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- In 1997-98, the Canada Council for the Arts provided \$1.4 million to 19 New Brunswick artists and 32 New Brunswick arts organizations<sup>1</sup>. This compares with a total of \$1.1 million in 1996-97. The increase is attributable to new funding received by the Canada Council beginning in 1997-98.
- In addition, more than \$132,000 was paid to 225 New Brunswick writers through the Public Lending Right Program<sup>2</sup>.
- Grants were provided in every discipline - dance, music, theatre, visual arts, media arts and writing and publishing. The largest amount - almost \$600,000 - went to theatre, followed by writing and publishing (just over \$293,000) and visual arts (almost \$225,000).
- Over \$617,000 in grants went to Fredericton, making up 44% of funding going to the province. Moncton received almost \$330,000 (23%) and Caraquet almost \$190,000 (13%). The remaining communities in New Brunswick received \$282,000 (20% of the total).
- New Brunswick's francophone artists and arts organizations received \$508,000 in grants, making up 36% of Canada Council funding in the province. New Brunswick's francophone population makes up 33% of the total population of the province. Anglophone artists and arts organizations received \$911,000 (64% of funding in the province), while the anglophone population makes up 65% of the population.
- 18 New Brunswick artists served as jurors, assessors and advisors, making up 2.4% of all adjudicators used by Council.
- New Brunswick artists and arts organizations received 1.5% of Canada Council funding. In comparison, the province makes up approximately 1.6% of individuals in professional and technical occupations in the arts and 2.6% of the population of Canada.
- According to the 1996 Census, there are 5,415 individuals in professional and technical occupations in the arts and culture<sup>3</sup> in New Brunswick. This represents an 18% increase over 1991.

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<sup>1</sup> Number of arts organizations excludes host organizations such as libraries, post-secondary institutions, bookstores and other organizations participating in the Literary Readings Program.

<sup>2</sup> The Public Lending Right Program provides payments to authors whose books are held in selected Canadian libraries.

<sup>3</sup> These figures represent only a portion of the total culture sector labour force.

**Table 1**  
**The Canada Council for the Arts**  
**Grants to New Brunswick Artists and Arts Organizations by Discipline, 1997-98**

	<b>Artists</b>	<b>Arts Organizations</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Dance</b>	\$1,000	\$12,718	\$13,718
<b>Music</b>	\$22,200	\$86,500	\$108,700
<b>Theatre</b>	\$1,000	\$599,093	\$600,093
<b>Visual Arts</b>	\$51,000	\$224,540	\$275,540
<b>Media Arts</b>	\$0	\$75,000	\$75,000
<b>Writing and Publishing</b>	\$42,000	\$293,185	\$335,185
<b>Other</b>	\$0	\$9,358	\$9,358
<b>Total - New Brunswick</b>	\$117,200	\$1,300,394	\$1,417,594
<b>Total - Canada</b>			\$93,644,234
<b>New Brunswick as % of Canada</b>			1.51%

**Table 2**  
**The Canada Council for the Arts**  
**Grants by City/Town in New Brunswick, 1997-98**

<b>City/Town</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Alma</b>	\$5,700
<b>Big Cove</b>	\$12,200
<b>Campbellton</b>	\$200
<b>Caraquet</b>	\$189,517
<b>Edmunston</b>	\$10,761
<b>Fredericton</b>	\$617,312
<b>Hampton</b>	\$2,000
<b>Jolicure</b>	\$5,000
<b>Lamèque</b>	\$15,000
<b>Moncton</b>	\$329,900
<b>Petit-Rocher</b>	\$248
<b>Point de Bute</b>	\$1,000
<b>Riverview</b>	\$5,230
<b>Robichaud</b>	\$20,000
<b>Sackville</b>	\$122,532
<b>Saint-Andrews</b>	\$1,000
<b>Saint John</b>	\$73,595
<b>Shippagan</b>	\$200
<b>St. George</b>	\$5,000
<b>Tracadie-Sheila</b>	\$200
<b>Upper Kingsclear</b>	\$1,000
<b>Total - New Brunswick</b>	\$1,417,594
<b>Total - Canada</b>	\$93,644,234
<b>New Brunswick as % of Canada</b>	1.51%

**Table 3**  
**The Canada Council for the Arts,**  
**Grants to Artists and Arts Organizations in New Brunswick**  
**by Language and Type of Grant, 1997-98**

<b>Language and Type of Grant</b>	<b>Grants</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Population</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Francophones</b>	\$507,078	35.77%	239,730	32.86%
<i>Grants to Individuals</i>	\$49,050	..	..	..
<i>Project Grants</i>	\$207,228	..	..	..
<i>Grants to Organizations</i>	\$250,800	..	..	..
<b>Anglophones</b>	\$910,516	64.23%	473,260	64.86%
<i>Grants to Individuals</i>	\$68,150	..	..	..
<i>Project Grants</i>	\$400,066	..	..	..
<i>Grants to Organizations</i>	\$442,300	..	..	..
<b>Other</b>	..	..	16,640	2.28%
<b>Total - New Brunswick</b>	\$1,417,594	..	729,630	100.00%

**LIST OF CANADA COUNCIL GRANTS TO ARTISTS  
AND ARTS ORGANIZATIONS IN NEW BRUNSWICK, 1997-98**

**GRANTS TO ARTS ORGANIZATIONS**

**\$1,300,394**

**Dance**

**\$12,718**

Imperial Theatre	\$718	Saint John
Université de Moncton, Services des loisirs socio-culturels	\$12,000	Moncton

