Quick Response Arts Grants

Supports artists and small to medium arts organisations to develop or present new work or for a specific element of a larger project or to take a project to another level.

Applications are open to artists from all backgrounds and career stages working in any art form or practice.

Funding is available for the creation and public presentation of one-off projects (either online or at a venue/location within the City of Melbourne boundary). Examples of a public presentation could be a performance, exhibition, installation or publication launch.

Funding is also available to create and develop work only (no public presentation required).

Up to \$2,000 is available for access costs to help reduce barriers for d/Deaf, disabled, neurodiverse and chronically ill artists/arts workers involved in the project. Access costs must specifically support artists in the development or presentation of the work (for example artist transport, support worker, carer, Auslan).

Applicants must:

- Be an artist or small to medium arts organisation
- Submit only one application
- Complete the proposed project between 17 April and 30 November 2025
- Comply with the City of Melbourne municipal boundary requirements
- Contact the arts grants team if proposing activities in an outdoor space
- Comply with additional eligibility and terms and conditions
- Have no overdue acquittals for City of Melbourne grants
- Have no debts to the City of Melbourne.

Link

https://www.melbourne.vic.gov.au/quick-response-arts-grants

Status

Closed

Provider

City of Melbourne

Amount

\$5.000

Round 1

Opens: 20 Sep 2021 Closes: 13 Oct 2021

Round 2

Opens: 19 Sep 2022 Closes: 16 Oct 2022

Round 3

Opens: 08 Sep 2023 Closes: 01 Oct 2023

Round 4

Opens: 03 Feb 2025 Closes: 02 Mar 2025

Location

- VIC
- Melbourne

Who Can Apply

- Non-Government
- Community Groups
- Businesses
- Individual

Co-contribution Required? Unspecified by Provider

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