

2022 Cycle A Grant Awards Impact Projects



The Impact Projects program supports collaborative projects that center artists and artistic practice in responding to issues facing California at this time, including the pervasive social, political, and economic inequalities experienced by those communities most vulnerable to, and adversely affected by, the COVID-19 pandemic. This program prioritizes local artists and forms of arts and cultural expression that are unique to, and/or historically rooted in, the specific communities to be served.

Number of Grants Awarded: 391

Total Investment: \$ 7,149,724

Applicant Organization	Application ID	County	Grant Award Amount	Grant Request Summary
18TH STREET ARTS COMPLEX	PRJ-21A-17055	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, 18th Street Arts Center will facilitate 4 public activations with immigrant and refugee community participants, led by artists Ranu Mukherjee and Hope Mohr, as a part of their exhibition "Dear Future" that they are developing with immigrant and refugees for 18SAC's gallery.
4C LAB	PRJ-21A-17916	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, 4C LAB is producing a new piece through the 2022 Creative Residency. Teaching artists will lead multi-week immersive arts programs for youth, exploring social justice, inclusivity, and culturally-relevant storytelling. The students will learn six art forms. Then, create and perform a culminating work.
A PLACE OF HER OWN	PRJ-21A-16934	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, A PLACE OF HER OWN will be able to expand its culturally sensitive, arts based healing workshops and artists' talk to support women of color in the Central Valley.
ABADA-CAPOEIRA SAN FRANCISCO	PRJ-21A-17627	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ABADÁ-Capoeira San Francisco (ACSF) and lead artists will launch a new Capoeira instructional and performance project for youth 13-20. Using Afro-Brazilian arts, this project addresses a community-identified need for accessible, inclusive, skill-building opportunities that support the physical and mental health of teenagers.
ABO COMIX	PRJ-21A-17750	ALAMEDA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, A.B.O Comix will curate and publish our 6th annual edition of A Queer Prisoners Anthology showcasing the artistic work of Queer and/or Transgender (Q/T) visual artists experiencing incarceration. A.B.O. Comix will then produce an Anthology Release party in Oakland.
ABOUT PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-17541	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ABOUT PRODUCTIONS will conduct a Young Theaterworks intergenerational residency for educationally disadvantaged 9th graders focusing on systemic racism and social justice activism, including free public culminations and post-play discussions moderated by a social justice activist for community members, elders, students, and school personnel.
ACADEMY OF SPECIAL DREAMS FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-16633	LOS ANGELES	\$ 16,650.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Academy of Special Dreams will showcase an inclusive and diverse art exhibition of emerging artists with disabilities to strengthen diversity, equity and inclusion in the arts. The Academy will provide artists with consulting and financial support to create their first micro-business.
ACHIEVEMENT HOUSE INC	PRJ-21A-17058	SAN LUIS OBISPO	\$ 16,112.00	With support from the California Arts Council, AHI will develop a Mural Club for adults with intellectual/developmental disabilities. These individuals will utilize this project as a way to express how the pandemic has effected them, including the forced stop of many services and the lack of social/community inclusion.
ACTORS GANG INC	PRJ-21A-16478	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The Actors' Gang Education Department (TAG-ED) will continue its After-School Program (ASP) for elementary and middle school students in the Culver City Unified School District (CCUSD).
AFRICAN-AMERICAN SHAKESPEARE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17023	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, African-American Shakespeare Company will create a collaborative performance by underserved youths of color in communities where they can become a Superhero. This program will develop individual creative expression, while identifying a community problem to solve.

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AFRO URBAN SOCIETY	PRJ-21A-16995	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, One Thing About Us? We Move! activates Bay Area dancers, and poets of diverse African ancestry to use their creative practice, personal experience, and cultural connections to collaboratively create townsquare-style performances, workshops, cross-cultural community conversations that bring together distinct Bay Area Black communities.
AFRO-AMERICAN CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY ORCHESTRA	PRJ-21A-17676	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Afro-American Chamber Music Society Orchestra will present 3 (three) Black Symphonist Concerts: (1) Hailstork Concert & (2) Chevalier de Saint Georges Festival Chamber Music and Orchestra Concert and 4 (four) LAUSD Band Concerts.
AFROSOLO THEATRE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16812	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, AfroSolo Theatre Company will offer "Black Women: Resilient," a Black women-led multi-disciplined theatre-based project based on the five principles of Trauma-Informed Care - safety, choice, collaboration, trustworthiness, and empowerment - to create and perform solo performances based on their life experiences.
ALEXANDER VALLEY FILM SOCIETY	PRJ-21A-17218	SONOMA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the CAC, Alexander Valley Film Society will provide "Generations Connect Through Film", a program in collaboration with Corazon Healdsburg and led by teaching artists to address community challenges in Northern Sonoma County. If awarded, funds will be used for equipment, exhibition costs, teaching artists, and curriculum.
ALTERNATIVE FIELD	PRJ-21A-17572	LOS ANGELES	\$ 14,250.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Alternative Field will implement Field Notes: Libros Públicos, consisting of 8 curated, bilingual poetry chapbooks together with discussions, visual art exhibits, and interdisciplinary events in partnership with organizations throughout Northeast LA.
ALTERNATIVE THEATER ENSEMBLE	PRJ-21A-17178	MARIN	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, AlterTheater will at long last produce Pure Native by Vickie Ramirez (Tuscarora) and begin pre-production for Dillon Chitto's Pueblo Revolt. Also, AlterTheater will support Arts Learning Project for Native Youth (ALP4NY) students in an intergenerational playwright commissioning program, Historias de Descolonización.
AMPLIFIER FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17580	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council, Amplifier will commission artists Mer Young and Jazmine Williams to engage state residents to explore the effects of COVID-19 as they pertain to bolstering mental health and socio-emotional wellbeing in BIPOC communities.
ANGEL CITY CHORALE	PRJ-21A-17187	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	Funds will cover Program Director and Creative Director expenses for Angel City Youth Chorale, which is composed of children from marginalized communities who otherwise lack access to music.
ANNE BLUETHENTHAL AND DANCERS	PRJ-21A-17624	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ABD/Skywatchers will address urgent conditions for residents of the San Francisco Tenderloin (many of whom are living without essential services) by expanding ABD's community-immersive storytelling and performance program to serve the clients of the Linkage Center, an initiative of the SF Mayor's Office.
ANTAEUS COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16751	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Antaeus Company will complete our Library Infrastructure & Modernization project. We will expand our collection with work from underrepresented playwrights. We will build a searchable library database, and through a partnership with Glendale Central Library, will make our collection accessible to the general public.
API CULTURAL CENTER INC	PRJ-21A-17949	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, API CULTURAL CENTER INC will support the "Lunar New Year x Black History Month Celebration" (working title), a project under OACC's Open E.A.R.S. for Change (E.A.R.S.) program series that centers art, culture, and humanities in highlighting social justice issues, mainly systemic/structural racism.
ARMORY CENTER FOR THE ARTS	PRJ-21A-16997	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Armory Center for the Arts in collaboration with the NAACP - Pasadena and the Pasadena Community Job Center will host two artists in residence with the goal of building bridges to help unify the African American and Latinx communities of Pasadena.
ART FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART	PRJ-21A-16788	HUMBOLDT	\$ 14,250.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Art for the Young at Heart will bring together low-income seniors with elementary-aged English Learners. Collaborating with Humboldt County Office of Education and local schools, senior volunteers will create art and illustrate and write stories with EL children throughout the school year.

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ARTE AMERICAS THE MEXICAN ARTS CENTER	PRJ-21A-17860	FRESNO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ARTE AMERICAS will create exhibits and programs in Visalia and Merced, focusing on Latinx history in the Central Valley. It will be a re-imagining of the original Caminos exhibit at Arte Américas in Fresno, augmented for our partners in Tulare and Merced Counties.
ARTISTS FOR CHANGE INC	PRJ-21A-17407	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Artists For Change will have the resources to complete post-production work on its narrative feature film Maya, a motion picture on the pressing issues of sex trafficking of minors and domestic abuse that leads to online grooming - and coerced prostitution and slavery.
ARTNERS	PRJ-21A-17502	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ARTners will create an outdoor mural museum under the freeway in downtown Sacramento, The WX Mural Museum. The museum will exhibit murals with distinctive contents of significance, 360 degrees, 25' high on structural pillars preserving our region's indigenous beginnings, progress and city legacy.
ARTOGETHER	PRJ-21A-17174	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ARTogether will partner with artist Gazelle Samizay to work alongside recently-arrived Afghan refugees to create a socially engaged community textile project, weaving together narratives and meaningful imagery of participants from the Bay Area's Afghan community.
ARTS BENICIA INC	PRJ-21A-17429	SOLANO	\$ 9,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Arts Benicia will work with children, families, volunteers, artists, and teachers to produce the Next Generation art exhibition featuring the original artwork of local children of all ages, including some from low-income or ethnically diverse groups, to be held in March 2023.
ARTS BRIDGING THE GAP	PRJ-21A-17838	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Arts Bridging The Gap will bring its Arts+Wellness Program to LA High, it's ecosystem, and surrounding community. Aiming to develop mindfulness and mental health tools, this program will result in two new murals on campus co-created with local LA artist: Ethel Zanfranco.
ARTS COLLABORATIVE OF NEVADA COUNTY	PRJ-21A-17118	NEVADA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Nevada County Arts Council will work with Queer Latinx applied theatre facilitator Daniela Fernández to establish a multiethnic LGBTQIA ensemble in our rural, majority white community, inspiring transformation, change and healing as an antidote to invisibility and isolation as we emerge from the pandemic.
ARTS COUNCIL FOR MONTEREY COUNTY	PRJ-21A-16828	MONTEREY	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the ARTS COUNCIL FOR MONTEREY COUNTY will collaborate with local artist José G. Ortiz to produce a public painted mural honoring farmworkers in the Salinas Valley with supporting programming to provide context and promote racial equity in our community.
ARTS COUNCIL OF KERN	PRJ-21A-17221	KERN	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Arts Council of Kern will fund a year of programming for ASK (Artists Seeking Knowledge), a kids art class led by prominent Black artists Deidre Hathor and Brandon Thompson. Students participate in lessons, create an art installation, and paint public murals.
ARTSAVESLIVES	PRJ-21A-17931	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 11,400.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Art Saves Lives will produce the Art Ignites series; Three immersive exhibitions in May 2023 featuring photography, painting, and performances honoring the legacy of San Francisco Fire Department through artistic interpretation of the "combustion triangle" - oxygen, heat, and fuel.
ASCAB CAPOEIRA CHICO	PRJ-21A-17748	BUTTE	\$ 17,613.00	With support from the CAC, ASCAB Capoeira Chico will initiate a 6-month course, two classes per week, one workshop per month, teaching fundamental arts of capoeira. Our targets are communities of color, those negatively affected by the pandemic and recent fires, and the economically vulnerable to make capoeira widely accessible.
ASIAN AMERICAN WOMEN ARTISTS ASSOCIATION INC	PRJ-21A-16686	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, AAWAA will produce the multidisciplinary exhibition Jade Wave Rising, celebrating 35 years of AAPI women artists at SOMArts Cultural Center in May 2023. With lead artist and curator Yeu Q Nguyen, AAWAA will offer community engagement installations and workshops as part of its programming.
ASIAN CULTURE AND MEDIA ALLIANCE INC	PRJ-21A-17588	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Asian Culture & Media Alliance will continue producing our award-winning Asian Voices documentary cable television series and Asian Voices Radio Podcast that are designed to celebrate and uplift the historically marginalized voices of our AANHPI (Asian American and Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander) community.
ASIAN IMPROV ARTS	PRJ-21A-17090	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	support the development and presentation of Mother(LAND), a new full-length multidisciplinary dance theater work by Vietnamese American artist, Johnny Huy Nguyen, for world premiere in San Francisco, June 2023.

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ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER CULTURAL CENTER	PRJ-21A-17478	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, APICC will produce an AAPI Community Artist Residency featuring Filipino traditional musician, composer, and dancer Caroline Cabading. The residency will involve community engagement and instruction workshops at I-Hotel Manilatown Center culminating in a performance showcase of the final piece(s) in May 2023.
ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF FILIPINO AMERICAN ARTS & CULTURE FESTIVAL OF PHIL ARTS & CULTURE	PRJ-21A-17209	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF FILIPINO AMERICAN ARTS & CULTURE FESTIVAL OF PHIL ARTS & CULTURE will present the returning 28th annual Festival of Philippine Arts & Culture on September 3, 2022 at MacArthur Park, Los Angeles.
AU CO VIETNAMESE CULTURAL CENTER	PRJ-21A-16738	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, AU CO VIETNAMESE CULTURAL CENTER will realize a suite of 2022-2023 activities that will empower and connect Tenderloin District Southeast Asian individuals and organizations through the revitalization of traditional art and integration of contemporary approaches.
AWESÖME ORCHESTRA COLLECTIVE	PRJ-21A-17365	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Awesöme Orchestra Collective will complete its first major special project, the premiere of the Requiem Sinfónica. The performance will be a community-centered event which will create a space to honor, grieve, and celebrate those lost in the tragic Ghost Ship Fire of 2016.
AXIS DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17680	ALAMEDA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, AXIS Dance Company will produce 12 free and accessible AXIS for ALL virtual workshops taught by disabled dancers and designed to support disabled people and their communities' creativity, embodiment, and well-being through guided movement, dance, and meditation.
AYUDANDO LATINOS A SONAR	PRJ-21A-16859	SAN MATEO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council Ayudando Latinos a Sonar will create a series of cultural programs throughout the city of Half Moon Bay that celebrates Mexican culture through music, song and dance.
BALLET FOLKLORICO ANAHUAC	PRJ-21A-17265	STANISLAUS	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Ballet Folklórico Anahuac will in conjunction with GI Forum in Modesto, will develop 2 programs that highlight Mexican traditional holidays. The project seeks to bring community together in celebration and re-integrate art in our community.
BAY AREA GIRLS ROCK CAMP	PRJ-21A-16403	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Bay Area Girls Rock Camp will serve 230 girls/gender-expansive youth in programs: Girls Rock Summer Camp and Girls Rock After School Program. Both occur in Oakland, and offer youth instrument instruction, forming a band, writing a song, and performing in a concert.
BAY AREA MUSIC PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16656	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BAMP will continue investing in the future of California youth by expanding its successful digital composition and recording program to a new partner middle and high school, providing students empowering opportunities that will create pathways for self-expression and careers in the music industry.
BAY AREA VIDEO COALITION INC	PRJ-21A-16813	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Bay Area Video Coalition Inc (BAVC Media) and emerging filmmaker Elizabeth Herrera will collaborate to create a short documentary film about families experiencing homelessness and housing insecurity in the Bay Area and greater California.
BAYVIEW HUNTERS POINT CENTER FOR ARTS AND TECHNOLOGY	PRJ-21A-17018	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BAYCAT will provide digital media training to 24 young BIPOC, LGBTQIA+, and women storytellers (ages 18-25) from historically oppressed San Francisco communities. Young artists will collaborate with community partners to produce their own original media series that tells authentic, socially-minded stories.
BERKELEY ART CENTER ASSOCIATION	PRJ-21A-17960	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BERKELEY ART CENTER ASSOCIATION will present an exhibition and workshop series entitled "Survivance" in collaboration with Lead Artist Angelica Trimble-Yanu and the American Indian Child Resource Center. The exhibition will include large monotype sculptures by Trimble-Yanu alongside works by AICRC youth.
BERKELEY COMMUNITY MEDIA	PRJ-21A-17536	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Berkeley Community Media, in collaboration with REEM Media LLC (a woman of color-owned and operated small ethical media tech business), will film and distribute a 3-4 part documentary series to showcase best practice models for individuals reentering from incarceration.
BERNARD BROWN/BBMOVES	PRJ-21A-17383	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Bernard Brown/bbmoves will offer public screenings, performances, community conversations and movement workshops building on our current project, "Processing Sugar Notes" which focuses on the devastating intersectional impact of colonialist ideologies and practices on communities of color, queer people and women.

