

External Resources

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The Independent Media Arts Alliance (IMAA) has developed this resource to guide and support the presentation of media arts online.

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This document should be used with the IMAA Fee Schedule and these publications:

- Intellectual Property and Online Presentation: Guidelines and Resources for the Media Arts Community
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Accessibility Practices

- ***A Toolkit for Inclusion & Accessibility: Changing the Narrative of Disability in Documentary Film***

FWD-Doc

Toolkit

<https://www.fwd-doc.org/toolkit>

- ***Accessibility in Creative Spaces: A Toolkit for Ontario Arts Organizations***

Arts Build Ontario

Toolkit

<https://www.artsbuildontario.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Accessibility-in-Creative-Spaces-Tool-Kit.pdf>

- ***Accessibility Resource Guide***

Inside Out

Guide

<https://www.insideout.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/RA-Accessibility-Resource-Guide-2019-2.0-FINAL.pdf>

- ***Accessibility Toolkit: A guide to making art spaces accessible***

Humber College & Tangled Arts

Guide

https://www.humber.ca/research/wp-content/uploads/2018/11/Accessibility_Toolkit_Final.pdf

- ***Art Volt Toolbox: Equity, Diversity and Inclusion***

Concordia University

List of resources

<https://www.concordia.ca/finearts/art-volt/toolbox/edi.html>

- ***Best Accessibility and Anti-Ableism Practices in the Arts:
Guide for Events***

Conseil des Arts de Montréal

Guide

https://www.artsmontreal.org/media/Guide_evenements_EN.pdf

- ***Best Accessibility and Anti-Ableism Practices in the Arts:
Resource Bank***

Conseil des Arts de Montréal

List of resources

https://www.artsmontreal.org/media/Banque_de_ressources_EN.pdf

- ***Canada Research Chair on Cultural Citizenship of Deaf People
and Cultural Equity Practices***

UQAM

Website

<https://equite-culturelle.uqam.ca/en/>

- ***Charter for an accessible, inclusive, and equitable culture***

Exéko

Charter

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1HuUER8l68yOE3NjePbXDiEwge9-2yFFS/view?usp=sharing>

- ***Crippling the Arts***

Art in Translation

Symposium documentation

<http://artintranslation.ca/cripping-the-arts/>

- ***Disability Justice and the Arts: Listening and Learning for Reinvention***

Museums Arts Culture Access Consortium

Workshop recording and transcript

<https://macaccess.org/resources/disability-justice-and-the-arts-listening-and-learning-for-reinvention/>

- ***Interrogating Access: Resources for artists and organisations***

Oboro

Video/Conference series

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLyoeIAthDzPK2Uz6u2xYEN7D4SXQmTV4J>

- ***Smithsonian Guidelines to Accessible Exhibition Design***

Smithsonian Institute

Guide + Tools

<https://razielyudi-s3.polytech.one/documents/Accessible-Exhibition-Design.pdf>

Alternative Text/image description

- ***Alt-Text as Poetry Website***

Alt-Text as Poetry

Resource + Guide

<https://alt-text-as-poetry.net>

- ***Cooper Hewitt Guidelines for Image Description***

Cooper Hewitt

Guide

<https://www.cooperhewitt.org/cooper-hewitt-guidelines-for-image-description/>

Audio Description

- ***Experiences in Audio Description for the Visual and Performing Arts***

Museums Arts Culture Access Consortium

Workshop recording and transcript

<https://macaccess.org/resources/experiences-in-audio-description-for-the-visual-and-performing-arts/>

- ***Integrated Described Video Best Practices***

AMI tv

Standards

<https://www.ami.ca/sites/default/files/2019-06/Integrated-Described-Video-Best-Practices.pdf>

- ***Integrated Described Video Creator Series***

AMI tv

Guide + Examples

<https://www.ami.ca/idv>

- ***Integrated Described Video White Paper***

AMI tv

Standards

<https://www.ami.ca/sites/default/files/2020-07/IDV%20White%20Paper.pdf>

- ***Live Described Video Best Practices: Logistical, Technical and Artistic Guidelines***

