

FUNDING TO INTER-ARTS PROGRAMS, 1998-99

- In 1998-99, the Canada Council for the Arts provided grants worth \$841,000 to interdisciplinary arts in Canada.
- The Council awarded \$545,000 in grants to individual interdisciplinary artists and almost \$300,000 to Inter-Arts organizations (see Table 1a). Interdisciplinary work and performance art grants to 41 individual artists and 10 organizations totaled \$841,000, of which the vast majority are creation grants (89%).
- Prior to 1999, funding to interdisciplinary arts was integrated into the media arts program. Consequently, funding to Inter-Arts for the 1998-99 fiscal year would represent only a nominal percentage of Canada Council funding to the arts. In terms of funding allocations, “Media Arts” received the least amount of funding, with their total budget of \$10.1 million (\$9,240,800 for media arts and \$841,000 for inter-arts combined) comprising 11% of Canada Council funding in 1998-99 (see Table 1b).
- Funding to Inter-Arts organizations and artists is dispersed across the country in 28 different cities and communities (see Table 2). The rapid growth of interdisciplinary practices in Canada’s artistic communities is reflected in the creation of the new Inter-Arts office at the Council, which supports multiple, hybrid and experimental approaches to performance art and interdisciplinary work. While interdisciplinary art and new artistic practices are emerging rapidly at a national level, the two largest centres of Inter-Arts funding remain Montreal (\$229,600) and Toronto (\$144,000) (see Table 2).

THE CANADA COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS - INTER-ARTS GRANT PROGRAMS

	<i>INDIVIDUAL INTER-ARTS ARTISTS</i>	<i>INTER-ARTS ORGANIZATIONS</i>	<i>TOTAL INTER-ARTS ARTISTS AND ORGANIZATIONS</i>
Interdisciplinary Work and Performance Art Program: Creation Grants	\$515,000	\$240,000	\$755,000
Interdisciplinary Work and Performance Art Program: Travel Grants	\$30,000		\$30,000
Interdisciplinary Work and Performance Art Program: Circulation Grants		\$12,600	\$12,600
Interdisciplinary Work and Performance Art Program: Presentation Grants		\$43,400	\$43,400
TOTAL - INTER-ARTS PROGRAMS:	\$545,000	\$296,000	\$841,000

**TABLE 1b -
THE CANADA COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS
TOTAL FUNDING TO THE ARTS BY DISCIPLINE, 1998-99**

<i>Discipline</i>	<i>Grants \$</i>
Dance	\$12,269,216
Music	\$21,557,962
Theatre	\$20,348,559
Visual Arts (1)	\$15,318,993
Media Arts	\$9,230,800
Interdisciplinary Arts (2)	\$841,000
Writing and Publishing	\$17,417,852
Prizes and Other (3)	\$1,612,510
Grants Programs	\$98,596,892
Millennium Arts Fund (4)	\$5,318,200
Total Grants Programs and Millennium Arts Fund	\$103,915,092
Public Lending Right Program	\$8,059,252
TOTAL CANADA COUNCIL FUNDING	\$111,974,344

(1) The amount of \$15,318, 993 is less than the preliminary amount reported in earlier versions of this table due to grant cancellations in several programs throughout the 1998-99 fiscal year.

(2) The amount of \$841,000 is \$10,000 less than the amount reported in earlier versions of this table due to a \$10,000 grant cancellation.

(3) Other includes Outreach Program, programs in the Aboriginal Peoples Secretariat / Grant Reserve.

(4) 1998-99 represents the first year of funding under the Millennium Arts Fund.

**TABLE 2 -
THE CANADA COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS
PROFILE OF FUNDING TO INTER-ARTS BY GEOGRAPHIC AREA, 1998-99**

<i>Geographic Area</i>	<i>Grants \$</i>
ALBERTA	\$20,000
EDMONTON	\$20,000
BRITISH COLUMBIA	\$139,600
PARKSVILLE	\$10,000
SECHELT	\$1,000
VANCOUVER	\$97,600
VICTORIA	\$1,000
WEST VANCOUVER	\$30,000
MANITOBA	\$12,000
WINNIPEG	\$12,000
NEWFOUNDLAND	\$1,000
ST. JOHN'S	\$1,000
NOVA SCOTIA	\$30,000
HALIFAX	\$30,000
ONTARIO	\$190,000
BURLINGTON	\$2,000
GUELPH	\$2,000
LONDON	\$20,000
MEAFORD	\$1,000
PORT CREDIT	\$500
SCARBOROUGH	\$20,000
TORONTO	\$144,000
WINDSOR	\$500
QUÉBEC	\$375,400
CARIGNAN	\$30,000
DUVERNAY	\$1,000
FRELIGHSBURG	\$15,000
LONGUEUIL	\$30,000
MONTREAL	\$229,600
MONT-SAINT-HILAIRE	\$1,000
QUEBEC	\$66,800

ST-AUBERT	\$2,000
SASKATCHEWAN	\$31,000
REGINA	\$30,000
SASKATOON	\$1,000
YUKON	\$30,000
WHITEHORSE	\$30,000
OTHER (1)	\$12,000
BROOKLYN	\$10,000
MATSUDO	\$2,000

(1) Canadian artists residing outside Canada for the duration of their project.