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BEYOND BAROQUE FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-16631	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BEYOND BAROQUE FOUNDATION will bring together a diverse, local group of community members, multidisciplinary artists, writers, and nonprofits to explore Los Angeles' housing crisis in Venice through photos, writing, and story-collecting. This project will culminate with an exhibition, zine publication, and reading series.
BIGGER THAN US ARTS	PRJ-21A-18031	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Bigger Than Us Arts will create and fund a series of second line parades and support community members to participate in the Sacramento communities of Meadowview, Florin, Valley Hi, Oak Park and Del Paso.
BINDLESTIFF STUDIO	PRJ-21A-18041	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	"With support from the California Arts Council, Bindlestiff will produce the Restorative Theater Arts for Seniors program, a weekly workshop designed to to strengthen seniors' social network, ameliorate social isolation/loneliness, and improve participants' overall health through performing arts activities designed to engage seniors mentally and physically.
BLACK FEMALE PROJECT INC	PRJ-21A-17746	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Black Female Project will present the second annual Black Women's Blues Festival - including in-person festival, live radio broadcast, and video livestream - showcasing a diverse array of talent, from emerging to veteran artists, and centering Black women blues artists whose culture is threatened by gentrification.
BLINDSPOT COLLECTIVE	PRJ-21A-17596	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Blindspot Collective will develop, workshop, and produce "Kagitingan," an original work of documentary dance theatre based on interviews with Filipino veterans of World War II.
BLUE SKY SUSTAINABLE LIVING CENTER	PRJ-21A-17007	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Blue Sky Center will host community-aligned visiting artists—Community Action Fellows—to strengthen creative development, civic engagement, and a spirit of collaboration among residents of the rural Cuyama Valley.
BOCON INC	PRJ-21A-17107	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	will produce its first full season of Theatre for Youth Including a world-premier, a musical, a bilingual play, and the development of a new work.
BODY WEATHER LABORATORY	PRJ-21A-17138	LOS ANGELES	\$ 11,586.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BODY WEATHER LABORATORY will partner with the Electric Lodge in Venice, to produce and present the project entitled "Flower of the Season", in two 4-week artist residencies which will include classes in dance, movement and voice and public performances; everything free-of-charge.
BOOMSHAKE MUSIC	PRJ-21A-17982	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the CAC, BoomShake Music will provide street drumming and culture workshops to indigenous farmworkers on the front lines of the struggle for labor rights and climate justice in Sonoma County, and will support workers and community allies in developing skills as musical and creative facilitators.
BOUNCE BACK GENERATION INC	PRJ-21A-17381	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council Bounce Back Generation (BBG) will lead peer and youth media artists to create audio and video arts highlighting community resilience through storytelling about the pandemic, as told "by the community, for the community" through our 6 Building Blocks for Resilience tool.
BRASARTE THE DAMASCENO BRAZILIAN CULTURAL EXCHANGE	PRJ-21A-16929	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BRASARTE THE DAMASCENO BRAZILIAN CULTURAL EXCHANGE will collaborate with guest artist Dandha da Hora to lead a multi-faceted program focused on youth learning about, performing, and creating their own expressions of Afro-Brazilian dance, drumming and other cultural traditions of the African Diaspora.
BRAZILIAN CULTURAL ARTS CENTER OF SANTA BARBARA	PRJ-21A-16681	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, BRAZILIAN CULTURAL ARTS CENTER OF SANTA BARBARA will provide the first Brazilian Day in the state focused on highlighting Afro-Brazilian artists.
BROAD ROOM CREATIVE COLLECTIVE SACRAMENTO	PRJ-21A-17394	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Broad Room Creative Collective will develop and pilot the California Art Supply Mutual Aid Training Program, which will remove barriers to accessing high quality art supplies for thousands of artists and other vulnerable people across the state.
BROCKUS PROJECT DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17996	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	COMPANY will create the "Sunflower Project", an inter-generational sisterhood of dancers from teens to emerging to established artists that collaboratively mentors and supports each other over 3 months in an interwoven dance residency program with workshops, mentoring, classes, rehearsals, choreography, film making and final showcase. Space to grow and bloom.

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BUDDING ARTISTS	PRJ-21A-16858	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Budding Artists will provide our tuition-free 2023 Summer Exploration Program and launch our Path of Pages initiative that is focused on sharing stories related to our community's history and will engage families while they explore the natural environment through illustration at local parks.
CALIDANZA DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16486	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council will develop a program with Twin Rivers School District that will provide art programs to students that include dance, music, art and crafts. The goal of the program is to promote positive self identity, cultural heritage and use art to heal.
CALIFORNIA CENTER FOR THE ARTS ESCONDIDO FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17699	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CCAE will partner with Tierra Caliente Academy of Arts to empower underserved Latino youth in North San Diego County as they grow within a structured, professional performing arts program that eradicates traditional financial limits and racial barriers for advanced performing arts education.
CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE FOR COMMUNITY, ART, AND NATURE	PRJ-21A-18034	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the California Institute for Community, Art & Nature will produce our 3rd Annual California Indian Arts & Culture Festival (hopefully in-person) in late Spring 2023. The Festival will include performances by traditional Californian Indian dancers & storytellers as well as California traditional arts demonstrators and vendors.
CALIFORNIA POETS IN THE SCHOOL	PRJ-21A-17080	SONOMA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CALIFORNIA POETS IN THE SCHOOLS will directly engage 650 students from Title One schools in Ventura County, with a dynamic literary arts education program designed specifically to bolster social emotional healing both for the individual, as well as the community.
CALIPATRIA POLICE ACTIVITIES LEAGUE INC	PRJ-21A-16835	IMPERIAL	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, we can support not just the Art industry; but the need to provide positive gateways and support for our special needs community that is severely underserved. Together we can support the movement for inclusion in California and be the support our community needs.
CALISTOGA ART CENTER INC	PRJ-21A-16957	NAPA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CALISTOGA ART CENTER INC will work with the community of Calistoga to create a Covid 19 memorial ceramic tile art installation inspired by Loma Henry's 8th grade government essay titled Acceptance & Hope.
CAMERATA SINGERS OF LONG BEACH INC	PRJ-21A-16645	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	Camerata Singers of Long Beach will present its Peace4Youth program in Long Beach Unified School District Middle Schools and High Schools.
CAPACITOR	PRJ-21A-17589	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the CAC, Capacitor will produce the 2022-2023 season of our STEM Portals educational program – utilizing ballet, modern dance, circus arts to introduce and embody basic science concepts to spark curiosity and activate the potential for STEM careers – focused on girls from underserved communities.
CASA DE BRAZILIAN FOLKLORIC ARTS OF SACRAMENTO	PRJ-21A-17564	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Casa de Brazilian Folkloric Arts of Sacramento will conduct an community event to showcase the organization's new documentary on the "Roots of Brazilian Capoeira Angola" and multi-cultural folkloric music and dance event in Sacramento, the "Roots of Folkloric Arts Encounter."
CATALINA ISLAND MUSEUM	PRJ-21A-17196	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	Catalina Museum for Art & History requests \$20,000 to support Project Pimu. The Project Pimu Advisory Council will oversee programming that increases at least 1,300 people's understanding of Tongva history, art, and culture through the experience of cultural expression unique to and historically rooted in Santa Catalina Island.
CELEBRATION PRODUCTIONS CORPORATION	PRJ-21A-18053	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Celebration Theatre will present a twice-yearly series called Hear THEM Loud, a new works collaboration between transgender, gender nonconforming, intersex, and nonbinary (TGNCINB) artists and their local community around social themes impacting their everyday lives, all through theatre, music, dance, and spoken word.
CENTER FOR WORLD MUSIC	PRJ-21A-16704	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Center for World Music will promote awareness and understanding of performance traditions of the world through artist residencies in San Diego area schools. Students will learn to sing, dance, and play instruments, while learning world geography, history, cultures, and languages.
CHAPTER 510 INK	PRJ-21A-16527	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Chapter 510 will offer a 10-week summer digital storytelling workshop for 10 Oakland high schoolers, entitled "Oakland Belonging: A Youth-Led Oral History of Swan's Market." Students will interview historical and cultural leaders and produce 5-15 minute audio stories, connecting history, place, and identity.

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CHEZA NAMI FOUNDATION INC	PRJ-21A-17424	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With Support from the California Arts Council, Cheza Nami will produce a series of 3 free "Moving Together" community engagement dance and drumming workshops in the bay area. The series will enable cross-cultural engagement between the community and local African and diaspora cultural artists.
CHHANDAM CHITRESH DAS DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17685	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Leela will create a youth-to-youth campaign designed to promote cultural and racial understanding. The campaign will support young South Asian American women in becoming agents of change in their own communities, by engaging schools, public institutions, and media around issues of cultural equity.
CHINESE CULTURE FOUNDATION OF SAN FRANCISCO	PRJ-21A-17078	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	"How I Keep Looking Up"with artist Christine Wong Yap, a community process and public art action that engages multilingual and multiracial immigrants in creating flags of power and resilience, with finale unveiled at the SF's Chinese New Year Parade - a historical expression rooted in immigrant culture.
CHINESE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF AMERICA	PRJ-21A-17822	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Chinese Historical Society of America will continue our work to provide exhibitions & events that highlight experiences of AAPI, POC, and all under-represented Americans, to uplift their contributions, share their stories and add to the diverse American narrative through the arts, history and community.
CHITRESH DAS INSTITUTE	PRJ-21A-17542	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CHITRESH DAS INSTITUTE will work with filmmaker/artist Alka Raghuram to engage the community in the process of creating a live dance, music, and multimedia work and a short dance film illuminating the intersection of mythology and pollution of India's sacred Yamuna river.
CHOPSTICKS ALLEY ART	PRJ-21A-17610	SANTA CLARA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Chopsticks Alley will publish an "Asian American Healing Guide: Art, Nature, and Meditation," a workbook featuring parks in the Bay, art-making activities, mental health tips, and meditations to address mental wellness in the Asian community. The book launch will include an art exhibit.
CHRYSALIS STUDIO	PRJ-21A-16460	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Chrysalis Studio will conduct Queer Ancestors Project PRINTS!, a free 18-week series of printmaking and LGBTQ2S+ history workshops for 10 Queer and Transgender young artists age 18-26, who will create and disseminate prints exploring the roots of their own individual experience of Queerness.
CINEMA SALA	PRJ-21A-17821	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Cinema Sala will mount a free "film school" project called CINESKWELA. Classes will be instructed by our alum industry professionals, catering each class to their craft. Sessions will be filmed, edited, and posted online for members who are unable to attend.
CIRCO ZERO	PRJ-21A-16981	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the CAC, Circo Zero will produce Tell, by Sarah Crowell and Keith Hennessy, which uses dance and community process to explore racialized harm and healing. Tell addresses the crises of racial mistrust and political polarization, serving both Black and diverse audiences. Bay Area performances in Fall 2023.
CIRCUIT NETWORK	PRJ-21A-17604	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CIRCUIT NETWORK will work with playwright Dan Wolf and Bay Area Theatre Cypher to develop a series of free workshops and culminating presentation as part of his development process for "Currency", a new theater piece that reframes Shakespeare's "The Merchant of Venice".
CITY OF SAN FERNANDO	PRJ-21A-16530	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, City of San Fernando will connect Grammy winning artists with underserved youth in after school learning experiences emphasizing mariachi folk instrument instruction, arrangement and performance skills from beginning through advanced. Targeting grades 3-12, this project embodies artistic and historical concepts preserving mariachi music.
CLARION ALLEY MURAL PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16657	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Clarion Alley Mural Project will celebrate a diverse selection of artists and poets creating new murals, installations, performances, and poetry. This free public programming will create a safe space for underrepresented artists to share stories and create dialogue with our communities.
CLASSICS FOR KIDS INC	PRJ-21A-16903	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Classics For Kids will present four performances of "Celebrando la musica de Mexico," an educational concert for K-5 students featuring professional orchestra, Southwestern College's Mariachi Garibaldi with director Jeff Nevin, Folklorico dancers, and conductor Dana Zimbric at the Balboa Theatre in San Diego.
CLIMATE CREATIVE	PRJ-21A-17991	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Climate Creative continues implementing an online and in-person art gallery, called "The Climate Gallery." This initiative culminates in a second VR venue exhibit that uplifts and supports diverse artists while also engaging the public about climate change realities.