AMI tv

Standards

https://www.ami.ca/sites/default/files/2020-07/Live_Described_Video_Best%20Practices_0.pdf

- ***Post Production Described Video Best Practices: Artistic and Technical Guidelines***

AMI tv

Standards

https://www.ami.ca/sites/default/files/2020-07/PP_Described_Video_Best_Practices_0.pdf

- ***The Ultimate Guide to Audio Description***

3Play Media

Guide

<https://www.3playmedia.com/learn/popular-topics/audio-description/>

- ***Writing Verbal Descriptions for Audio Guides***

Art Beyond Sight

Guide

<http://www.artbeyondsight.org/mei/verbal-description-training/writing-verbal-description-for-audio-guides/>

Captions

- ***Turning on captions on Google Meet***

Google

Guide

<https://support.google.com/meet/answer/9300310>

- ***Turning on captions on Zoom***

Zoom

Guide

<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/articles/207279736-Closed-captioning-and-live-transcription>

Deaf and Disability Arts

- ***Deaf and Disability Arts Practices in Canada***

Canada Council for the Arts

Research Report (synthesis)

https://canadacouncil.ca/research/research-library/2021/02/deaf-and-disability-arts?_ga=2.196062633.446243625.1639178335-1170802298.1639178335

- ***Deaf and Disability Arts Practices in Canada***

Canada Council for the Arts

Research Report (full)

https://canadacouncil.ca/research/research-library/2021/02/deaf-and-disability-arts?_ga=2.196062633.446243625.1639178335-1170802298.1639178336

- ***Deaf and Disability Arts Practices in Canada***

Canada Council for the Arts

Glossary

https://canadacouncil.ca/research/research-library/2021/02/deaf-and-disability-arts?_ga=2.196062633.446243625.1639178335-1170802298.1639178337

- ***Deaf and Disability Arts Practices in Canada***

Canada Council for the Arts

Bibliography

https://canadacouncil.ca/research/research-library/2021/02/deaf-and-disability-arts?_ga=2.196062633.446243625.1639178335-1170802298.1639178338

Design Accessibility Practices

- ***Create and Verify PDF Accessibility (Acrobat Pro)***

Adobe

Guide

<https://helpx.adobe.com/acrobat/using/create-verify-pdf-accessibility.html>

- ***Downloadable Disability Access Symbols***

Graphic Artists Guild

Tools

<https://graphicartistsguild.org/downloadable-disability-access-symbols/>

Disability Access Needs

- ***Access Rider***

Conseil des Arts de Montréal

Resource

https://www.artsmontreal.org/media/access_rider.pdf

Non-Auditory accessibility

- ***Non-Auditory Access: Subtitles & Transcripts For Artist Run Centres, Galleries, and Presentation Spaces***

Kay Slater & grunt gallery

Workshop slides

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1zLV2yYSG40EwevTMiqmLaTmtdEA2kZwfTRT--kRLXDI/edit#slide=id.gc6f919934_0_0

Online Accessibility Practices

- ***Top 10 Tips For Running Accessible Online Events***

Accessible Arts

Guide

<https://aarts.net.au/news/top-10-tips-for-running-accessible-online-events/>

Social Media Accessibility Practices

- ***Make Your Social Media Posts More Accessible***

Akimbo

Guide

<https://akimbo.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Akimbos-Social-Media-Accessibility-Guidelines.pdf>

Web design/development

- ***Accessibility Hub: How-To Information***

Queen's University

Guide + Tools

<https://www.queensu.ca/accessibility/how-info>

- ***SEO Chapter 2: Audience with Disabilities***

The Independent Media Arts Alliance

Guide

https://imaa.ca/source/library/seo/#2_Audiences_with_Disabilities

- ***Tota11y Plugin***

Khan Academy

Plugin

<https://chrome.google.com/webstore/detail/tota11y-plugin-from-khan/oedofneiplgibimfkccchnimiadcmhpe?hl=en>