**TABLE 3 -
LIST OF GRANTS TO INTER-ARTS
ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIVIDUAL INTERDISCIPLINARY ARTISTS**

GRANTS TO INDIVIDUAL INTERDISCIPLINARY ARTISTS

Interdisciplinary Work and				
Performance Art Program: Creation Grants		\$515,000		
Bergeron, Carole / Savoie, Pierre- Paul /				
Oxley, Janet / Bergner, Robert		\$30,000	CARIGNAN	QC
Gousopoulos, Zafiro / Chartier, Marie-Josée /				
Andrade, Roark		\$10,000	TORONTO	ON
Thomas, Tom S. / Reid, James		\$30,000	WEST VANCOUVER	BC
Allen	Lillian	\$20,000	TORONTO	ON
Bowie	Fiona	\$10,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Brass	Robin	\$10,000	REGINA	SK
Chief-Moon	Byron	\$10,000	PARKSVILLE	BC
Ciona	Joelle	\$10,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Clark	Timothy	\$10,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Connors	Teresa	\$10,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Echenberg	Rachel	\$10,000	MONTREAL	QC
Francoeur	Alain	\$20,000	MONTREAL	QC
Halpin	Diane	\$20,000	LONDON	ON
Hood	Anne-Marie	\$10,000	TORONTO	ON
Kirkland	Graeme	\$30,000	TORONTO	ON
Lechasseur	Geneviève	\$10,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Mcdonald	Jillian	\$5,000	BROOKLYN	NY
McInnes	Edward	\$10,000	HALIFAX	NS
McKeough	Rita	\$20,000	HALIFAX	NS
Miller	Mitsiko	\$10,000	MONTREAL	QC
Partaik	James	\$30,000	QUÉBEC	QC
Perez-Robles	Patricia	\$10,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Pinter	Elizabeth	\$5,000	TORONTO	ON
Porter	John	\$20,000	TORONTO	ON
Rajakumar	Ravindran	\$5,000	BROOKLYN	NY
Ranger	Jean	\$10,000	MONTREAL	QC
Rioux	Maxime	\$20,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Roche	Jennifer	\$5,000	MONTREAL	QC
Sokoloski	Auriane	\$10,000	MONTREAL	QC
Somerset	Angela	\$10,000	WINNIPEG	MB
Tansey	Victoria	\$15,000	FRELIGHTSBURG	QC
Toppings	Michael	\$20,000	REGINA	SK
Turenne	Joujou	\$20,000	MONTREAL	QC
Webb	Brian	\$20,000	EDMONTON	AB
Weidenhammer	Lori	\$20,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Interdisciplinary Work and				
Performance Art Program: Travel Grants		\$30,000		
Banana-Frankham	Anna	\$1,000	SECHELT	BC
Boehme	John	\$1,000	VICTORIA	BC

Brandt	Diana	\$500	WINDSOR	ON
Caron	Nathalie	\$2,000	ST-AUBERT	QC
Clayton	Cherry	\$2,000	GUELPH	ON
Couillard	Paul	\$1,500	TORONTO	ON
Cumming	Christine	\$1,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Dempsey	Shawna	\$1,000	WINNIPEG	MB
Epstein	Gabrielle	\$500	PORT CREDIT	ON
Fiset	Jocelyn	\$1,000	MONT-SAINT-HILAIRE	QC
Hubich	Glenn	\$1,000	SASKATOON	SK
Kapuscinski	Jaroslav	\$1,000	DUVERNAY	QC
Kikauka	Laura	\$1,000	MEAFORD	ON
King	Catherine	\$1,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Kubota	Nobuo	\$1,000	TORONTO	ON
Létourneau	Éric	\$1,000	MONTREAL	QC
Maracle	D. Aiyvana	\$1,000	VANCOUVER	BC
McFarlane	Brenda	\$500	TORONTO	ON
Miyata	Cathy	\$2,000	BURLINGTON	ON
Moyes	Louise	\$1,000	ST. JOHN'S	NF
Plimley	Marlene	\$1,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Radul	Judy	\$1,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Rivest	Claude	\$1,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Sawatzky	Jacqueline	\$1,000	WINNIPEG	MB
Snelgrove	David	\$2,000	MATSUDO	JP
Stanton	Victoria	\$1,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Sutherland	W. Mark	\$1,000	TORONTO	ON

GRANTS TO INTER-ARTS ORGANIZATIONS

Interdisciplinary Work and

Performance Art Program: Creation Grants

\$240,000

Création Isis Inc.	\$25,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Jungle Bouti Orchestra	\$20,000	SCARBOROUGH	ON
Le Corps Indice	\$30,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Michel Lemieux Victor Pilon Création Inc.	\$30,000	LONGUEUIL	QC
Productions Nathalie Derome	\$30,000	MONTRÉAL	QC
Radix Theatre Society	\$30,000	VANCOUVER	BC
Return of the Moon Project	\$10,000	TORONTO	ON
Urge	\$15,000	TORONTO	ON
Volcano	\$20,000	TORONTO	ON
Wet Womens Experimental Theatre	\$30,000	WHITEHORSE	YT

Interdisciplinary Work and

Performance Art Program: Circulation Grants

\$12,600

Taste This	\$12,600	VANCOUVER	BC
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Interdisciplinary Work and

Performance Art Program: Presentation Grants

\$43,400

Dazibao, centre de photographies actuelles	\$6,600	MONTRÉAL	QC
Folie/Culture	\$11,800	QUEBEC	QC
Le Lieu, Centre en art actuel	\$25,000	QUÉBEC	QC