**Music**

**\$86,500**

Festival de Musique Baroque Lamèque	\$15,000	Lamèque
Le Quatuor à cordes Arthur-Leblanc	\$15,500	Moncton
Opera New Brunswick Inc	\$20,000	Saint John
Symphony New Brunswick	\$36,000	Saint John

**Theatre**

**\$599,093**

Théâtre l'Escaouette	\$82,393	Moncton
Theatre New Brunswick	\$343,200	Fredericton
Théâtre Populaire d'Acadie	\$171,500	Caraquet
Université de Moncton / Théâtre Capitol	\$2,000	Moncton

**Visual Arts**

**\$224,540**

Atelier Imago	\$6,000	Moncton
Beaverbrook Art Gallery	\$33,000	Fredericton
Coalition of Fredericton Art Galleries	\$8,000	Fredericton
Galerie Sans Nom Co-op Ltée	\$28,680	Moncton
Gallery Connexion	\$31,400	Fredericton
Mount Allison University Department of Fine Arts	\$5,000	Sackville
New Brunswick Museum	\$7,760	Saint John
Owens Art Gallery	\$56,400	Sackville
Struts Gallery Inc	\$45,300	Sackville
Université de Moncton - Département des arts visuels	\$3,000	Moncton

**Media Arts**

**\$75,000**

Cinémarévie Coop Ltée	\$8,000	Edmundston
Gallery Connexion	\$10,800	Fredericton
New Brunswick Filmmakers' Cooperative Ltd	\$46,200	Fredericton
Struts Gallery Inc	\$10,000	Sackville

**Writing and Publishing**

**\$293,185**

*Book Publishers*

Broken Jaw Press/Maritimes Arts Projects Productions	\$6,220	Fredericton
Fiddlehead Poetry Books/Goose Lane Editions	\$86,825	Fredericton
Les Éditions d'Acadie Ltée	\$79,292	Moncton
Les Éditions Perce-Neige	\$31,700	Moncton
Owl's Head Press	\$5,700	Alma

*Magazines*

Eloizes	\$16,800	Moncton
The Fiddlehead	\$24,100	Fredericton

*Literary Readings - Host Organizations*

Albert-Westmorland-Kent Regional Library	\$230	Riverview
Association acadienne des artistes professionnels N.B.	\$6,000	Moncton
Bibliothèque Dr-Marguerite-Michaud	\$1,149	Fredericton
Bibliothèque le Cormoran	\$200	Saint John
Bibliothèque régionale du Haut-Saint-Jean	\$1,213	Edmundston
Centre Universitaire de Shippagan Département d'études françaises	\$200	Shippagan
Galerie Restigouche	\$200	Campbellton

Galerie Sans Nom Co-op Ltée	\$800	Moncton
Gallery Connexion	\$3,408	Fredericton
Le Festival Acadien de Caraquet Inc	\$2,017	Caraquet
Maritime Writers' Workshop	\$2,397	Fredericton
Mount Allison University, Department of English	\$832	Sackville
Saint Thomas University, Romance Languages Department	\$200	Fredericton
Salon du livre d'Edmundston Inc	\$1,548	Edmunston
Société Culturelle des Tracadilles Inc	\$200	Tracadie-Sheila
Société des Acadiens et Acadiennes du Nouveau-Brunswick	\$248	Petit-Rocher
Université de Moncton, Services des loisirs socio-culturels	\$377	Moncton
Université du Nouveau-Brunswick, Département de français	\$400	Fredericton
University of New Brunswick, Department of English	\$1,503	Saint John
University of New Brunswick, Dept of Humanities and	\$1,105	Saint John
University of New Brunswick, Lorenzo Society	\$1,812	Saint John
Writers' Federation of New Brunswick	\$1,510	Fredericton

*Other Writing and Publishing*

University of New Brunswick, Department of English	\$10,000	Fredericton
Le Festival Acadien de Caraquet Inc	\$5,000	Caraquet

**Other**

FrancoFête de Moncton	\$9,358	Moncton
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**GRANTS TO ARTISTS IN NEW BRUNSWICK**

**\$117,200**

**Dance**

**\$1,000**

Chantal Cadieux	\$1,000	Moncton
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**Music**

**\$22,200**

Isabelle Roy	\$10,000	Caraquet
Conrad Simon	\$12,200	Big Cove

**Theatre**

**\$1,000**

René Cormier	\$1,000	Caraquet
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**Visual Arts**

**\$51,000**

Linda Bartlett	\$5,000	Fredericton
Isabelle Devos	\$5,000	Sackville
Shelley Dougherty	\$5,000	St. George
Yvon Gallant	\$15,000	Moncton
Thomas Henderson	\$1,000	Point de Bute
Thaddeus Holownia	\$5,000	Jolicure
John Hooper	\$1,000	Hampton
Katharine Hooper	\$1,000	Hampton
Jay Isaac	\$6,000	Saint John
Edward Michener	\$1,000	Saint Andrews
Neil Rough	\$5,000	Riverview
Susan Vida Judah	\$1,000	Upper Kingsclear

**Writing**

**\$42,000**

Phillip Igloliorti	\$2,000	Fredericton
Dyane Léger	\$20,000	Moncton
Roméo Savoie	\$20,000	Robichaud