



Calgary Professional Arts Alliance 2010 Mayor's Evening for Business and the Arts NOMINATION PACKAGE - ARTS AWARDS

DEADLINE: September 6, 2010

Welcome to the 2010 Mayor's Evening for Business and the Arts, recognizing and promoting the arts, artists and partnerships that are forged with business and patrons of the arts.

Three awards recognize excellence and creativity in the arts:

ENBRIDGE EMERGING ARTIST • TELUS INNOVATIVE COMMUNITY OUTREACH AWARD •
MAYOR'S ESTABLISHED ARTIST AWARD

AWARD RULES AND CRITERIA

1. Nominators **MUST** be CPAA members in good standing, a previous arts award winner or a past recipient of a CADA operations or special project grant. Nominators may submit one nomination per category. Copies of previous nominations may be re-submitted (The CPAA can not provide copies of previous nominations). Nominators cannot nominate themselves or their own organization. Past award winners are ineligible to be nominated in the same category the following year. Late nominations are not excepted. Incomplete applications are subject to disqualification by the jury chair, whose decision is final.

2. Nominations can be made in the following categories:

ENBRIDGE EMERGING ARTIST AWARD recognizes a new professional artist whose career span has not exceeded five years. (individuals only).

TELUS INNOVATION IN COMMUNITY OUTREACH AWARD recognizes an artist or organization who creates unique community outreach opportunities to further engage Calgary's youth.

MAYOR'S ESTABLISHED ARTIST AWARD celebrates the commitment of an artist or arts organization to the continuous growth, development and engagement of their practice within the community. This award recognizes one artist per year.

3. All packages must include the following:

- One (1) copy of a 30 word synopsis of the why the nominee has been nominated
- Five (5) copies of a detailed letter of nomination (750 words or less)
- One (1) set of any necessary support materials. These materials will not be returned.

4. The awards jury is composed of members of Calgary's arts and business communities. Members are not disclosed in advance of the awards ceremony. In event of a perceived conflict of interest the jury member will be replaced by an alternate. The jury operates with strict confidentiality. All decisions are final. The jury may screen nominations to verify eligibility.

5. All nominees will receive a letter of acknowledgement from the Mayor's office. All Enbridge and Telus award nominees will be included in the programme and profiled during the awards, and the winners will be announced live. Nominees for the Mayor's Established Artist award will not be made public, and the winner will be notified in advance.



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ARTS AWARDS NOMINATION GUIDELINES

Since 2004, previous recipients include Eric Moschopedis, John Murrell, One Yellow Rabbit, Michele Decottignies, Sandra Vida, EMMEDIA, Terrance Houle, Doug Curtis, Mount Royal Conservatory, Michael Green, Eric Rose, Old Trout Puppet Workshop, Arbour Lake Sghool, Helen Husak, Grant Reddickm, Matt Masters, Vicki Adams Willis and Gordon Gerrard.

\$2500.00 WILL BE AWARDED IN EACH CATEGORY.

Members of the CCAA, former award winners, and past CADA grant recipients are eligible to submit nominations in the following categories:

The ENBRIDGE EMERGING ARTIST AWARD recognizes a new professional artist whose career has not exceeded 5 years

Some possible considerations in selecting a nominee:

- How is a nominee's artistic expression unique?
- What is the artist's commitment to the Calgary arts community?
- How can the level of accomplishment of the nominee be measured against other peers at similar stages of development?
- How will this award help the nominee develop in their career?
- Is the artist recognized as a professional by their peers?

The TELUS INNOVATIVE COMMUNITY OUTREACH AWARD recognizes an artist or organization who creates unique community outreach opportunities to further engage Calgary's youth.

Some possible considerations in selecting a nominee:

- Has the nominee created new opportunities for youth to experience the arts?
- Has the nominee encouraged participatory engagement?
- In what ways have the nominee's outreach activities influenced youth participants?

The MAYOR'S ESTABLISHED ARTIST AWARD celebrates the commitment of an artist or arts organization to continuous growth, development and engagement in the community.

Some possible considerations in selecting a nominee:

- Has the nominee been active in the Calgary arts community consistently over an extended period of time?
- Has the nominee had a measurable impact on the community?
- Has the arts organization maintained a consistent record of fiscal responsibility (if applicable).
- Has the nominee used their reputation and resources to enhance the community?
- Was the nominee integral to initiating a new or significant artistic event in Calgary which continued over the long term?





ARTS AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

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Nominators must be a member in good standing of the CPAA, a previous arts award recipient or a previous recipient of a CADA grant.

NOMINATOR

Name of Arts Organization(s): _____

Contact person & title: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mailing address: _____

We nominate _____

in the following category EMERGING INNOVATION IN COMMUNITY ESTABLISHED

Signature _____ Date: _____

Printed name: _____ Title: _____

NOMINATED ARTIST OR ARTS ORGANIZATION

Name: _____

Contact person & title: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Mailing address: _____

I/we agree to be nominated for the above award and understand that, if successful, I/we will be required to deliver a short speech at the event and be available for media interviews/photographs following the event. I/we agree to allow the CPAA the use of photos/video taken at the event for promotional purposes.

Signature _____ Date: _____

Printed name: _____ Title: _____

BEFORE MAILING YOUR NOMINATION PACKAGE, ENSURE THAT YOU HAVE ATTACHED

- _____ One signed original of nomination form
- _____ Five copies of letter of nomination (750 words or less)
- _____ One copy of 30 word summary of nominee
- _____ One copy of supporting materials (press clippings, dvds, etc)

MAIL OR DELIVER YOUR NOMINATION PACKAGES TO

Calgary Arts Development Authority
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