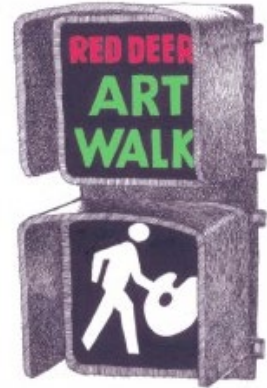


RED DEER ARTS COUNCIL ARTWALK DEVELOPING VISUAL ARTIST AWARD APPLICATION FORMS



**Providing financial assistance for developing visual artists
from Central Alberta.**

Administered by the Red Deer Arts Council

Application Deadline: April 1st at 5:00 pm

Submit the complete application and all supporting materials on or before the deadline to:

in person/mail: Emerging Artist Award
c/o Red Deer Arts Council
6 – 4919 49 Street
Red Deer, AB T4N 1V1

by email: info@reddeerartscouncil.ca

Please contact Suzanne Hermary, Executive Director, if you have questions about the award or the application process.

Telephone: 403-348-2787

Email: info@reddeerartscouncil.ca

Application Checklist

MY APPLICATION INCLUDES:

- ☐ This checklist (page 2), filled in
- ☐ A completed and signed application & declaration form (page 3)
- ☐ Two letters from appraisers
- ☐ Identify appraisers and include intended use of the funds – form 4
- ☐ The portfolio description form - form 3
- ☐ A detailed, up-to-date professional artistic résumé
- ☐ Artist statement pertaining to the work presented in the application
- ☐ Artist biography (max 500 words)
- ☐ Examples of my artwork:
 - Ensure that your portfolio is neat, labelled, easy to view and provides positive examples of your work.
 - Do not include original works of art or one-of-a-kind support materials. Red Deer Arts Council is not responsible for loss or damage of materials submitted in support of this application and materials are not returned.
 - Submit clear images of your work – the images should be free of other subject matter and have appropriate lighting and colour quality.
 - USB key, DVD or CD or hard copy are the only acceptable formats for applications (files submitted electronically must be organized in a single folder)
 - Images should be in JPEG (.jpg, .jpeg) format in RGB colour mode and be the original large size format.
- ☐ Each page of my application & support materials is numbered and labelled with my name.
- ☐ All written materials are in black text, using a standard, easy-to-read font. No highlights or shaded areas which make documents hard to read or photocopy.
- ☐ All pages are standard letter size 8 ½ x 11”
- ☐ There are no staples, binders, or sleeves in the written portion of my application

Please DO NOT ask the jury to look up materials relevant to your application, if they are important, please provide them in your submission.

Artwalk Application Form & Declaration

Please complete form legibly

Name of Applicant: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Website: _____

Artistic Discipline(s): _____

Have you previously received a Red Deer Arts Council Artwalk Developing Visual Artist Award? ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, when? _____

NOTE: artists may not receive the same award in consecutive years.

Declaration:

*I am a Canadian Citizen, or a permanent resident of Canada and I have lived in Central Alberta for at least one continuous year as of the date below. I am submitting this application for the purpose of obtaining financial assistance from the **Red Deer Arts Council Artwalk Developing Visual Artist Award**. The statements herein and in all future submissions regarding this application are, to the best of my knowledge true and correct. I understand that all or part of this application may be made available to the public in accordance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. I declare that I owe no debts to the Red Deer Arts Council.*

I understand and accept the conditions of the award, as detailed in the guidelines.

I agree to abide by the decision of the peer assessment jury.

Signature

Date

ANNUAL APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 1st at 5:00 pm

Portfolio Description Form

Original works of art will not be accepted under any circumstances.

Ensure that all material submitted is clearly identified with name, title, etc.

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Name of Applicant: _____

☐ **USB key/flash drive (no more than 10 images)**

☐ **Other (specify):** _____

List of up to 10 Works – list should match the materials submitted in order. (You may type directly into this chart.)

#	TITLE	MEDIUM	YEAR	DIMENSIONS
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Developing Visual Artist Award Appraiser Information

Identify Appraisers

Identify two experts in a position to provide a candid assessment of your accomplishments and artistic potential. Appraisers cannot be related to you by birth or marriage and cannot be employed by you.

Appraisers may submit the completed letter directly to the Red Deer Art Council. Appraisals must be received by the deadline. The applicant is responsible for confirming that the Red Deer Arts Council has received the appraisals.

First Appraiser's name:

Area of expertise:

Position and institution if
relevant:

Email:

Telephone:

Second Appraiser's name:

Area of expertise:

Position and institution if
relevant:

Email:

Telephone:

Intended Use of the Funds

In your cover letter, please identify how you plan to use the \$1,500 award towards your continued development as a visual artist? (Use additional space as required.)