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CLOCKSHOP	PRJ-21A-17338	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Clockshop will commission Sarah Rosalena's Watershifter—a monumental public sculpture in one of LA's most highly trafficked and historically significant parks. The work calls Indigenous knowledge to the surface and engages local communities with the LA River's emergence, divergence, and convergence over time.
COALITION FOR HUMANE IMMIGRANT RIGHTS OF LOS ANGELES	PRJ-21A-17276	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CHIRLA will continue its social impact campaign that will run in tandem with a theatrical/streaming release of feature docudrama "America's Family," the third film and first feature in CHIRLA's Know Your Rights series, that includes community screenings linked with training and resources.
COLLAGE DANCE THEATRE	PRJ-21A-17391	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Heidi Duckler Dance (HDD) will be able to continue our unique and vital residency for the past five years at Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Hospital in South LA. Focus foster care, recuperative care, King Drew Magnet HS and seniors in affordable housing.
COMMUNITY LITERATURE INITIATIVE	PRJ-21A-17784	LOS ANGELES	\$ 16,200.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Community Literature Initiative (CLI) will provide financial aid to 22 students enrolled in a 9-month poetry and performance class. During the course of the class, original poetry is published and monthly poetry readings are held to share and promote students' work.
CONUNDRUM THEATRE COMPANY INC	PRJ-21A-17692	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CONUNDRUM THEATRE COMPANY INC will be able to offer inclusive performing arts programming for a diverse group of youth, helping their mental health, physical wellness and well-being, while inspiring a new generation in the arts.
COOPER FAMILY FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-16708	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council the Cooper Family Foundation will provide a Juneteenth arts festival celebrating the end of slavery, the Emancipation Proclamation, and African American culture in San Diego. Traditional Black music, dance, and spoken word will be performed for a crowd of up to 5,000.
COOPERATION HUMBOLDT	PRJ-21A-17689	HUMBOLDT	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the CAC, Cooperation Humboldt will work with formerly incarcerated individuals in recovery from substance abuse to prepare them to be teachers in resiliency, where they present their skills through lesson plans, instructional videos and public presentations. Funding will add 15 participants and 2-3 public presentations.
CORNERSTONE THEATER COMPANY INC	PRJ-21A-17682	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Cornerstone Theater Company will develop and produce One San Pedro, a community-engaged performance and installation created with the residents of Los Angeles' Rancho San Pedro public housing.
COTA COLLABORATIONS TEACHERS AND ARTISTS	PRJ-21A-17163	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CoTA will offer an Artist-Educator Training Institute. The year-long program will build empowered teaching artists, ready to collaborate with teachers in our most underserved schools. The program includes 132.5 hours of arts integration training, hands-on learning, mentorship, and K-12 classroom experiences.
COUNTERPULSE	PRJ-21A-16660	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CounterPulse will partner with Drag artist and choreographer Mica Sigourney (aka Vivvy) to create "The Show", a large-scale outdoor Drag performance and film extravaganza celebrating the living traditions of the queer community. It will premiere in the Transgender District in the Tenderloin.
CRE OUTREACH FOUNDATION INC	PRJ-21A-17806	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ArtsUP! LA will produce five original works from Arts by the Blind. This extraordinary group of performers will challenge conventional expectations about the capabilities of individuals who live without sight. From their hearts, these artists explore the space between disability and possibility.
CREATIVE CROSSING CO-CREATE	PRJ-21A-16671	KERN	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Creative Crossing Co-Creat will employ 10 culturally diverse artists, to develop an equitable and inclusive community mural project at the Friendship House Community Center in the Southeast Bakersfield, Ca. a predominately Latinx and Black neighborhood.
CREATIVE GROWTH INC	PRJ-21A-17346	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Creative Growth Inc will bring a diverse group of artists together to participate in poetry workshops and studio programs to create ofrendas (offerings), sculptures, and an altar memorializing those that have passed in honor of Día de los Muertos (Day of the Dead).
CREATIVE HOUSE	PRJ-21A-17428	LOS ANGELES	\$ 17,991.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CREATIVE HOUSE will be able to expand its role in the community by helping at-risk youth and urban adults through its art program. with the help of CAC, we can further our efforts in revitalizing the community through Art.

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CREATIVE IDENTITY	PRJ-21A-16522	ORANGE	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Creative Identity will use funds to offer fine arts education for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities, taught by local, professional musicians and artists; expand availability of musical instruments available to participants; and produce inclusive participant music performances and fine arts exhibitions.
CREATIVITY EXPLORED	PRJ-21A-17220	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the CAC, Creativity Explored (CE) will partner with Blackiful, a collective of neurodiverse Black artists, to consider how individual and collective self-determination are inextricably linked through an artistic study of notable Black changemakers throughout history. The final culmination will be an engaging publication and two community events.
CRESCENT MOON THEATER PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-17713	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Crescent Moon Theater Productions will produce an immersive theatrical experience at the Sufi Ruhaniat Temple in the Bay Area; the production will be based on a Sufi poem entitled The Conference of the Birds.
CROWDED FIRE THEATER COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16540	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Crowded Fire Theater Company will commission six works by Black-identifying Bay Area artists (poets, dancers, visual artists, and storytellers), responding to Resident Playwright Star Finch's afrofuturist theater production of SHIPPING & HANDLING, to be performed at a Feast of Manifestation in Fall 2022.
CUICACALLI	PRJ-21A-17416	SAN MATEO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Cuicacalli will provide stipends to our directors so that they can restore, repair, and reimagine community relationships by providing free youth dance and music classes from September 2022 to May 2023, and promote healing and identify reaffirmation during these heightened times of instability.
CURIOUS PUBLISHING	PRJ-21A-17788	SAN BERNARDINO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Curious Publishing will raise visibility of Black, Indigenous, People of Color, and Queer identifying artists who reside throughout the Inland Empire, High Desert Communities and Los Angeles through print publications through the "BIPOC+Queer Publishing Project."
CUTTING BALL THEATER	PRJ-21A-17967	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Cutting Ball Theater will collaborate with Skywatchers Ensemble, a collective of Tenderloin performance artists, to create a documentary featuring unhoused, housing insecure, and formerly unhoused Tenderloin community members of color as artist "tour guides" leading an exploration of neighborhood sites of significance.
DANCE ELIXIR	PRJ-21A-17667	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, DANCE ELIXIR will produce the 2nd season of AMP Folktales, a collaboration between Arab.AMP and storyteller/writer Nadya Tannous. Taking the form of an 8-episode broadcast series, live performances, and community spotlight initiative; AMP Folktales works in tandem with our AMP 2023 Commissions.
DANCE MUSIC INITIATIVE	PRJ-21A-16936	ORANGE	\$ 16,110.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Dance Music Initiative will share dance music knowledge and culture with four underrepresented, low-income students. The students will perform at a recital in front of a live audience. They will also commit to sharing their newly gained knowledge with each of their communities.
DANCESENCE INC	PRJ-21A-17272	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, DanceSence, Inc. will present "Awe and Wonder", four culturally diverse choreographers creating and performing dances inspired by conversations with four scientists followed by post-performance discussions. Free performances will be offered in underserved communities in Los Angeles.
DAVID HERRERA PERFORMANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17142	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, David Herrera Performance Company will launch the Latinx Hispanic Dancers United Conference. The conference provides a platform for intersectional Latinx and Hispanic artists to find community, elevate our collective voices, and discuss topics on arts and culture that affect the dance field.
DAVIS SHAKESPEARE ENSEMBLE INC	PRJ-21A-17657	SACRAMENTO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, DAVIS SHAKESPEARE ENSEMBLE INC will fund staff salaries and space rental for The Mochi Project. Through DSF's program, Vacancy Arts Collective (VAC), The Mochi Project will explore Japanese-American cultural experiences in order to provide joy and healing to combat white supremacy culture.

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DESTINATION CRENSHAW	PRJ-21A-16761	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Destination Crenshaw will collaborate with LA-based mural artist Anthony Martin to commission a public mural honoring Crenshaw youth placed within the Destination Crenshaw project site, a 1.3 mile stretch of Crenshaw Boulevard that is currently being transformed into a cultural, community hub.
DETOUR DANCE	PRJ-21A-16677	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Detour Dance will produce We Build Houses Here, a fully immersive dance theater work that explores sanctuary spaces and rebuilding from wreckage caused by the displacement of queer and POC communities from San Francisco.
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICE ORGANIZATION	PRJ-21A-16652	SACRAMENTO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, DDSO/The Short Center Repertory will produce a new series of theatre works that explores the unique challenges faced by communities of disability during the COVID-19 pandemic.
DIAMANO COURA WEST AFRICAN DANCE CO	PRJ-21A-18009	ALAMEDA	\$ 17,100.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Diamano Coura West African Dance Company will engage in a community wellness program for youth and elders, with an emphasis on physical, behavioral and mental health outcomes and aging by utilizing traditional African visual, performance and storytelling art forms.
DIAMOND WAVE	PRJ-21A-17274	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Diamond Wave will present THEYFRIEND, a 2-day nonbinary performing arts festival happening November 16-18 in partnership with KQED, San Francisco Public Library and queer nightlife venues El Rio and OASIS. THEYFRIEND will feature 20 nonbinary artists and attract an estimated audience of 500.
DISCO RIOT	PRJ-21A-17870	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, DISCO RIOT will present San Diego's second annual queer-focused movement-arts festival, Queer Mvmnt Fest. Through an intersectional lens, this festival will highlight LGBTQ+ artists with emphasis on BIPOC contributors, through performance, workshops, discussions, and classes for affinity groups and the general public.
DIVERSIONARY THEATRE PRODUCTIONS INC	PRJ-21A-17310	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, DIVERSIONARY THEATRE PRODUCTIONS INC will be able to offer two arts education programs, the Stonewall Salon and Teen-Versionary, free of charge to the community. These programs recruit low income, at-risk LGBTQ+ senior citizens and teenagers in FREE theatre ensemble training.
DNAGA	PRJ-21A-17464	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, dNaga's GIRL Project will offer dance, theater, and visual art workshops in celebration of our 10-year anniversary. GIRL Project exists in resistance to the variety of dangers that girls in Oakland face. We provide a safe space to foster creativity and sisterhood.
DSTL ARTS	PRJ-21A-17566	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the CAC, DSTL Arts will implement "De(cent) Living," a 6-month literary arts residency aimed at engaging community leaders and members of various ages from historically-marginalized communities through public discussions and writing workshops examining housing insecurity, the cost of living, and other related factors affecting Los Angeles residents.
DUNIYA DANCE AND DRUM COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17194	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Duniya Dance and Drum Company will present the 4th African Arts Festival, celebrating the vibrancy of the Bay Area's African arts scene with traditional performing artists representing different regions of Africa and the diaspora and vendors selling traditional clothing, instruments, jewelry, and food.
EAST BAY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS	PRJ-21A-17100	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, EAST BAY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS will collaborate with artists Arwen Lawrence/Jorge Liceaga, Cascada de Flores founders, promoting intergenerational learning through a series of student/family and community Mexican/Latin American folk music and storytelling workshops in two of Richmond's most under-resourced elementary schools.
EAST BAY CENTER FOR THE PRESERVATION OF CULTURAL ARTS	PRJ-21A-17765	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the East Bay Center for the Preservation of Cultural Arts, will provide vital cultural arts programs for the community in Alameda County. Our programs and services will fill a void for cultural arts that will include arts education, classes and a professional production.
EASTERN SIERRA ARTISTS	PRJ-21A-17510	INYO	\$ 12,654.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Eastern Sierra Artists will engage in outreach strategies to systemically marginalized communities, vulnerable groups and communities not yet engaged in our programming by offering a program of free services and programming at C5 Studios Community Arts Center.

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EL CENTRO DE PUEBLO	PRJ-21A-17359	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, EL CENTRO DEL PUEBLO will produce Día de Los Muertos: An Afro-Latino Music Festival Central and South. The festival will honor Afro/Latino cultures in these communities while incorporating and encouraging engagement of other cultures to enrich the community overall through music & talk backs.
EL TEATRO CAMPESINO	PRJ-21A-16582	SAN BENITO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, El Teatro Campesino will launch: Las Cuatro Estaciones: Creators In Community, a year long series of art making workshops culminating in four short collective works. Funds will support artists from around the region to facilitate these free workshops in San Benito County.
ELDERGIVERS	PRJ-21A-17252	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Eldergivers (Art With Elders) will hold an online Town Hall for senior artists and developing artists to choose three social issues that affect them and create artwork in response to those issues; we will exhibit selected work online and in three public venues.
EMBODIMENT PROJECT	PRJ-21A-17288	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Embodiment Project will produce Get Free, a two-week free street dance festival taking place in Oakland and San Francisco and serving more than 1500 community members, 30 artists, and 75 street dance students.
ENRICHING LIVES THROUGH MUSIC	PRJ-21A-16483	MARIN	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ELM will expand our approach to music pedagogy, and repertoire, to celebrate the diverse Latin American cultural traditions of our community. CAC funds will be used to develop an ELM track to inspire and educate our community regarding culturally-relevant music and traditions.
ENSEMBLE FOR THESE TIMES	PRJ-21A-17052	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,430.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Ensemble for These Times will create "UPLIFT: The California BIPOC Women Composer Commissioning Project," which will include the commission and premiere of three new works in the group's 2022/23 season, and the pilot of an educational outreach program for young musicians of color.
EPIPHANY DANCE THEATER	PRJ-21A-17994	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, EDT will produce the free 19th San Francisco Trolley Dance: 3-Day site-specific series of thought-provoking, accessible dance performances and educational programs, set along the newly-expanded MUNI T-Line from SoMa to Chinatown, celebrating the importance of Asian communities, renewing joy in our beautiful city.
ETH-NOH-TEC CREATIONS	PRJ-21A-17293	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With CAC support, ENT will curate a Fall 2022 storytelling event at SF's Main Library featuring 6 professional AAPI storytellers: Korean, Japanese, Chinese, and Filipino, narrating their anti-Asian discrimination and/or violence experiences, followed by a panel discussing how our stories can change the narrative about who we are as AsianAmericans.
EVERYBODY DANCE NOW	PRJ-21A-16687	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from CAC, Everybody Dance Now! will collaborate with Santa Barbara public schools, community partners, and families to address the social isolation and educational disparities that our communities have experienced during the pandemic, by offering them a series of digital hip hop dance classes, complemented by hybrid learning.
EVERYDAY ARTS	PRJ-21A-16804	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Everyday Arts will launch the "Everyday Arts Neighborhood Project," bringing culturally responsive arts opportunities to students with special needs in Los Angeles. Our hands-on workshop series will include arts activities for children, professional development for educators, and accessible at-home arts strategies for families.
EYE ZEN PRESENTS	PRJ-21A-16717	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	CAC Impact funds will contribute to the success of Eye Zen Present's FabLab monthly programming in honor and celebration of queer ancestors through multidisciplinary art facilitated by the Bay Area's fiercest Queer, Trans, Black, Indigenous, People of Color (QTBIPOC).
FESTIVAL OF LATIN AMERICAN CONTEMPORARY CHOREOGRAPHERS	PRJ-21A-16880	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Festival of Latin American Contemporary Choreographers will partner with an array of local artists, culture bearers and organizations to present an outdoor production of "sii agua si" in Fall 2022 in San Francisco's Dolores Park.
FICTIONAL ARTISTS CONTEMPORARY THEATRE SAN FRANCISCO - FACTSF	PRJ-21A-17169	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, FACT/SF will create a 10-episode podcast of conversations with LGBTQ+ athletes, and host an inclusive and family-friendly day of activities including a potluck, workshops on basic sports skills, exhibition games, and performances. These activities are part of FACT/SF's QAF (Queer Athletic Futurity) project.

