Learning & Resources on ArtBridges/ToileDesArts

This section will help you to find community-engaged arts educational and professional development opportunities & resources and tools.

What ArtBridges/ToileDesArts does

- Informs people about community-engaged arts and the benefits of arts for social change in Canada
- Connects people with community arts initiatives, events and opportunities
- Provides a free, Canada-wide hub for community-engaged arts initiatives
- Helps to improve access to arts and art-making for Canadians living in remote, under-resourced and under-serviced communities

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To find learning opportunities or resources and tools you can:

Find learning opportunities

Take a look at educational and professional development opportunities for community artists across Canada or post a learning opportunity.

Access resources

Find community arts toolkits, templates, reflections and stories, best practices, and more, developed and generously shared by artists and cultural workers in Canada through the course of their work.

Discover funding

Browse our custom listings of Canadian funding programs that can help support your work.

Discover Networks and Services

Get connected to arts networks, resources, and services! This Directory of Networks and Services is organized by region, with national groups followed by regional groups. Click on the group name to visit their website.
369 Profiles about Community-Engaged Arts Initiatives in Canada
Alberta Aboriginal Performing Arts Association, Edmonton.
Alianait Arts Festival, Iqaluit
All Nations Healin’ Thru Artz, Regina
Photo: All Nations Healin’ Thru Artz
Alliedoscope Collective, Etobicoke
ArtHouse For Children and Youth, Oakville
Wicked Awesome Sweet Stuff

youth on the Radar!
Cahoots Theatre Company, Toronto
Community Arts & Heritage Education Project (CAHEP), Thunder Bay
Creations In Vivo, Ottawa
Dakhká Khwáan Dancers, Whitehorse
Dancers of Damelahamid, West Vancouver
Dancing with Parkinson’s, Toronto and GTA

Photo: Dancing with Parkinson's
Debajehmujig Storytellers, Manintowaning (Manitoulin Island)
Far From The Heart, Kemble.
Photo: Far From the Heart
Full Circle: First Nations Performance, Vancouver.
Genesis Community of the Arts, Toronto
H’Art Centre, Kingston
Photo: H’Art Centre
House of PainT Festival of Urban Arts and Culture, Ottawa
I am Connected (Wabano Centre for Aboriginal Health), Ottawa
KeepRockinYou (Toronto B-Girl Movement/Montreal B-Girl Movement), Toronto and Montreal
Kids Up Front, Toronto
Photo: Kids Up Front
Manifesto Festival, Toronto
Photo: Manifesto Festival
MoMo Mixed Ability Dance Theatre, Calgary
New Traditions Multi-Arts, Sault Ste. Marie
Nia Centre for the Arts, Toronto

Photo: Nia Centre
Otahpiaaki, Calgary

Photo: Vian Esterhuizen for Otahpiaaki
Outside Looking In, Canada-wide
Photo: Outside Looking In
Oxy-jeunes, Montreal

Photo: Oxy-jeunes
Paprika Festival, Toronto
Quirk-e: The Queer Imaging & Writing Kollective for Elders, Vancouver
Red Sky Performance, Toronto
Realwheels Theatre, Vancouver
Red Dress Productions, Toronto
Reztore Pride, Thorold, ON.
Sharing Dance Day, Canada wide.
Sioux Lookout Anti-Racism Committee (SLARC), Sioux Lookout, ON.
Sketch, Toronto.

Photo: Sketch
Spiral Garden & the Centre for the Arts / Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital, Toronto

Photo: Spiral Garden
Streetrich, Burnaby, BC.
Suitcase Theatre, Toronto.
Suitelife Arts for Youth, Toronto.
Tiger Princess Dance Projects, Toronto.
Unity Charity, Toronto and GTA.

Photo: Unity Charity
Upfront Theatre Foundation, Toronto.
Photo: Upfront Theatre
UrbanArts Community Arts Council, Toronto

Photo: UrbanArts Community Arts Council
VIBE Arts, Toronto.
ArtBridges is a hub and forum for connection for anyone interested in or active in community-engaged arts and arts for social change in Canada. Find out about affordable and accessible community-engaged arts initiatives. Learn about what’s going on, opportunities, workshops and resources. Share information about a community arts initiative that you know about! ArtBridges is a project of Tides Canada.