- ***Usability and Web Accessibility***

Yale University

Guide

<https://usability.yale.edu>

- ***Web Accessibility for Developers***

Ryerson University PressBooks

Guide

<https://pressbooks.library.ryerson.ca/wafd/>

- ***Web Accessibility in Mind Articles***

WebAIM

Standards

<https://webaim.org/articles/>

- ***Web Accessibility in Mind Resources***

WebAIM

Tools

<https://webaim.org/resources/>

- ***Web Accessibility Initiative (WAI) Website***

Web Accessibility Initiative (WAI)

Standards

<https://www.w3.org/WAI/>

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Copyright Policy/Law

- ***A Guide to Copyright***

Canadian Intellectual Property Office

Guide

https://www.ic.gc.ca/eic/site/cipointernet-internetopic.nsf/eng/h_wr02281.html

- ***Act respecting the professional status and conditions of engagement of performing, recording and film artists***

Québec Government

Law

<http://legisquebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/document/cs/S-32.1>

- ***Act respecting the professional status of artists in the visual arts, arts and crafts and literature, and their contracts with promoters***

Québec Government

Law

<http://legisquebec.gouv.qc.ca/en/document/cs/S-32.01>

- ***Canadian Intellectual Property Office***

Canadian Government

Website

<http://www.ic.gc.ca/eic/site/cipointernet-internetopic.nsf/eng/Home>

- ***Certification Register under the Status of the Artist Act***

Canadian Industrial Relations Board

List of Certified Professional Associations

<http://www.cirb-ccri.gc.ca/eic/site/047.nsf/eng/00618.html>

- ***Copyright Information***

Copyright Board of Canada

Guide

<https://cb-cda.gc.ca/en/copyright-information>

- ***Copyright Act***

Canadian Government

Law

<https://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/C-42/index.html>

- ***Glossary of Intellectual Property Terms***

Canadian Intellectual Property Office

Glossary

<https://www.ic.gc.ca/eic/site/cipointernet-internetopic.nsf/eng/wr00837.html#r>

- ***Status of Ontario's Artists Act***

Ontario Government

Law

<https://www.ontario.ca/laws/statute/07s07>

- ***Status of the Artist Act***

Canadian Government

Law

<https://laws-lois.justice.gc.ca/eng/acts/S-19.6/page-1.html#h-440262>

- ***Status of the Artist Act***

Nova Scotia Government

Law

https://nslegislature.ca/legc/bills/61st_4th/1st_read/b001.htm

- ***The Arts Professions Act***

Saskatchewan Government

Law

<https://www.canlii.org/en/sk/laws/stat/ss-2009-c-a-28.002/latest/ss-2009-c-a-28.002.html>

- ***What is Copyright?***

Canadian Intellectual Property Office

Guide

https://www.ic.gc.ca/eic/site/cipointernet-internetopic.nsf/eng/wr03719.html?Open&wt_src=cipo-cpyrght-main

Copyright Policy/Law (international)

- ***Universal Copyright Convention***

UNESCO

Convention

http://portal.unesco.org/en/ev.php-URL_ID=15241&URL_DO=DO_TOPIC&URL_SECTION=201.html

Fair Dealing

- ***CCH Canadian Ltd. v. Law Society of Upper Canada***

Supreme Court of Canada

Court Judgment

<https://decisions.scc-csc.ca/scc-csc/scc-csc/en/item/2125/index.do>

- ***Fair Dealing***

University of Alberta

Guide

<https://www.ualberta.ca/faculty-and-staff/copyright/intro-to-copyright-law/fair-dealing/index.html>

Management of Copyright Royalties

- ***Collective Societies***

Copyright Board of Canada

List of Collective Societies

<https://cb-cda.gc.ca/en/copyright-information/collective-societies>

Piracy Policy/Law

- ***1980 Recommendation Concerning the Status of the Artist***

UNESCO

Recommendation

<https://en.unesco.org/creativity/governance/status-artist>

- ***Canada Anti-Piracy Resources***

UNESCO World Antipiracy Observatory

Directory of laws

http://www.unesco.org/new/fileadmin/MULTIMEDIA/HQ/CLT/diversity/pdf/WAPO/canada_cp_en.pdf#page=3

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Alternative to Copyright

- ***Traditional Knowledge Labels***

Local Contexts

Tool

<https://localcontexts.org/labels/traditional-knowledge-labels/>

- ***Traditional Knowledge Licences***

Local Contexts

Tool

<https://localcontexts.org/licenses/traditional-knowledge-licenses/#>

Archives/Data Management (Indigenous)

