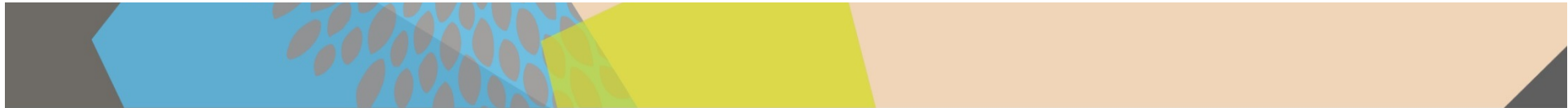
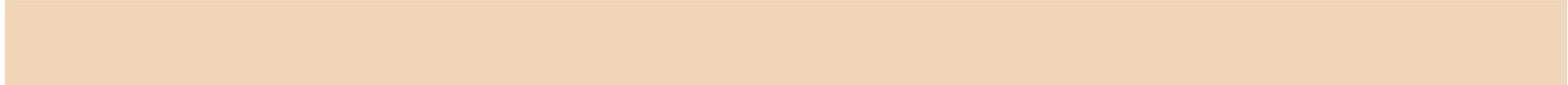


# Arts Queensland Funding Programs & Resources

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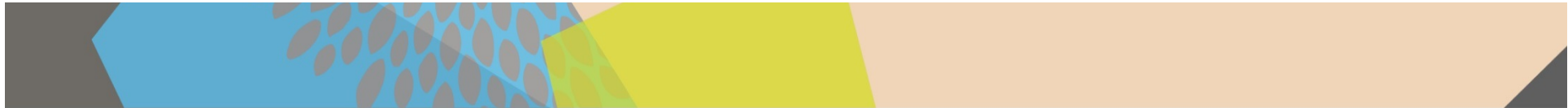


Fund	What	How	Who	Investment
<b>Competitive Funds</b>				
<b>Individuals Fund</b>	Transformational professional and career development opportunities	Round 1 2017 closed . Round 2 to be advised.	Individuals artists and cultural workers (emerging and established)	Up to \$10,000 per individual
<b>Playing Queensland Fund</b>	Performing and visual arts programs to tour across Queensland	Rolling fund - Applications must be received a minimum 12 weeks prior to tour start date	Commercial and community based performing and visual arts organisations and artists	No minimum or maximum, however request must be substantiated by viable itinerary and budget



Fund	What	How	Who	Investment
<b>Competitive Funds - Queensland Arts Showcase Program</b>				
<b>Arts Ignite</b>	Creative development and presentation of new works	Rolling fund - Applications must be received at least 16 weeks prior to commencement date	Individuals, for-profit or non-profit organisations and collectives	Funding up to \$60,000
<b>Arts Illuminate</b>	To secure acclaimed artists who will engage the community and build local capacity	As above	As above and: Arts Qld shareholder companies (excl. Screen Qld), Cultural Precinct Arts Statutory Bodies & Major Performing Arts Orgs. (as recognised by State & Federal Governments)	Funding up to \$100,000
<b>Arts Impact</b>	Delivery of diverse and original arts experiences for Qld communities	As above	Individuals, for-profit or non-profit organisations and collectives	Funding up to \$60,000

Fund	What	How	Who	Investment
<b>Competitive Funds - Multi-year</b>				
<b>Organisations Fund</b>	<p>Provides quadrennial funding towards core operations in delivery of arts and cultural activities that generate public value to Queensland</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Leading orgs with demonstrated public value</li> <li>• Diverse, high quality arts products and services</li> <li>• Strong partnerships: communities and business</li> <li>• Employment and promotion of Queensland artists and arts workers</li> </ul>	<p>Successful applicants for 4-year funding (2017 to 2020) are listed on the Arts Qld website</p>	<p>Small to Medium Queensland based not-for-profit arts organisations</p>	<p>Min. funding request \$60,000 per annum</p>



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## Competitive Funds - Incentivise investment