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FILIPINO AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA	PRJ-21A-17555	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, FILIPINO AMERICAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA will produce and present a music educational series for BIPOC youth (6 to 25 years old) with at least twenty (20) music workshops culminating with one (1) public performance to be held in BIPOC communities in Los Angeles County.
FILM INDEPENDENT INC	PRJ-21A-16736	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, FILM INDEPENDENT INC will partner with the artists of the Undocumented Filmmakers Collective to present two works-in-progress film showcases from undocumented filmmakers, accompanied by in-depth discussions with the artists, free to the public.
FIRST EXPOSURES	PRJ-21A-16869	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, First Exposures will teach its inter-generational 6-week 2022 Summer Session and 32-week 2022-2023 Academic Year mentorship program in traditional and digital photography, serving 65-70 underserved youth and their adult mentors.
FIRST NIGHT MONTEREY INC	PRJ-21A-16692	MONTEREY	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, First Night Monterey with the Greenfield Cultural Arts Center will create 6 murals depicting the story of the City Of Greenfield and the cultural history of its residents.
FLORECIENDO	PRJ-21A-17412	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Floreciendo (DBA: Oakland Bloom) will work with immigrant/refugee chefs and chefs of color to develop and launch their businesses. As part of this program, Oakland Bloom will host food markets, storytelling events and film documentation centering diverse communities of color in Oakland.
FLORICANTO DANCE THEATRE	PRJ-21A-17082	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, FLORICANTO DANCE THEATRE will re-stage our dance production of 'Alma Llanera- Spirit of the Plains' which was based on the book 'Bless Me Ultima' by Rodolfo Anaya.
FOGLIFTER PRESS	PRJ-21A-17809	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Foglifter Press will award one QTBIPOC Start a Riot! Chapbook contest winner publication, promotion, readings, and a stipend for touring.
FOSTERING DREAMS PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16971	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,905.00	With the support of the California Arts Council, "Fostering Dreams Project -Summer Dance" will provide a free, high quality 6 week summer dance intensive to 35 foster youth in the City of Palmdale, providing social emotional health, mental/ physical health to create overall well being with instructional classes and performance.
FREE ARTS FOR ABUSED CHILDREN	PRJ-21A-17166	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Free Arts for Abused Children will provide therapeutic art education to underserved children.
FRIENDS OF SCRAP INC	PRJ-21A-16902	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SCRAP will partner with other non profit organization to offer an expanded arts education program, SCRAP in a Box. The goal is to connect under-resourced youth with art supplies and teaching artists to develop creative skills.
FUGITIVITY LABS	PRJ-21A-17670	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Fugitivity Labs will produce to be like the river, a weeklong convening of 13 Queer, Trans, Black, Indigenous, and POC artists, centering healing, leadership building, and rest. It will take place in Yuki Territory at Dance Mission's Dos Rios Retreat Center.
FUSION PERFORMING DANCE ACADEMY	PRJ-21A-17311	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Fusion Performing Dance Academy will be able to continue offering its FREE Dance 2 Make A Difference program which benefits over 100 students registered to date. It will fund salaries, rent, and program operational costs. Thank you for this opportunity.
FUTURE LEADERS OF AMERICA	PRJ-21A-16926	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, FLA will partner with eight artists to provide youth volunteers with art workshops (Murals, Danza Azteca, Theater, Choir, Modern Dance, Ballet Folklorico, Poetry). Youth volunteers will share the knowledge learned to low-income youth and families during FLA's Youth Leadership Conferences and Family Camp.
GAMELAN SEKAR JAYA	PRJ-21A-17964	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,886.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Gamelan Sekar Jaya (GSJ) will engage diverse intergenerational Bay Area communities through free Balinese music and dance programming with master artists, unified by the Indonesian concept of "RUKUN", or "living together in harmony".
GATEWAY EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	PRJ-21A-17045	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 15,552.00	With support from the California Arts Council, GATEWAY EDUCATIONAL SERVICES will offer two one-week photojournalism camps to 8-10 youth of color ages 10-13 per week (total of 16-20 youth).
GENRYU ARTS	PRJ-21A-16474	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Genryu Arts Japantown Arts Reset project featuring: Japan Day Festival (FREE Japanese cultural arts performances and demonstrations at Japantown's Peace Plaza). Japan Week; public cultural arts workshops in storefronts, and community centers. Virtual share on social media, and websites.

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GEOFFREY'S INNER CIRCLE	PRJ-21A-17906	ALAMEDA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Geoffrey's Inner Circle will present a series of 8 free masterclasses with Oakland master drummers allowing master Black artists to pass on their cultural legacy to Black youth in their community, and centering Black Bay Area communities whose culture is threatened by gentrification.
GET EMPOWERED TODAY	PRJ-21A-17915	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,383.00	With support from the California Arts Council we will offer CAMP AART(Attitudes, Awareness and Relationships Training), a creative youth development program that focuses on suicide prevention and provides an opportunity for youth to connect in artistic and leadership roles in the production of a public forum and original short plays.
GOLD BEAMS	PRJ-21A-17660	ALAMEDA	\$ 17,784.00	The requested amount covers the costs of three Second Mondays open mic events. The funds support a Black ecosystem which includes art workers, artists and a Black owned venue. The event houses an average of 150 Black artists and people from the Black community each month.
GREAT LEAP INCORPORATED	PRJ-21A-17302	LOS ANGELES	\$ 20,000.00	GREAT LEAP INCORPORATED and our artist partners in the Japanese, Mexican, African and Sufi Muslim music and dance traditions will build with new Tongva, Native Hawaiian, Filipino and Nigerian artists as we connect towards sharing in the FandangObon Festival and we deepen cross-cultural relationships and connections through our art-making practices.
GREEN ROOM THEATRE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17231	RIVERSIDE	\$ 17,955.00	With support from the California Arts Council, GREEN ROOM THEATRE COMPANY will present a touring production of Gary Soto's "Novio Boy." In cooperation with local school districts, we will bring theatre training and viewing opportunities to hundreds of Latinx and low-income students and their families in the Coachella Valley.
GRUPO DE TEATRO SINERGIA-SINER	PRJ-21A-17642	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SINERGIA Theatre Group-Grupo de Teatro SINERGIA will continue its Staged Reading Program of new plays.
HANFORD MULTICULTURAL THEATER COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16714	KINGS	\$ 20,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Hanford Multicultural Theater Company will create a Spanish language theater portion of our program offerings for more community exposure to the arts. Intention is to reach into our diverse community, to train actors, encourage playwriting, and participate in Spanish language theatrical productions.
HERO THEATRE INC	PRJ-21A-16820	LOS ANGELES	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, HERO Theatre will develop and produce Amina Henry's NOTHING, NOTHING—a riff on Shakespeare's MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING—about Black women, joy, self-care and love, serving women experiencing houselessness in L.A.
HIGH DESERT TEST SITES	PRJ-21A-17377	SAN BERNARDINO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, High Desert Test Sites will further establish the Desert Research Library, a region-specific public resource, multimedia collection, and communal meeting space whose objective is to provide tools for the community to create research, publications, dialogue, and programming relevant to the High Desert.
HIGHER GLIFFS INC	PRJ-21A-16851	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Higher Gliffs dba CRP will collaborate with filmmaker Spencer Wilkinson to complete post-production on the documentary, "AscenDance", and create a screening toolkit, webpage, and curriculum. The film and materials will fuel Bay Area community dialogue on cultural resilience and the voices of local artists.
HIGHSTEPPERS DRILL TEAM INC	PRJ-21A-16809	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, HIGHSTEPPERS DRILL TEAM INC will deepen and expand its innovative High Steppers Game Face Academy project by fostering an educationally enriched environment for youth through the art of photography and videography.
HIGHWAYS INC	PRJ-21A-18069	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With CAC support, Highways will expand the programming skills of 10 emerging Latinx cultural workers in the performing and media arts fields. In FY 2022-23, experienced curators will mentor a cohort of 5 artists who will program Latinx components of a week-long performing arts Festival and a Film Festival.
HOMELA	PRJ-21A-16619	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, homeLA will showcase perspectives on homelessness and resilience through art from foster youth voices and partnerships with foster-led art organizations and foster-youth advocates.
HOMIES UNIDOS INC	PRJ-21A-18065	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	This project is intended to create a space for intergenerational and cross-cultural dialogue around pressing social issues determined by our participants. CAC funds will support bi-weekly workshops and quarterly events showcasing collective works created with participants based on four visual art mediums: oil paintings, linoleum prints, silk-screening and muralism.

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HOPE CENTER FOR THE ARTS	PRJ-21A-17675	ORANGE	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Hope Center for the Arts (HOPE) will have the needed support to fuel vital programs for Adults with Intellectual Disabilities who have an interest in the visual and/or performing arts, giving opportunities to reach their full potential and thrive.
HOPE MOHR DANCE	PRJ-21A-16577	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Hope Mohr Dance will fund year-long Community Engagement Residencies for Tammy Johnson and Asian Babe Gang (ABG) to lead projects by and for Black women (Johnson) and queer Asian artists (ABG) to experience joy and pursue liberation through dialogue, healing practices, and performance.
HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF OXNARD	PRJ-21A-17697	VENTURA	\$ 20,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Housing Authority of the City of Oxnard will provide "Arte Para la Comunidad!" programming to underserved communities in Oxnard. Local artists will collaborate with the community via art workshops and murals that celebrate their cultural history and bring awareness to social issues.
IDRIS ACKAMOR AND CULTURAL ODYSSEY	PRJ-21A-17033	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council Idris Ackamoor and Cultural Odyssey will collaborate with The Presidio Theatre on the musical/theater production, "TRUTH TO POWER" centering artists and music to unearth and investigate the roots of mistrust, fear, and anger directed towards America's health care and law enforcement policies.
IMMERSIVE ARTS ALLIANCE	PRJ-21A-17341	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Immersive Arts Alliance will present the inaugural Oakland Festival of Immersive Arts. Artist work will occupy multiple sites and spaces throughout downtown Oakland. Goals for an expanded footprint, and more commissioning of Oakland-based artists are part of our Festival multi-year timeline.
INK PEOPLE INC	PRJ-21A-17375	HUMBOLDT	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, INK PEOPLE INC will facilitate six months of animation classes in the "Animando el Cambio" program. Media Arts Resource Zone artist facilitators will collaborate with artists and culture bearers of Centro del Pueblo to empower and advance community stories of immigration and change.
INLAND FUTURES FOUNDATION OF THE SAN BERNARDINO COMMUNITY COLLEGE	PRJ-21A-17844	SAN BERNARDINO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Inland Futures Foundation will create a series that profiles artist and art organizations with multicultural significance in the Inland Empire. Cultures use art to express their values and as aesthetic creations. Showcasing this art will enable KVCR to reach over 4 million people.
INTERNATIONAL HOUSE DAVIS	PRJ-21A-17539	YOLO	\$ 19,000.00	With support of the CAC, International House Davis (I-House) will produce International Festival 2022 on 10.2.2022, a free celebration of the diasporic and native cultures and culture bearers that are essential to our community health & vibrancy. After Covid-19, I-Fest showcases the healing nature of cultural practice and human connection.
INVERTIGO DANCE THEATRE	PRJ-21A-17439	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, INVERTIGO DANCE THEATRE will create a multidisciplinary dance theatre performance, WALK THE WALK, which uses dance, spoken word, video, and performance art to create a mixtape of the body celebrating the many ways trans, nonbinary, gender-nonconforming and intersex communities walk through the world.
JAPANESE AMERICAN CULTURAL AND COMMUNITY CENTER	PRJ-21A-17024	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, JACCC will produce "Windows of Little Bronze Tokyo," transforming storefront windows in the adjacent neighborhoods of Little Tokyo and Skid Row into outdoor art exhibitions. The commissioned artworks will reflect past, present, and future connections between Japanese American and Black/African American communities.
JAZZ HANDS FOR AUTISM	PRJ-21A-17565	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Jazz Hands for Autism will create pathways for community and social inclusion and employment for musicians on the autism spectrum with the goal of building community, improving confidence, and developing transferable social and professional skills.
JOE GOODE PERFORMANCE GROUP	PRJ-21A-17710	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, JOE GOODE PERFORMANCE GROUP (JGPG) will create As We Go, a community engagement project culminating in an immersive dance theater work. JGPG will work in partnership with professionals in the field of palliative care and elder community members or those with health challenges.
JUSTICE BY UNITING IN CREATIVE ENERGY- JUICE	PRJ-21A-17328	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, JUSTICE BY UNITING IN CREATIVE ENERGY-J.U.i.C.E. will organize and collaborate in community events centered on the arts of the hip-hop culture as a positive force for community wellbeing.
JUSTICE FOR MY SISTER COLLECTIVE (FBO COMMUNITY PARTNERS)	PRJ-21A-17521	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Justice For My Sister will cover mentors' salary stipends during the 2022 edition of our BIPOC Sci-Fi Screenwriting Lab, an artistic development program for low-income BIPOC artists to establish their voices as screenwriters and pave the way for their economic independence.

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KALA INSTITUTE	PRJ-21A-17732	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Kala Institute, a community art-making hub will work with lead artist Alexa Burrell and local schools and community groups on A(VOID) FIRE, an afro-surrealist techno-horror fairy tale and multi-media installation about climate catastrophe, emotional contradictions, and tensions between the natural and digital world.
KALEIDOSCOPE CHAMBER ORCHESTRA	PRJ-21A-18010	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Kaleidoscope Chamber Orchestra will be able to produce additional concerts in Los Angeles and surrounding areas, supporting our musicians financially and artistically, and engage with larger and more diverse audiences.
KEARNY STREET WORKSHOP INC	PRJ-21A-18039	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	Support from the California Arts Council will be used for Asian American Virtual Histories (AAVH), a project based on immersive technology and community storytelling that shares the stories of Asian Pacific American cultural bearers, artists, activists, and community leaders, galvanizing audiences towards a more inclusive future.
KINGS REGIONAL TRADITIONAL FOLK ARTS INC	PRJ-21A-17880	KINGS	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, KINGS REGIONAL TRADITIONAL FOLK ARTS INC will establish classes specifically designed to engaged youth, parents and elders together. The classes will be both of space of healing and a hub for local CBOs to offer resource information related to providing COVID relief.
KOREATOWN YOUTH AND COMMUNITY CENTER INC	PRJ-21A-16845	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the KOREATOWN YOUTH AND COMMUNITY CENTER INC will use the arts to teach high school students and elders to investigate cultural lifeways, culinary foodways, racial, economic and health inequities in our community through our intergenerational, multilingual and multiethnic Koreatown Storytelling Program (KSP).
KULTIVATE LABS	PRJ-21A-17057	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Kultivate Las will create "Ancestors Altar" at Kapwa Gardens with San Francisco Filipinx artist, Cece Carpio. Carpio will paint portraits of family members lost to COVID-19. Community members will share stories on Balay Kreative's podcast and add photos to include to the altar.
L A RIVER PUBLIC ART PROJECT	PRJ-21A-18000	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Los Angeles River Public Art Project will convene a cohort of indigenous artists and thinkers to address questions revolving around our mission as it relates to environmental education, social and restorative justice and building a culture of mutual aid for our river communities.
LA COMMONS	PRJ-21A-16998	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, LA Commons will leverage the power of our Day of the Ancestors: Festival of Masks to celebrate Blackness and promote healing in Leimert Park as community members across the generations engage with cultural traditions from across the African diaspora.
LABAS MUSIC & ARTS	PRJ-21A-17010	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 13,050.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Labas Music & Arts will stage Ngayon, a multimedia composition centered on intergenerational resistance and the culture of revolutionary music. Ngayon combines live interviews with cutting-edge sounds touched by jazz, noise, and new music, connecting audiences to stories of Black and Asian radicalism.
LARRY SPRING MUSEUM	PRJ-21A-17256	MENDOCINO	\$ 14,250.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Larry Spring Museum will support artist Tosca Terán to collaborate with local artists and community to learn how to communicate with the non-human. The workshops and build will take place during Northern California's mushroom season.
LAS FOTOS PROJECT	PRJ-21A-17470	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Las Fotos Project will provide 50 participants, ages 13-19, with free photography classes centered around intersectional inequities within their communities. Receiving 60 hrs of instruction and mentorship per semester, students will advocate for social change through culminating exhibitions and social media campaigns.
LATINO CENTER OF ART AND CULTURE	PRJ-21A-17127	SACRAMENTO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Latino Center of Art and Culture will collaborate with Northern California immigrant dance groups, local artists, families and community based organizations to create a traditional Day of the Dead, elevating and celebrating centuries old beliefs, values, and practices of our Latinx communities.
LATINO THEATER COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16526	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Latino Theater Company will conduct its community college program, Impact Theater Initiative, that provides an intellectual platform for community college students to engage in cultural dialogue through the performing arts.