- ***Indigitization Toolkit***

Indigitization

Guide/Best Practices

<https://www.indigitization.ca/toolkit/>

- ***A Digital Bundle: Protecting and Promoting Indigenous Knowledge Online***

Jennifer Wemigwans, University of Regina Press

Book

<https://uofrpress.ca/Books/A/A-Digital-Bundle>

Legal framework

- ***Rethinking Copyright for Indigenous Creative Works***

Policy Options

Article

[https://policyoptions.irpp.org/magazines/june-2017/rethinking-copyright-indigenou
s-creative-works/](https://policyoptions.irpp.org/magazines/june-2017/rethinking-copyright-indigenou-s-creative-works/)

- ***Table-ronde: Droits d'auteur, propriété intellectuelle autochtone, le point de vue juridique***

Groupe de recherche interdisciplinaire sur les affirmations autochtones

Panel video recording

https://www.facebook.com/watch/live/?v=635329546807705&ref=watch_permalink

Narrative sovereignty

- ***Hot Docs Industry Conference 2018 - Keynote: Jesse Wente***

Hot Docs

Talk video recording

<https://vimeo.com/282370224>

- ***Narrative Sovereignty, Perspectives panel discussion***

Toronto International Film Festival

Panel video recording

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BnH0A70vZ0I>

Policy

- ***National Inuit Strategy on Research***

Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami

Guide/Best Practices

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1bnUqKLgEsJm9HFB68FpUFeWyP8EjbuDx/view?usp=sharing>

- ***Ownership, Control, Access and Possession (OCAP™): The Path to First Nations Information Governance***

First Nations Information Governance Centre

Guide/Best Practices

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GPE34RTyhRZRj6W958FrT0wp-aD5eDaj/view?usp=sharing>

- ***Understanding the First Nations Principles of OCAP***

First Nations Information Governance Centre

Information brochure

https://drive.google.com/file/d/18DJzjFp_Y6rb_Fp4vVyHntooWx6t8hJx/view?usp=sharing

Policy (international)

- ***CARE Principles for Indigenous Data Governance***

Global Indigenous Data Alliance

Guide/Best Practices

<https://www.gida-global.org/care>

- ***United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (UNDRIP)***

United Nations

Guide/Best Practices

https://www.un.org/development/desa/indigenouspeoples/wp-content/uploads/sites/19/2018/11/UNDRIP_E_web.pdf

Protocols

- ***Guidelines to Support Working with Elders***

First Peoples' Cultural Council

Guide/Best Practices

<https://fpcc.ca/stories/working-with-elders/>

- ***INDIGENOUSPROTOCOLSdotART***

CARFAC

Guide/Best Practices

<https://www.indigenousprotocols.art/>

- ***On-Screen Protocols & Pathways: A Media Production Guide to Working with First Nations, Métis and Inuit Communities, Cultures, Concepts and Stories***

ImagineNative

Guide/Best Practices

<https://imagineative.org/publications>

TECHNICAL

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Archives/Data Management (Indigenous)

- ***Indigitization Toolkit***

Indigitization

Guide/Best Practices

Ongoing development

<https://www.indigitization.ca/toolkit/>

Cybersecurity

- ***Cyber Safe and Sound***

The Independent Media Arts Alliance

Guide/Best Practices

2020

<https://www.imaa.ca/cybersecurity>

Discoverability

- ***SEO: Discoverability for Creative Content***

The Independent Media Arts Alliance

Guide

2020

https://imaa.ca/source/library/seo/#4_Alternatives_to_Internet_Giants

General

- ***Taxonomy***

NT2 Laboratoire de recherche sur les oeuvres hypermédias

Definition of terms

N/A

<http://nt2.uqam.ca/en/outils>

Digital Rights Management

- ***A Museum Guide to Digital Rights Management***

Government of Canada

Guide/Best Practices

2020

<https://www.canada.ca/en/heritage-information-network/services/intellectual-property-copyright/guide-digital-rights-management.html>