <li>Write haikus remotely with others</li> </ul>	
□ Submit videos of works in progress to Art Interrupted □ Show them what you're working on and they'll share with their community	
EXPERIENCING ART	
<ul> <li>Cancellation Watch</li> <li>Artnet's Up-to-the-Minute Guide on art-related closures + cancellations</li> </ul>	
□ <u>Distantly Together: list of online exhibitions from Young Space</u>	
☐ Monterey Bay Aquarium's Jelly Fish Live Feed	
VIRTUAL ART GALLERIES	
With museums and venues closing for the foreseeable future, we are looking for alternate was to experience and interact with art.	ays
<ul> <li>Melinda Wang's Culture Fix</li> <li>A list of venues and online tours of museums and art spaces</li> </ul>	
□ Vacant Museum □ Online gallery space □ Current exhibition on view: "The Politics of Home"	
☐ The Gathered Gallery ☐ Online gallery featuring digital art	
□ Famous museums with Virtual Tours	
■ Museum of the city of New York's virtual collections	

	De Young Museum  Current exhibit: Soul of a Nation
	McEvoy Center for the Arts <u>certainty is becoming our nemesis: exhibit of short films</u>
	WellNow.wtf  □ Virtual experience featuring a bunch of artists
٥	Feminist Art Museum  ☐ Online art museum ☐ current exhibit: UN/FEELING
ONLI	NE ART EVENTS
۵	Stay at Home Fest  ☐ Online music festival & events calendar
0	The Quarantine Sessions  ☐ Facebook group to share videos and livestreams of concerts
۵	Virtual Music Events Directory
ONLI	NE MAGAZINES
	Running Dog Issue 1: Automate Me
	Crooked Arrow Press Issue 5: "To Heal"
SOCI	AL MEDIA COMMUNITIES
	Can We Discuss Poetry?
	☐ Instagram poetry community offering poetry book recommendations and reviews
	Feminist Art Museum  ☐ Instagram page showcasing feminist art
PODO	CASTS / MEDIA
	<u>I Like Your Work</u>
	□ Podcast supporting artists, creating community, and sharing resources
	I mean can we discuss?  ☐ Podcast spotlighting emerging creators

- ☐ Reading list of books by women
- Positive coronavirus news

# ADDITIONAL RESOURCE LISTS:

- ★ 3arts list of funding for artists
- ★ Women Arts Emergency Funds resources
- ★ Common Field's resource list
- ★ Resources for freelance artists
- ★ The Dark Side Collective's resources
- ★ Creative Capital's Art Resources during COVID-19 outbreak
- ★ Alveo Creative's resources
- ★ Los Angeles specific resource quide
- ★ Artwork Archive's list of COVID-19 artist resources
- ★ BOOOOOOM's list of helpful links during COVID-19
- ★ A COVID-19 Cultural Strategy Activation Guide for Artists and Activists