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LEAD GUITAR	PRJ-21A-16457	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,157.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Lead Guitar will partner with four LAUSD schools to provide guitar ensemble classes in collaboration with local guitarist-educator Christian Cruz. Of Mexican-American heritage, Christian was raised in a bilingual Spanish-English household and is thrilled to mentor four LAUSD certified teachers and their students.
LEELA INSTITUTE	PRJ-21A-17255	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Leela will develop a free, monthly outdoor performance series in two-three diverse southern California neighborhoods, aimed at fostering a creative community, and building a gathering place for community members of all backgrounds and generations.
LENORA LEE DANCE	PRJ-21A-16666	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Lenora Lee Dance will create and present "In Visibility" a series of performances and community dialogues May 2023, part 2 in a trilogy focusing on the separation of families, and mass detention of immigrants and refugees as a form of incarceration.
LEVEL GROUND INC	PRJ-21A-16453	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Level Ground Inc will publish the fifth edition of SKEW Magazine - an experimental art and dialogue magazine produced annually. From poetry to artwork to photography to essays and more, SKEW features exciting, thought-provoking new work from experimental Black artists both locally and globally.
LIBOTA MBONDA	PRJ-21A-17121	FRESNO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Libota Mbonda Fresno African Drumming and community leader, Marcel Woodrow, will facilitate 20 bi-weekly drum circles using culturally based West African traditional djembe drumming and family oriented drum-based activities to address racial equity and social-cultural justice in Fresno's low income African American communities.
LIBROMOBILE ARTS COOPERATIVE	PRJ-21A-17702	ORANGE	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, LibroMobile Arts Cooperative will expand its BIPOC Arts Spaces preservation to a Digital Archives Program that presents art & cultural exhibitions as well as familial & community-based historical archives for and by the local BIPOC community via an established mentorship and preservation program accessible all-year-round.
LIME ARTS PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-16634	IMPERIAL	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Lime Arts Productions will produce the Twenty By Twenty Fringe, a virtual film and theatre festival centering and uplifting the talents of artists in their twenties -- telling bold, innovative and culturally-specific new stories.
LITQUAKE FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17217	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	Elder Project's goal is to fight isolation by bringing literary community to Bay Area Elders (aged 65+). The project consists of weekly writing sessions combined with hands-on creative exercises to stimulate the senses and memory, and to provide an outlet for Elders to preserve and share their stories.
LOS ANGELES DRAMA CLUB INC	PRJ-21A-16515	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, LOS ANGELES DRAMA CLUB INC will launch a multigenerational community project between our students, and elder members of the West Adams community, consisting of meaningful interviews transformed into short plays, spoken word, poetry, monologues culminating in free performances for the community.
LOS ANGELES MASTER CHORALE ASSN	PRJ-21A-17048	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Los Angeles Master Chorale will launch Voices of Los Angeles Youth Chorus (VOLA). An inclusive, free after-school choir, VOLA will build on singing's unique capacity for expression and connection to empower historically excluded youth in grades 5 – 12. Funding will support program personnel.
LOS ANGELES MUSIC AND ART SCHOOL	PRJ-21A-16814	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, LAMusArt will provide the underserved communities of East Los Angeles with free, culturally-responsive music education and performance opportunities through the Tuition-Free Music Ensembles program. Ten local teaching artists will mentor and coach 150 youth, imparting over 5000 lessons outside of school, year round.
LOS ANGELES NOMADIC DIVISION LAND	PRJ-21A-17679	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Los Angeles Nomadic Division (LAND) will work with artist Aaron Fowler to realize his solution-based art project N2EXISTENCE in South Los Angeles.
LOS ANGELES OPERA COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17068	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Los Angeles Opera presents The Zarzuela Project, which provides weekly workshops in East LA for over 30 community members as they learn and work together to perform zarzuela, or Spanish lyric opera, culminating in free public performances in community venues across LA.

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LOS CENZONTLES MEXICAN ARTS CENTER	PRJ-21A-17791	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Los Cenzontles will invite Gilberto Gutierrez, renowned son jarocho practitioner, to develop a six-month artist residency in collaboration with Los Cenzontles artists and local community members. The residency will incorporate art, music, and culture of Veracruz through mentoring, community workshops, and media production.
LOS GATOS MUSEUM ASSOCIATION	PRJ-21A-17095	SANTA CLARA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Los Gatos Museum Association will host "On Ohlone Land," a series of exhibitions and programs featuring indigenous culture bearers, artists, and scholars who will explore inequities surrounding humans' relationship with the land in Los Gatos and the greater Bay Area.
MACRO WAVES COLLECTIVE	PRJ-21A-17133	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Macro Waves produce Collective Futures, a series of in-person workshops, immersive installations, and virtual experiences which aim to facilitate healing as a form of radical justice by offering a space to unlearn cemented patterns reinforced by generations of trauma and violence.
MAKEACCESS	PRJ-21A-16920	HUMBOLDT	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, and involvement from local Indigenous, Alaska Native, and non-Native participants, MakeAccess will build a nigilaḡ, an Unangaḡ open skin boat. While building, Wiyot and Unangaḡ voices will share their unique California-based histories. The finished vessel will be used for engaging with Nature.
MANNAKIN THEATER AND DANCE	PRJ-21A-17881	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 13,500.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Mannakin Theater & Dance will collaborate with dance artists Juankila "Kiki" McConnell, Charles Slender-White, Arturo Magaña and Muisi-kongo Malonga to bring elements of hip/hop, jazz, modern dance and African dance into 2022 productions of The Nutshell!, an immersive and multi-cultural adaptation of The Nutcracker.
MARAYA PERFORMING ARTS COLLECTIVE	PRJ-21A-17779	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Maraya Performing Arts will present the world premiere of, "Bayanihan," an immersive docu-style dance theatre spectacle that shares the personal stories and resilience of multigenerational Filipinx families who reside in South Bay San Diego - a region impacted by record high cases of COVID.
MARIPOSA COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL INC	PRJ-21A-17615	MARIPOSA	\$ 19,000.00	With CAC support, Mariposa County Arts Council will continue weekly poetry workshops for system-engaged individuals at the county jail. In partnership with the Sheriff's Office, this program leverages poetry to create nuanced, delicate, authentic narratives by incarcerated persons, countering the dismissive community narratives and collective understanding often defining these individuals.
MASHUP CONTEMPORARY DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-18022	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, MashUp will continue its Annual Residency Program, which empowers female-identifying choreographers to deepen their artistic practice and invests in the future of the dance field by providing space, resources, and other support for creative risk-taking and process-based artmaking.
MC ARTS AND CULTURE	PRJ-21A-17108	MARIN	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, MC ARTS AND CULTURE will partner with CENTER FOR DOMESTIC PEACE A teaching artist is paired with a DomesticPeace counselor to facilitate a "Family Paint & Sip" group. Project creates a supported space of creative expression for participants experiencing or recovering from domestic violence.
MEDIA ARTS SANTA ANA (MASA)	PRJ-21A-16769	ORANGE	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, MASA will launch the SMART Project (South Main Art, Retail & Technology), an artistic, communitywide effort to reclaim the history of Santa Ana's Main Street in the face of development, gentrification and cultural erasure, by creating mini-documentaries, virtual AR/MR murals, and a SMART Walk.
MEGAN LOWE DANCES	PRJ-21A-17832	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Megan Lowe Dances will create "Piece of Peace", a dance theater performance that explores mixed-race Asian American Pacific Islander experiences—sharing stories of fractured selves and longings to belong, and co-creating a supportive environment for connection.
MID-CITY COMMUNITY MUSIC	PRJ-21A-16507	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,977.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Mid-City Community Music will provide after-school arts entrepreneur workshops for 120 youth in San Diego's most ethnically diverse neighborhoods and guide them through the process of starting online businesses using their own original artwork that represents their identities, cultures, and communities.
MORONGO BASIN CULTURAL ARTS COUNCIL	PRJ-21A-16914	SAN BERNARDINO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the MBCAC continues to present a drive-in concert series, bringing live music to our rural community. Music genres include: Jazz, Country, World Music, Indigenous. Attendees with mobility issues especially appreciate an outdoor event that does not require special accommodation.

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MOTION PACIFIC DANCE INC	PRJ-21A-17845	SANTA CRUZ	\$ 19,000.00	BBQueer (Black, Brown and Queer) is a series of performances, collective community actions, workshops and private gatherings culminating in a multi-day festival in September and October 2022. Funding will be used to support the second annual festival in the Fall of 2022, and for development of this event's following season.
MOVEMENT LIBERATION	PRJ-21A-16840	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Movement Liberation will co-create and offer accessible, BIPOC-centered community workshop(s) combining dance, mindful movement, and other expressive arts that can be documented and then shared with the broader public to inspire and uplift BIPOC strength, beauty, and healing.
MUSEUM OF CHILDRENS ART	PRJ-21A-16863	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, MUSEUM OF CHILDREN'S ART will collaborate with Lotus Bloom to offer a Teaching Artist pathway project to parents and caregivers.
MUSEUM OF DANCE	PRJ-21A-17019	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, MUSEUM OF DANCE will engage BIPOC curators in community listening and planning for the California premiere of "ROOTS: The Power of African-American and Black Dance in America," demonstrating the power of body percussion, Hip-Hop, and storytelling to heal, encourage reconciliation, and inspire hope.
MUSEUM OF LATIN AMERICA ART	PRJ-21A-17462	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Museum of Latin American Art will collaborate with a local advocacy group to develop bilingual, interactive programming related to our Exhibition of Chicano artist Narsiso Martinez, so migrant communities can share their experiences and promote art as a vehicle to empower the underrepresented.
MUSICALLY MINDED INC	PRJ-21A-17811	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the CAC, Musically Minded Inc. will fund the Mentors Program, a collaboration with a local artist, Liberated Culture, to support socioeconomically disadvantaged, under-resourced OUSD music students by building community, encouraging belonging, securing safety in learning, bridging the equity divide, and rooting culture in excellent in-school music education.
MYCELIUM YOUTH NETWORK	PRJ-21A-17451	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, MYCELIUM YOUTH NETWORK will iterate its Gaming for Justice program for youth, focused on Oakland-centered racial, environmental, and social topics. Youth will co-create these stories, artwork and music, alongside Oakland artists, opening up creative possibilities to envision a radical, just, and regenerative Oakland.
NAKA DANCE THEATER	PRJ-21A-17226	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, NAKA Dance Theater will support a year-long Circulo de Aprendizaje (Collaborative Learning Circle) focusing on traditional weaving practices of the Bay Area Indigenous Maya Mam immigrant community in Oakland, CA.
NAVA DANCE THEATRE	PRJ-21A-17611	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Nava Dance Theatre will produce its second Unrehearsed: Artist Residency and Commissioning Program which confronts systemic structural prejudices in the Indian performing arts community by curating art-centered interactive work in progress showings, performances, and discussions to make dialogue around these issues more accessible.
NEAR & ARNOLDS SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS & CULTURAL EDUCATION	PRJ-21A-16727	MENDOCINO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, NEAR & ARNOLDS SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS & CULTURAL EDUCATION will partner with local artist Olivia Zamora to run an immersive performing arts program designed to help Latino families reconnect with their cultural traditions.
NEIGHBOR PROGRAM INC	PRJ-21A-17599	SACRAMENTO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Neighbor Program will organize an Oak Park Community-wide Arts & Film Festival which highlights local youth and adult artists of color
NEW SAN CAI	PRJ-21A-17488	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, New San Cai will be able to support local artists and the underserved community through its Talent Enrichment Program. The fund will pay our staff and operational expenses, including digital expansion, websites, publication, and event program costs.
NEW VILLAGE ARTS INC	PRJ-21A-17768	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, New Village Arts will open the Sahm Family Foundation Arts Education Center and launch our expanded programming of arts education classes that make arts accessible for all, with a focus on theatre training for people with neurodiversity, seniors and BIPOC students and artists.
NO LIMITS THEATER GROUP INC	PRJ-21A-17839	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, No Limits Theater Group Inc. will serve 50 deaf individuals through our Oxnard Theater Workshop program, which engages underserved deaf children and adults in sharing their talents and voices on stage in the country's only theater program for deaf individuals who speak.