<b>Arts Business Innovation Fund (ABIF)</b>	Supports business model innovation to strengthen financial capacity of Qld arts and cultural businesses	AQ website – submit pre-qualification application online and, if invited, full application is requested	Not-for-profit, Qld based arts organisations with Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR) status	\$1 million public / private partnership between Queensland Government and Tim Fairfax Family Foundation  Up to \$100,000 Offered as 50% funding and 50% zero interest loan
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<b>Regional partnership programs</b>				
<b>Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF)</b>	AQ partnership with local governments supporting quality arts & cultural experiences, as determined by local communities across Queensland - 59 participating councils	Contact your local council	May include individuals, collectives, community groups – contact your local council to confirm you are eligible	Varies – contact your local council
<b>Regional Arts Fund (RAF)</b>	Australian Government program supporting sustainable cultural development in regional & remote communities in Australia	Arts Queensland is currently managing RAF (community project & quick response grants)	Not-for-profit organisations, agencies, groups and individuals with an ABN	Contact Arts Queensland



## Funding Criteria

- **Quality** - artistic achievement, contribution to growing the arts sector and strengthening Queensland's community of arts
  - **Reach** - ability to respond to and stimulate demand, providing access to, participation in and positive experiences of arts across Queensland
  - **Impact** - articulation of public value and demonstration of cultural, social, artistic and/or economic outcomes
  - **Viability** - effective management and governance capabilities supported by financial and entrepreneurial capacity and a viable, value for money proposal
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## Assessment

- Arts Queensland competitive funding programs are assessed by external peer assessors, with relevant artform/arts industry experience
  - Assessors are drawn from the community
  - Assessors make recommendations against specific fund/program criteria which are then approved by the Minister for the Arts
  - Since 1 July 2016, Arts Queensland is inviting expressions of interest to join the peer assessor panel through a rolling register at [www.arts.qld.gov.au](http://www.arts.qld.gov.au)
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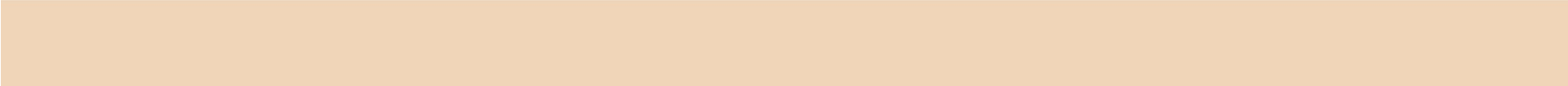




## Funded projects

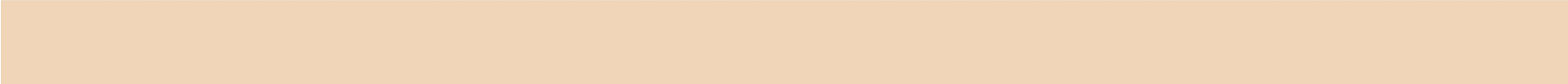
- Arts Queensland publishes lists of successful applicants from all funding programs on its website

<http://www.arts.qld.gov.au/>

- Case Studies summarising successful outcomes from funded activities are also developed and published (go to Arts Queensland website and select 'Case Studies')
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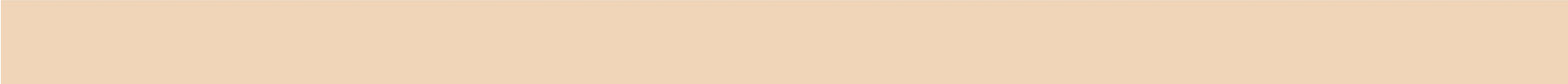


## **Tips for completing funding applications**

- Read program guidelines before completing application
  - Demonstrate audience demand or community need for your project and broader public benefit
  - Be clear about nature of your project or program
  - Clearly articulate your value proposition
  - Ensure you demonstrate outputs, outcomes and impact of your project or program
  - Make sure your budget balances
  - Be concise, articulate and make your application stand out
  - Seek help before you complete the application
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## Resources

- Arts Queensland's Arts Acumen initiative provides a suite of online resources, information and opportunities to strengthen sustainability and growth in Queensland's arts sector
  - Events, Research, Templates, Case Studies and Blog Posts
  - Top Tips, Budget Development examples, Funding Criteria Checklist etc.
  - Go to Arts Queensland website and follow prompts to Arts Acumen ([www.arts.qld.gov.au](http://www.arts.qld.gov.au))
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