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NOE VALLEY CHAMBER MUSIC	PRJ-21A-16796	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Noe Valley Chamber Music will connect expectant and new mothers experiencing challenging life circumstances with world-class musicians to compose and record original lullabies for their babies, fostering community through music, strengthening maternal health, healing, and combating the effects of COVID-19 on vulnerable people.
NOORANI DANCE	PRJ-21A-17128	SAN MATEO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Noorani Dance will stage Sunehra Noor, A Golden Light - annual school production for Noorani Dance, a dance drama taking place in the time of Emperor Akbar, known as the Golden Age, with an emphasis on the story of Miyan Tansen.
NORTH AMERICAN GUQIN ASSOCIATION	PRJ-21A-17912	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council NAGA will collaborate with guqin master Wang Fei to do a series program " Guqin, the living Chinese Tradition". The meditative qualities of the guqin offer not only artistic value but psychological benefits for people impacted by pandemic.
NU ART EDUCATION INC	PRJ-21A-17759	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Nu Art education, Inc. (DBA NorCal School of the Arts) will establish a NorCal teaching artist culturally responsive laboratory to create culturally relevant, culturally responsive and anti-racist lesson plans and curriculum for NorCal's Theater Arts & SEL integrated outreach classes.
ODC	PRJ-21A-16628	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 17,564.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ODC will not only relaunch the pandemic halted PILOT Program but also expand it with crucial artist support in the Fall of 2022.
OMNIRA INSTITUTE	PRJ-21A-17591	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,905.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Omnira Institute will produce its 7th annual Black-Eyed Pea Festival. Project expenses include stage rental, food and fire permits, insurance, artists (musicians, dancers, storytellers), graphic design, publicist and related publicity costs (print and broadcast advertising), security personnel and festival organizers.
OPERATION NEW EARTH	PRJ-21A-16811	MARIPOSA	\$ 18,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council, Operation New Earth will continue to encourage, support, educate and train local artists within our disadvantaged, underserved rural area in the artistic fields of: painting, sketching, sculpture, music, composing, poetry, writing, drama, photography, comedy, film, cultural diversity, natural and ancient healing practices.
OUR TOWN. OUR CHILDREN. A SOCIAL AWARENESS ART PROJECT	PRJ-21A-17235	VENTURA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Our Town. Our Children. A Social Awareness Art Project. will provide opportunities for at-risk youth and marginalized families to connect with their ancestral roots through healing workshops focused on cultural land based learning, cultural sovereignty and culminate all activities with community based murals.
OUTFEST	PRJ-21A-18043	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Outfest will expand its 20th Anniversary Fusion QTBIPOC Film Festival to feature extended collaborations with local artists representing the under-served LGBTQIA+ community of color. A spotlight of curated festival programming will reflect each artist's unique identity, to center local artists and cultural expression.
OUTSIDE THE LENS	PRJ-21A-17978	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Outside the Lens (OTL), in collaboration with the Sherman Heights Community Center (SHCC), will present 'Cine Sherman' a youth-led film festival, screenings and workshops to engage intergenerational Latinx residents while responding to the community's need to reflect and amplify their cultural identity.
OX	PRJ-21A-16935	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, OX will produce Snake Dance; performances and free workshops, addressing chronic illness and disability through a process-based dance-form developed by Dia Dear. CAC funds will go directly to artist fees for lead artist and producer fees to OX.
OXNARD PERFORMING ARTS CENTER CORPORATION	PRJ-21A-16700	VENTURA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, OPAC will launch a "Lady DJ" Program led by DJ Honey for (36) BIPOC femme youth on the ins and outs of DJing, with the end goal that participants become working DJs who center their city, community and culture into their sound.
PACIFIC ARTS MOVEMENT	PRJ-21A-17211	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, PACIFIC ARTS MOVEMENT will continue producing annual programs that amplify the voices of Asian, Asian American, and Pacific Islander communities such as the San Diego Asian Film Festival, Reel Voices, and local community-focused events that highlight the diversity of San Diego through storytelling.

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PALO ALTO ART CENTER FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17436	SANTA CLARA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Palo Alto Art Center Foundation will implement a series of six workshops, hosted at the Art Center and community partner sites, by blind interdisciplinary artist Maia Scott focused on the disability and senior communities.
PATELDANCEWORKS	PRJ-21A-16439	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, pateldanceworks (pdw) will use CAC grant funds to pay performers, collaborators, and admin for our Summer 2023 premiere of "fault lines", a multidisciplinary, collaborative series of performances, workshops, and experiential sessions with queer Asian performance, textile and visual artists, and experimental composers.
PEACOCK REBELLION	PRJ-21A-17760	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Peacock Rebellion will work with our community of Trans and Queer BIPOC (TQBIPOC) artists to create and premiere The Sock World, a reality-style sock puppet comedy web series about TQBIPOC activists with disabilities and their drama-filled housing cooperative.
PEDAL PRESS	PRJ-21A-17022	BUTTE	\$ 19,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council, Pedal Press will utilize our new printing studio to host five local artists each in two-month residencies. Each artist will gain full access to our printmaking equipment, host two free community workshops, and create original work for their own final show.
PEOPLES CONSERVATORY	PRJ-21A-17402	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The People's Conservatory will build a Community Creative Media Lab focused on the intersection of technology and the creative arts. This intergenerational space provides artists with opportunities to learn contemporary, digitally-leveraged skills. This impactful refuge fosters social change and bridges the digital divide.
PERFORMING ARTS FOR LIFE AND EDUCATION FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-16674	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, PERFORMING ARTS FOR LIFE AND EDUCATION FOUNDATION will be presenting a 'Block Party' and Caribbean Carnival with ethnic food and a folk festival in South Los Angeles. The event will emanate from the local church recreation center encompassing the city's 9th Council District.
PIETER	PRJ-21A-17663	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	Pieter Performance Space is seeking support for a hybrid in person and virtual, nine month residency project focussed on access and disability in performance space, in collaboration with choreographer and dancer Alice Sheppard. This residency will include virtual talks, interactive movement workshops, and a community performance piece.
PLAYGROUND INC	PRJ-21A-17237	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	To support the 4th annual Innovators Showcase, a 3-week new works festival fostering self-expression by new Bay Area theatre companies representing historically excluded communities, including BIPOC and LGTBQIA+. The Showcase is the culmination of PlayGround's year-long Innovator Incubator, the company's direct investment in the launch of new innovative theatre companies.
PLAYHOUSE ARTS	PRJ-21A-17214	HUMBOLDT	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Playhouse Arts will work with the houseless community and local community groups on Turning the Keys, a multi-media production and workshops exploring the humanity of houselessness and community connections.
PLUMAS COUNTY ARTS COMMISSION	PRJ-21A-17449	PLUMAS	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Plumas County Arts Commission will maximize impact and accessibility of the Dixie Fire Stories Project (DFSP). DFSP is a grassroots social media effort to document and share stories of the victims and evacuees of California's largest single wildfire.
POSITIVE ALTERNATIVE RECREATION TEAMBUILDING IMPACTING PROGRAM	PRJ-21A-17745	SANTA CLARA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, 200 youth, ages 12-20, will participate in 10 cohort sessions of Stepping, a African cultural form of dance that is a California historical art form used by historically Black college organizations, and perform in a community convening event.
PRIDE PANTHERS COALITION INC	PRJ-21A-17520	FRESNO	\$ 7,200.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Pride Panthers Coalition Inc dba Fresno Spectrum Center will fund art project for Transgender Day of Visibility, racial/cultural inequity with Spectrum Story Hour for kids, and help fight food insecurity with food distribution at Annual LGBT Resource Fair.
PRO ARTS	PRJ-21A-18067	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, Pro Arts will produce The Oakland Autonomous Intergalactic Portal (OAIP) to reclaim unused urban space and transform it into a hub for Oakland artists, activists, and community members to gather and collectively imagine a better future.
PROJECT BLANK	PRJ-21A-16836	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Project [BLANK] will present the world premiere of THE ROBOTS, a groundbreaking new opera with themes centered on labor rights and justice for the industrial worker. This site-specific opera will include community and audience participation and will be paired with outreach programming.

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PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR THE ARTS OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH	PRJ-21A-17156	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council, Public Corporation for the Arts for the City of Long Beach will present the Rainbow Halo Project, a series of nine community-directed, interactive, pedestrian-level murals that celebrate the history of the LGBTQIA2S+ community, and the specific challenges faced by LGBTQIA2S+ seniors.
PURPLE SILK MUSIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION INC	PRJ-21A-17175	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, PURPLE SILK MUSIC FOUNDATION INC. will invite Cantonese music specialists to work with its K-12 grade Chinese music program in Oakland and San Francisco to bring healing through music to local seniors disproportionately impacted by COVID-19 and the related rise in anti-Asian violence.
PUSH DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17535	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, PUSH Dance Company intends to facilitate community-based classes, program strategies and workshops through the BIPOC Artists Sanctuary & Enrichment (BASE) program.
Q26	PRJ-21A-17856	RIVERSIDE	\$ 17,987.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Q26 will finance Passion of X, a five-part short film (15 min.) celebrating the beauty of trans, non-binary, and gender nonconforming people of color through poetry and diverse visual representations.
QUEER CAT PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-17958	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the CAC, QCP will create the second biannual commission for a Black queer/trans artist to create/advance a project in 2023, sustaining our work as a company focused on supporting artists and creating theater that meets the moment, and furthering our commitments to fight anti-Blackness.
QUEER REBELS PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-17948	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Queer Rebels Productions will conduct our fourth Intergenerational Curatorial Residency, a 6-month program for two queer and/or trans Black, Indigenous, and people of color (QTBIPOC) artists who will curate and present one work in progress showing and one final performance in April 2023.
RED POPPY ART HOUSE	PRJ-21A-17266	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,992.00	With support from CAC, Red Poppy Art House will present the 20th Anniversary Season of the Mission Arts Performance Project (MAPP), a FREE-bimonthly, multidisciplinary, intercultural arts event. Funds will support artists and administrative costs. MAPP engages the community with arts programs focused on current social-themes, facilitating artists and audience collaboration.
REDISCOVER CENTER INC	PRJ-21A-17000	LOS ANGELES	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, REDISCOVER CENTER INC in summer 2022 will produce Cardboard City, a free pop-up art center featuring a 10,000 sf collaborative installation of Cardboard Art by LA-based artists and youth, serving an estimated 15,000 visitors with hands-on engagement, delight, and information about environmental sustainability.
RHYTHM ARTS ALLIANCE	PRJ-21A-16412	LOS ANGELES	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the CAC, Rhythm Arts Alliance will facilitate 3, 12-week African drum, dance and song workshops in South Central Los Angeles for a multi-generational and multi-cultural population, in addition to our annual drum circle and festival dance at the Leimert Park Artwalk called Dununba, held each summer.
RICHMOND ART CENTER	PRJ-21A-17373	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Richmond Art Center will work with a local artist team to facilitate 'Fencelines': a participatory, arts-based community response to local conditions of environmental injustice, centered around an art installation along a city-owned fence bordering the Chevron refinery and North Richmond residential neighborhood.
RISING ARTS LEADERS OF SAN DIEGO	PRJ-21A-17522	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Rising Arts Leaders Of San Diego will fund its signature program, Virgil Yalong Quick Grants.
RIVERSIDE ART MUSEUM	PRJ-21A-17467	RIVERSIDE	\$ 19,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council, RIVERSIDE ART MUSUEM will engage BIPOC artists to connect with community residents and organizations to give voice to the values and stories of the Lincoln Park neighborhood via community workshops, painting park benches, and a large mural on a nearby Lodge building.
RIVERSIDE ARTS ACADEMY	PRJ-21A-17409	RIVERSIDE	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Riverside Arts Academy will be able to provide over three hundred hours of music instruction to over four hundred students at Title 1 schools in the Riverside Unified School District.
ROBERT GUMBINER FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17081	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, the Pacific Island Ethnic Art Museum "Te 'iti nei te marama kīkau: Reconnecting work practices to the land for our wellbeing." This project combines written research, process photography, and personal reflection working in harmony with the lunar calendar to synthesize storytelling.

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SACRA PROFANA	PRJ-21A-16605	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SACRA/PROFANA will provide a week-long Summer Choral Intensive for middle & high school students. Students will work alongside SACRA/PROFANA singers to prepare for and perform a world premiere composition by Dr. Brandon Waddles, noted Black American composer, based on James Baldwin's life and texts.
SACRED INDIGENOUS PRESERVATION	PRJ-21A-17600	VENTURA	\$ 19,000.00	With the help of CAC Sacred Indigenous Preservation will be able to offer a free event showcasing the diverse brilliance of Indigenous Art, music and culture to Ventura. SIP will also support the Women's Hummingbird Drum Circle for performances, workshops and create videos to share with the community.
SAFE HOUSE FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS	PRJ-21A-17201	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SAFEhouse for the Performing Arts will produce the 30th annual West Wave Festival and Conference. Both the festival and conference will be curated and designed by a BIPOC committees and will serve the larger Bay Area.
SAMMAY PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-17106	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SAMMAY Productions will produce its third iteration of the Daluyan Workshop Series with culminating performance film. Daluyan (Filipino word for "vessel") is a BIPOC space that celebrates women, femme, non-binary, and gender variant community through embodied storytelling, indigenous practices, and holistic healing.
SAMUEL LAWRENCE FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-18021	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SLF will fund development and administrative costs for projects aimed towards improving people's opportunities to thrive and making this world a better, safer and cleaner place.
SAN DIEGO ART INSTITUTE	PRJ-21A-17979	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, San Diego Art Institute, known as the Institute of Contemporary Art, San Diego (ICA San Diego), will produce Regional Artist exhibitions featuring Southern California based artists, Carolina Caycedo, Cog*nate Collective, and Narsiso Martinez in the upcoming 2022-2023 curatorial season.
SAN DIEGO BALLET	PRJ-21A-17366	SAN DIEGO	\$ 17,010.00	With support from the California Arts Council, San Diego Ballet will partner with the Malcolm X/Valencia Park Library in order to provide eight weeks of free once-weekly after-school dance classes in creative movement, ballet, and jazz to underserved youth ages 7 to 14.
SAN DIEGO DANCE THEATER	PRJ-21A-17582	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With the support from the California Arts Council, SDDT will use the funds to support emerging choreographers across the county. The program's design will encourage, nurture, and mentor dance artists using choreography to illuminate cultural styles, create expression of uniqueness, and a multicultural pride focusing on social justice.
SAN DIEGO LESBIAN & GAY PRIDE	PRJ-21A-17681	SAN DIEGO	\$ 8,823.00	With support from the California Arts Council, San Diego Pride will build out its Art of Pride program and develop its biannual Youth Art Show and Art of Pride exhibits.
SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17396	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, San Diego University Foundation will support James Brown's project International Friendship Park, an 80 acre binational park at the border between San Diego and Tijuana as the border meets the pacific ocean. This design proposes a place of cooperation, trust, and family reunification.
SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA THEATRE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17911	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SFBATCO will pay the Black artists creating and workshoping Sign My Name to Freedom, a musical theater piece about Betty Reid-Soskin, the oldest active National Park Ranger who turned 100 in 2021. Two workshop productions will advance the piece towards its world premiere.
SAN FRANCISCO INSTITUTE OF POSSIBILITY INCORPORATED	PRJ-21A-17799	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SF Institute of Possibility builds bridges between communities through education, events and public artworks. In 2022, we debut a new program in the Delta, bringing together artists and local communities to create, participate, and to experience our ecology through skillshare and art.
SAN FRANCISCO INTERNATIONAL HIP HOP DANCEFEST	PRJ-21A-16988	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the SF International Hip Hop DanceFest will collaborate with ANYxMEANS on Know Yourself, a day-long arts program for Oakland youth ages 12-17. Students will explore personal topics through mindfulness, hip hop dance, music, a panel discussion, and performance.
SAN FRANCISCO JAZZ ORGANIZATION	PRJ-21A-17056	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the CAC, SFJAZZ will engage local artists to lead Afterschool Jazz, offering free after school and summer instruction for East Bay public middle and high school students who wish to develop their jazz abilities. The program is run in collaboration between SFJAZZ and the Oakland Public Conservatory.

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SAN FRANCISCO MIME TROUPE	PRJ-21A-17553	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SFMT can provide the Youth Theater Program (YTP) to amplify the voices of underserved youth, primarily youth of color. YTP is led by seasoned professionals 3-days/week for 8weeks, culminating in two public performances based on topics that are most pressing to them.
SAN FRANCISCO TRANSGENDER FILM FESTIVAL	PRJ-21A-16593	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the San Francisco Transgender Film Festival will produce our 25th Anniversary season, including our 25th annual Festival (a FREE, 4-day hybrid in-person/online event); and launch a new Project: SFTFF's TGNC Filmmaker Seed Commission Initiative for Bay Area BIPOC TGNC Filmmakers.
SAN JOSE COMMUNITY MEDIA ACCESS CORP	PRJ-21A-17313	SANTA CLARA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SAN JOSE COMMUNITY MEDIA ACCESS CORP will build equitable connections and collaboration between local artists and community through culturally rich activities at Open San José's inaugural event. We will engage the community to identify, discuss, and find creative solutions to community issues.
SAN JOSE JAZZ	PRJ-21A-16911	SANTA CLARA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, San Jose Jazz will create a workforce development project for musicians to gain media arts skills, build youth programs to teach media arts, and build a community outreach program through our SJZ Break Room venue.
SAN JOSE MULTICULTURAL ARTISTS GUILD INC	PRJ-21A-17975	SANTA CLARA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from CAC, SJMAG will produce our 25th annual Dia de los Muertos events over five weeks in October/November 2022, including a comparsa (parade) culminatig in cross-cultural performances, an exhibit of altars honoring departed ancestors, and children's workshops. Funds will partially underwrite artist fees and production, marketing & administrative costs.
SAN JOSE TAIKO	PRJ-21A-17176	SANTA CLARA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, San Jose Taiko will launch Story Station, an effort to record and preserve stories of San Jose Japantown and historic and contemporary Asian American life. The project will launch at Japantown Immersive (April 2023) and have an extensive life long into the future.
SAN LUIS OBISPO MUSEUM OF ART	PRJ-21A-17062	SAN LUIS OBISPO	\$ 9,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the San Luis Obispo Museum of Art will present an exhibition and associated programming exploring the social, economic, and environmental impacts of fast fashion.
SANGAM ARTS	PRJ-21A-17348	SANTA CLARA	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Mosaic America will create and present Mosaic San José: Building Belonging, a series of 90-minute participatory arts events designed to increase connections between people and culture, place, and history while inspiring engagement with performing arts for diverse communities throughout San Jose.
SANTA BARBARA FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17941	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 18,050.00	With support from the California Arts Council, @juneteenthsb will host the fifth annual Juneteenth Santa Barbara event to celebrate and honor Black / African American Independence Day. Juneteenth showcases Black / African American culture, talent, and joy; we also contemplate how far we still have to achieve justice and equity.
SANTA CECILIA ARTS & LEARNING CENTER	PRJ-21A-17460	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Santa Cecilia Arts & Learning Center will present Building Bridges through Music, a performance series that will feature music from different cultures in an effort to unite multicultural communities and create new intercultural understanding among residents.
SANTA CECILIA OPERA AND ORCHESTRA ASSOCIATION	PRJ-21A-16695	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Santa Cecilia Orchestra will create a dynamic intergenerational learning opportunity – Musica del Pueblo (Music of the Community) that blends 100 youth musicians with 100 senior retired and amateur musicians in workshops and performances that allow them to share the experience of making music.
SANTA PAULA MUSEUM OF ART	PRJ-21A-18051	VENTURA	\$ 9,785.00	With support form the California Arts Council, the Santa Paula Museum of Art's will administer the "SPisMe" project, featuring local artist Sergio Martinez, with lessons to explore positive cultural and individual identity, created for local public school students, culminating in a poster and social media campaign partnering with local business.
SATURDAY NIGHT BATH CONCERT FUND	PRJ-21A-17562	LOS ANGELES	\$ 9,000.00	Saturday Night Bath Band (leader + 7) will produce and perform one, live interactive 2-hour concert including clinic at 3-schools, providing access to music performance, history, and song creation for at-risk-students at continuation high schools, who have had little music instruction before.. The band converses in a relaxed and informal manner.
SCHOOL OF THE GETDOWN	PRJ-21A-17029	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, School of the Getdown will celebrate Black Music Month in June 2023 by presenting "Oakland Black Music Festival: A Cultural Mosaic" featuring a multigenerational, cross-genre array of Black Oakland musical acts and centering Black Bay Area communities whose culture is threatened by gentrification.

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SELF-HELP GRAPHICS AND ARTS INC	PRJ-21A-17316	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Self Help Graphics and Arts will continue The Youth Activism Internship program integrating art and youth voices into our housing justice advocacy with Eastside LEADS. Open to Los Angeles youth, 18-24, interested in advocacy, activism, art, and with strong ties to the community.
SF CREATIVE WRITING INSTITUTE	PRJ-21A-18075	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SF Creative Writing Institute will present Dispatches from Quarantine: hybrid storytelling events and writing workshops with working writers from diverse genres and backgrounds. The program will examine how the Coronavirus Pandemic will shape the next generation of writing and creative work.
SHAKESPEARE-SAN FRANCISCO	PRJ-21A-17153	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 16,200.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SHAKESPEARE –SAN FRANCISCO will collaborate with The Healing WELL and other supportive housing partners, engaging housing insecure community members in artistic explorations inspired by Shakespeare, illuminating each of our stories to be as important as Shakespeare.
SHOW BOX LA	PRJ-21A-16897	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Show Box LA intends to unite LA queer, black, Indigenous, and people of color artists to facilitate (de) Color-es (People of Color). An event that invites marginalized communities to exchange and partake in dance classes and performances from a cultural social justice perspective.
SIERRA COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL	PRJ-21A-16694	SIERRA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The Sierra County Arts Council will partner with Lindsay McIntosh of Musica Sierra to bring the Musical Headwaters program to Sierra County.
SILICON VALLEY AFRICAN FILM FESTIVAL	PRJ-21A-17930	SANTA CLARA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SILICON VALLEY AFRICAN FILM FESTIVAL will present its 13th season of monthly African Cinema Cafes, a year-round intimate presentation of films on topical issues and facilitated community dialogues that use film as a pathway to courageous conversations and community action.
SISKIYOU COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL	PRJ-21A-17014	SISKIYOU	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Siskiyou County Arts Council will deliver multi-layered art programming that addresses service and access disparities as well as fosters social change in our community through the alignment and delivery of our traveling up-cycling art creation program and our community art/supply re-source locations.
SIXTH STREET PHOTOGRAPHY WORKSHOP	PRJ-21A-16810	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Sixth Street Photography Workshop will share the arts and skills of photography with low income residents of SRO hotels and non profit residences. Their photographs will be exhibited in four exhibitions at our 6th On 7th Gallery in South of Market.
SMALL PRESS TRAFFIC LITERARY ARTS CENTER	PRJ-21A-17774	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Small Press Traffic will present an art exhibition, a poetry reading, and a community conversation with Curatorial Fellow, Mimi Tempestt, inviting ten exclusively-BIPOC poets and artists working in experimental and cutting-edge practices to present their work and engage in public discussion.
SO SAY WE ALL	PRJ-21A-17507	SAN DIEGO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SO SAY WE ALL will conduct storytelling workshops facilitated by published writers, coaching and mentoring, and performances of literary narratives read by military veterans and their family members before live audiences and via online streaming, with participants' works posted on social media.
SOUTH BAY ARTIST COLLECTIVE	PRJ-21A-17921	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Indivisible Arts (previously known as South Bay Artist Collective) will increase accessibility for at-risk and system-involved youth of West Los Angeles to attend its' creative mental health and leadership programming through a scholarship program.
SOUTHERN EXPOSURE	PRJ-21A-17461	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Southern Exposure's Youth Advisory Board will engage 10-15 young artists in a youth-led, youth development arts program to exercise leadership skills and participate in the community by exploring relevant social and personal issues through visual arts workshops and the development of new work.
SOUTHLAND SINGS	PRJ-21A-16504	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SOUTHLAND SINGS will present "My Story, My Voice: Poetry to Song" to neurodiverse youth residing at the Oak Grove Center in Murrieta, California. Six unique groups of neurodiverse residents will write and perform musical theater works that reflect their experiences.
SOZO IMPACT INC	PRJ-21A-17427	ALAMEDA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Sozo Impact we will produce a mounting of EARTH.SPEAKS, two community healing installations by Indigenous artist Brooke Smiley.
SPECTORDANCE	PRJ-21A-16702	MONTEREY	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, SPECTORDANCE will create "Wildfires a new performance project employing the power of dance to address the increasing prevalence and severity of California wildfire. It will bring together scientific and Indigenous knowledge to offer new perspectives on the health of our forests and communities.

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STILL HERE PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-18001	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Still Here San Francisco will produce a podcast featuring local QTBIPOC artists born and raised in San Francisco. CAC funds will also support our free Podcast Release event.
STREET POETS INC	PRJ-21A-16699	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the CAC, Street Poets will facilitate weekly Beats and Rhymes music/poetry sessions . Youth will record tracks for our annual album and perform at the Open Mic. Funds also support our Music Fellowship program that engages our standout youth and provides lessons/mentorship around music production, business and more.
STREET SYMPHONY PROJECT INC	PRJ-21A-17622	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Street Symphony will present its "Messiah Project Festival" in partnership with The Midnight Mission, which will commence with an open-air "Block Party" celebration, include 12 workshop events throughout Skid Row facilities and public spaces, and conclude with SS 7th annual Messiah Project.
STUDIO CHANNEL ISLANDS ART CENTER	PRJ-21A-16846	VENTURA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Studio Channel Islands will work in partnership with the veteran community to place visual artists at the center of an exhibition and education program which responds to the unique social and economic pressures experienced by service families in our community.
STUDIOS FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS OPERATING CO	PRJ-21A-17331	SACRAMENTO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CLARA will deliver Catalyst: an arts-based program for teens designed to counter the effects of social isolation caused by distance learning and other responses to COVID-19. 75 youth artists are paired with a personal coach, professional artist mentor, and peer cohort of students.
SUAREZ DANCE THEATER	PRJ-21A-16916	LOS ANGELES	\$ 5,400.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Suarez Dance Theater will launch the On Being American project, two week-long residencies with The United American Indian Involvement and Mixteco Indigena Community Organizing Project. Working in collaboration with community partners we will collectively investigate what American citizenship signifies.
TA YER	PRJ-21A-16470	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	"QUILTS & STORYTELLING TRADITIONS: FROM THE LATINO, AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITIES AND CULTURES." A multilingual collaborative project that incorporates quilt making, storytelling, music, and theater. The project will also include workshops, performances and exhibits, intended to promote racial and cultural diversity and mutuality.
TANNERY WORLD DANCE & CULTURAL CENTER	PRJ-21A-17738	SANTA CRUZ	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, TANNERY WORLD DANCE & CULTURAL CENTER will hold World Arts Festival: a free public outdoor event bridging many communities through the dance arts while celebrating cultural influences side by side - a true reflection of the complexity of cultures that make up our community.
TEADA PRODUCTIONS	PRJ-21A-17413	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, TeAda will engage Long Beach Southeast Asian youth and community members in the workshop and performance series Refugee Nation: Southeast Asian Empowerment, which will culminate in a free public performance sharing.
TEAPOT GARDENS	PRJ-21A-17919	LOS ANGELES	\$ 17,918.00	With support from the California Arts Council, TEAPOT GARDENS will be able to establish a micro-economy for artists and disadvantaged communities. We can triple our program capacity, hire more artists, and build a thriving creative community in central Los Angeles.
TEATRO DE LAS AMERICAS INCORPORATED	PRJ-21A-17326	VENTURA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, TEATRO DE LAS AMERICAS INCORPORATED will engage in a collaboration with local Latino communities to create a Performance piece based on the experiences of those communities, especially as they reflect racial inequity.
TEATRO ESPEJO	PRJ-21A-16562	SACRAMENTO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Teatro Espejo will present the festival, "Reflection Through the Arts," which celebrates Chicanx/Latinx voices through poetry, theater, and spoken word. The festival will showcase both inexperienced and experienced performers while integrating audience participation through observation and structured dialogue.
TERRA CULTURA	PRJ-21A-17454	SAN BENITO	\$ 17,496.00	With support from the California Arts Council Terra Cultura will host a monthly arts showcase featuring different local artists from diverse backgrounds and disciplines who represent the rich cultures of our community. The events will be free and open to the public.
THE AJA PROJECT	PRJ-21A-17099	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The Aja Project will critically examine issues intrinsic to the San Diego Tijuana region that directly impact lives of youths, from militarization to surveillance, immigration, housing rights, gender violence and indigenous sovereignty. The Action! program uses arts as a tool for political resistance.

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THE ANTI-EVICTION MAPPING PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16896	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Anti-Eviction Mapping Project will expand the public-facing engagement phase of (Dis)location: Black Exodus project, a compilation of oral history interviews, creative cartography, essays, archival research and art that aims to facilitate an understanding of the local history of Black San Franciscans.
THE CHANCE THEATER	PRJ-21A-17608	ORANGE	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, CHANCE THEATER will offer two six-week workshops for veterans using theater as a means for rehabilitation by sharing their experiences with the public, providing a better understanding of the life of a veteran—its challenges as well as its points of pride.
THE DANCE BRIGADE A NEW GROUP FROM WALLFLOWER ORDER	PRJ-21A-16873	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, THE DANCE BRIGADE A NEW GROUP FROM WALLFLOWER ORDER will support the 2023 season of Cuerpos Sanos, Mentas Sanas, a dance residency collaboration with worker-run women's collective, La Colectiva de Mujeres. The project features free weekly bilingual dance classes for women domestic workers.
THE H E ART PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16600	LOS ANGELES	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, artworxLA will collaborate with Art Center College of Design and Teaching Artist Johnny Pérez to deliver a two-semester photography workshop at Rose City High School (Pasadena) in 2022/23, enabling continuation students to address mental health concerns. Artwork shared in culminating community exhibitions.
THE HARMONY PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16966	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Harmony Project will work with community-based artists to lead middle and high school students in a six-week music production intensive, focused on addressing and exploring social justice within students' individual communities, and culminating with the creation of a collaborative album.
THE IMAGINATION WORKSHOP INC	PRJ-21A-17087	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, THE IMAGINATION WORKSHOP INC will provide twenty weekly theater workshops with homeless veterans at New Directions for Veterans, led by professional theater artists, which will culminate in a professionally mounted theater work, open to the public, written and acted by the homeless veterans.
THE LIBRARY OF MUSICLANDRIA	PRJ-21A-16954	SACRAMENTO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Library of MusicLandria will provide musicians an Artist Residency mentorship at our recording studio, video studio, Internet radio station, and live performance space. Artists will produce an album, videos and showcase the final work on the radio and at three live performances.
THE OXNARD COLLEGE FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-16723	VENTURA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, the Oxnard College Foundation will work with local artists and the community to design and paint a mural on the Oxnard College campus to honor the resilience of our students, campus and community members who were disproportionately impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.
THE QUINAN STREET PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16889	CONTRA COSTA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The Quinan Street Project will engage TK-6th grade students in Title-I schools in Drama in the Classroom, a culturally-relevant theatre and performing arts program that will serve 2,000 children next year, igniting creativity and critical thinking skills in a diverse learner population.
THE ROBEY THEATRE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-16959	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The Robey Theatre Company will, in part, fund a year of its Commissioned Plays Project for emerging, traditionally underserved local playwrights.
THE VINCENT PRICE ART MUSEUM FOUNDATION	PRJ-21A-17349	LOS ANGELES	\$ 13,965.00	With support from the California Arts Council, VPAM will organize a 2-part community conversation event and 4 months of quilt-making workshops with lead artist Phung Huynh. The program will continue the artist's inquiries into the history of coerced sterilization in East LA, activating dialogues about reproductive health, justice, and healing.
THE YOUNG SHAKESPEAREANS	PRJ-21A-17867	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, TYS will employ local Teaching Artists to deliver our Performance/Production Design/Technical Arts Program to Title 1 4-8th graders in South Los Angeles. TYS maximizes student potential while developing fundamental academic/life skills through the challenges of understanding classical literature and creating/performing high-quality community productions.
THEATRE FOR CHILDREN INC	PRJ-21A-17151	SACRAMENTO	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, B Street Theatre will resume its 30+ year School Tour Program in person. The school tour combines onsite and in-school playwriting workshops, a playwriting competition, and a fully-professional touring production to reach over 130,000 K-12 students directly in their schools.

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THEATREWORKERS PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16641	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, TheatreWorkers Project (TWP) will continue to implement our Theatre Inside program at California State Prison-LA County in Lancaster, enabling men experiencing incarceration to express themselves through a collaborative rehabilitative theatre process culminating in performance workshops shared with their peers, families, and the public.
THREE GIRLS THEATRE COMPANY INC	PRJ-21A-17041	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, 3Girls Theatre will produce the world premiere of 'Tasha by Cat Brooks. CAC funds will be used to compensate Black women artists and community engagement organizers for their work. Performances will occur at Z Below in San Francisco March 3-25, 2023.
TIA CHUCHAS CENTRO CULTURAL INC	PRJ-21A-17804	LOS ANGELES	\$ 20,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Tia Chucha's Centro Cultural will produce the longest-running arts and literacy festival in the Northeast San Fernando Valley: the 18th annual "Celebrating Words Festival--Written, Performed, and Sung". Held in May 2023 at Vaughn Academy for a Global Green Generation (G3).
TRANSCENDANCE YOUTH ARTS PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16734	SAN DIEGO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, transcDANCE Youth Arts Project will work alongside youth ages 10-18 years to co-create our Performance Group's 16th annual production, 16 Wishes. Two cohorts totaling 45-50 students will experience the holistic and culturally-affirming creative process with professional Teaching Artists through a robust performing arts program.
TRANSFORM THROUGH ARTS	PRJ-21A-17321	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 18,000.00	With support of CAC we will be able to expand from 1 theater production to 3 productions a year such documentary film and Multicultural Festival that will showcase diverse cultures such as Chinese, Afro Brazilian, Black American, Hispanic and Pacific Islander Inclusivity, unity and building bridges are core objectives.
TRAUMA, TRESSES, & TRUTH	PRJ-21A-16922	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Trauma, Tresses, & Truth (TT&T) will produce its second virtual multi-track Natural Hair conference featuring Black and Afro Latina women-identified poets, artists, performers, and film artists in Fall 2022.
TULEBURG PRESS	PRJ-21A-17684	SAN JOAQUIN	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Tuleburg Press' Pieces to Peace project uses traditional papermaking as trauma therapy, social engagement, and community activism. Participants rag pulp a significant garment to make paper and craft a personal journal for guided writing workshops. Pieces to Peace turns trauma into art.
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA BARBARA	PRJ-21A-16895	SANTA BARBARA	\$ 18,934.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Las Maestras Center for Xicana[x] Indigenous Thought, Art and Social Praxis at UC Santa Barbara will host "animArte," a facilitated series of intergenerational community arts and culture workshops aimed at revitalizing the creative spirit. "animArte" is curated by Xicana visual artist, Celia Herrera-Rodríguez.
UPSTATE COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT FOUNDATION INC	PRJ-21A-18062	BUTTE	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Upstate Community Foundation Inc. will develop a five-part video series 1) Substance Use & Emotional Dysregulation 2) Adverse Childhood Experiences 3) Impacts of Trauma 4) Mental Health & Resilience 5) Hope & Strength. The 10-minute videos are aimed at adults w/lived experience and social service professionals.
URBAN VOICES PROJECT	PRJ-21A-16620	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Urban Voices Project will provide music engagement programs to Skid Row residents marginalized by homelessness, mental health struggles, and unemployment, using music as a bridge to community, health and social services. These programs include community singing workshops, Music Labs, and UVP's Performance Choir.
VAN-ANH VO & BLOOD MOON ORCHESTRA	PRJ-21A-16940	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Van-Anh Vo & Blood Moon Orchestra will present "Recounting Resilience", a series of interactive music workshops and recitals hosted at community centers in the San Francisco Bay Area emphasizing post-pandemic community building. The project will be led by Greater Mekong Subregion cultural bearers.
VENTURA COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL	PRJ-21A-16516	VENTURA	\$ 12,350.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Ventura County Arts Council will facilitate traditional Mexican dance classes to Haycox elementary students with translation in Mixteco, a native language many of their students speak. This program will celebrate their indigenous heritage and culture and their language.
VERSA-STYLE DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-17652	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Versa-Style Dance Company (VSDC) will produce a show for our flagship youth program, Versa-Style Next Generation (VSNG). The one hour production will feature the members of VSNG, showcasing their talents in Hip Hop and street dance in a public theater performance.

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VIGILANT LOVE	PRJ-21A-16643	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Vigilant Love will host its 2023 Solidarity Arts Fellowship, an arts and storytelling-based program for college-aged Muslim and Japanese American youth to build cross-communal solidarity, unpack Islamophobia and racism, and embrace the value of community-engaged arts as a medium for powerful transformation.
VISUAL COMMUNICATIONS MEDIA	PRJ-21A-17015	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Visual Communications will support three Lead Artists and five Emerging Fellows to produce 5 short films to amplify the cultures, histories, and perspectives of Indigenous peoples from Hawai'i, New Zealand, Guam, Sāmoa, Tonga, the Cook Islands, and other islands throughout the Pacific.
VITA ART CENTER	PRJ-21A-17674	VENTURA	\$ 17,100.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Vita Art Center will expand its Teen Art Program, offering more classes and scholarships allowing us to serve the growing number of our underserved teens. The Program is a source for teenagers to meaningfully connect with peers and mentors through the visual arts.
VIVER BRASIL DANCE COMPANY	PRJ-21A-18029	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the CAC, Viver Brasil - in partnership with Nate Holden Performing Arts Center - will provide free weekly Afro-Brazilian community dance classes that build a healthy, vibrant, and resilient community by addressing themes of cultural equity, inclusion & social justice through the joyous dances and rhythms of VB's Afro-Brazilian repertoire.
VOICES OF THE GOLDEN GHOSTS	PRJ-21A-16980	SISKIYOU	\$ 18,000.00	With the support of the California Arts Council the Voices of the Golden Ghosts will work with community members of Shasta and Siskiyou County creating artworks which brings attention how the multi ethnic communities of Northern California were affected by the Gold Rush era of the 1850's
WACO THEATER CENTER	PRJ-21A-17926	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, WACO Theater Center will complete a three generational interview project with under-resourced youth program participants in an effort to bring families closer together and artistically document traditions, customs and values.
WAYWARD ARTIST INC	PRJ-21A-17447	ORANGE	\$ 14,250.00	Began in 2020, Wayward Voices is artistic programming committed to amplify, empower, and uplift BIPOC artists. Wayward Voices provides funding, production team, and venue to artists of color who need resources to tell their stories.
WEST CREATIVE PERFORMING ARTS	PRJ-21A-17755	SANTA CRUZ	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, WEST continues the successful THEATRE Q (formerly New Voices), an arts incubation opportunity for LGBTQIA+ youth ages 16-24 exploring Queer cultural heritage and relevant issues facing this community members today. THEATRE Q creates a platform that uplifts and amplifies the LGBTQIA+ community experience.
WOMEN S CENTER FOR CREATIVE WORK	PRJ-21A-16428	LOS ANGELES	\$ 19,000.00	CAC funds will support The Revolution School artists in co-building aspects of My Little BEI ????????, a trauma-processing AI companion, with the FCCW community. Liberatory archiving workshops, thinking/feeling tanks, and collaborative design will empower under-acknowledged voices to contribute to algorithms that increasingly have bearing on our lifepaths and experiences.
WOMEN WHO SUBMIT	PRJ-21A-16976	LOS ANGELES	\$ 9,500.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Women Who Submit (WWS) will publish TRANSFORMATION, our third biennial anthology of poetry, stories, essays, and plays from women and nonbinary writers. TRANSFORMATION seeks imaginative alternatives to harmful structures and systems that hold us in bondage for a more just and joyful future.
WOMEN WONDER WRITERS	PRJ-21A-17289	RIVERSIDE	\$ 17,550.00	With support from the California Arts Council, WOMEN WONDER WRITERS will be able to assist and continue provide services to our most disadvantage communities. These communities need help from organizations like WWW more than ever especially during the COVID-19.
WOMENS AUDIO MISSION	PRJ-21A-16943	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from California Arts Council, Women's Audio Mission will host a Local Sirens: Women in Music Concert featuring Maya Songbird and Thrive Choir. WAM will commission new work/provide a studio residency to Maya, culminating in a performance with Thrive Choir that centers healing and community reawakening from the pandemic.
WOMENS VOICES NOW INC	PRJ-21A-17337	LOS ANGELES	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Women's Voices Now will bring together women of color in the fields of film and social change with girls and femme-identifying youth (14-18) from low-income communities of Los Angeles to empower them to find, develop and use their voice for positive social change.

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WORLD ARTS WEST	PRJ-21A-17282	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, World Arts West will produce Ipat a Kadsakay Project, a new ritual dance work inspired by the Sagayan Dance from the Maguindanaon Ipat ritual, choreographed by Eric Solano and performed by Parangal Dance Company.
WRITERS GROTTTO	PRJ-21A-17741	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, The Writers Grotto will mount the Rooted & Written 2022 Conference/Fellowship by and for writers of color. Serving 40 Fellows at no cost and 250+ additional participants, the Conference culminates in a national public reading, amplifying the Grotto's mission to elevate voices of color.
YEAH, ART!	PRJ-21A-17893	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from CAC, Yeah, Art! will bring arts education workshops to public schools. This grant will allow Yeah, Art! to grow our nonprofit and make arts education more inclusive, accessible and relevant — particularly in communities of color.
YERBA BUENA ARTS & EVENTS	PRJ-21A-17233	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Yerba Buena Gardens Festival will partner with composer Marcus Shelby for the creation and premiere of "Blues in the City." This musical suite will spotlight how San Francisco's most vulnerable lives—the homeless, the poor, and BIPOC communities—have been drastically impacted by the pandemic.
YOLO COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL INC	PRJ-21A-17314	YOLO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, YOLO COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL INC will continue the I SEE YOU project - an arts engagement program for at least 65 adults experiencing homelessness. This artist residency project will meet people where they are: at Fourth & Hope, the emergency services shelter in Woodland.
YOUNG AUDIENCES OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA	PRJ-21A-16908	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Young Audiences of Northern California will partner with two Bay Area public schools to conduct culturally responsive in-school residencies to help low-income students rebuild frayed connections to school and support their social emotional development.
YOUNG MUSICIANS CHORAL ORCHESTRA	PRJ-21A-17908	ALAMEDA	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Young Musician's Choral Orchestra will present Black Lineage Arts Festival 2/4/23, celebrating Black History Month & featuring YMCO ensembles, prominent YMCO alumni, & veteran Berkeley Black artists performing together and engaging in intergenerational learning, centering Black Bay Area communities whose culture is threatened by gentrification.
YOUTH ART EXCHANGE	PRJ-21A-17261	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Youth Art Exchange (YAX) will partner with lead artist Amy Díaz-Infante and local visual and performing artists, activating two arts hubs located in the vibrant and diverse Excelsior and Mission neighborhoods of San Francisco through residencies centering creative exchange between artists and community.
YUBA COUNTY SUTTER COUNTY REGIONAL ARTS COUNCIL	PRJ-21A-16837	YUBA	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, Yuba Sutter Arts & Culture will immerse an independent writer-artist in every possible community — of age, class, ethnicity, gender, religion — to unite our fractured, disenchanted two counties & four towns through essays of storytelling and poetry culminating in a book and gallery event.
ZAWAYA	PRJ-21A-16505	SAN MATEO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ZAWAYA will work with members of the Bay Area Yemeni community to develop and produce a concert of Yemeni music, in response to Yemenis' expressed need to unite and uplift a community fragmented from within and beleaguered from without.
ZERO1 - THE ART AND TECHNOLOGY NETWORK	PRJ-21A-16691	SAN FRANCISCO	\$ 18,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ZERO1 will fortify and expand the Grand Creative Resource Library, a community resource serving diverse Bay Area-based creators at the intersection of art, music, and technology.
ZIRU DANCE INC	PRJ-21A-17922	SAN MATEO	\$ 19,000.00	With support from the California Arts Council, ZiRu Dance will collaborate with One Life Counseling Center to create and lead a series of movement classes, and choreograph a new body of dance work exploring PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder) and pathways to recovery from the disorder.