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In three competitions during 2011, the Dane County Cultural Affairs Commission awarded 142 grants totaling over \$300,000 to more than 100 nonprofit organizations, schools, municipalities and individuals for community arts, cultural and local history programs serving the citizens and residents of Dane County, Wisconsin. The individual grants, ranging from \$350 to \$5,000, helped leverage an additional \$4.7 million raised by recipients from other sources.

2011 ARTS, CULTURAL AND LOCAL HISTORY GRANT RECIPIENTS

PROJECT (\$282,479)

Arts-in-Education

- **American Players Theatre, \$2,500**, for *Student Matinees & Workshops*
- **American Players Theatre, \$2,500**, supporting *Potency of Poetry*
- **Children's Theater of Madison, \$3,000**, supporting *Young Playwrights Program*
- **Falk Elementary School, \$400**, for *Falk Falcons Drum Club*
- **Huegel Elementary School, \$2,000**, supporting *African Drumming & Dance at Huegel*
- **John Muir Elementary School, \$3,000**, for *Quilting as a Community: Creating a Fabric Storyscape with an Artist in Residence*
- **Lowell Elementary School, \$2,550**, supporting *Lowell Lizard Drum Power Ensemble: Building the Foundation for Transforming Our School and Community*
- **Madison Symphony Orchestra, \$4,000**, in support of *Up Close & Musical*
- **Madison Youth Choirs, \$1,000**, in support of *Annual Spring Outreach School Tours*
- **Opera for the Young, \$3,200**, for presenting *Hansel & Gretel*
- **Sun Prairie Area School District, \$1,860**, supporting *ComMission Possible Two*

Dance

- **Dance Wisconsin, \$1,025**, for *New Works 2011*
- **Dance Wisconsin, \$3,500**, supporting *Nutcracker Fantasy*
- **Kanopy Dance Theatre, \$1,500**, in support of the return of *Baba Yaga*,
- **Kanopy Dance Theatre, \$2,500**, in support of *Kanopy Dance Company's* season opener
- **Kanopy Dance Theatre, \$3,000**, for *Cassandra*
- **Kate Corby & Dancers, \$1,500**, for *As I Felt: Telling Stories Through the Body & Movement*
- **Li Chiao-Ping, \$3,500**, bringing back *The Knotcracker*
- **Madison Ballet, \$2,900**, supporting *Movement in Your World*
- **Madison Ballet, \$3,000**, supporting *Behind the Curtains 2012 School Performance of the Nutcracker*
- **Madison Ballet, \$3,650**, supporting *Behind the Curtains 2011 School Performance of the Nutcracker*

Local History

- **Madison Trust for Historic Preservation, \$3,000**, supporting *Walking Tour of Westmorland Neighborhood*
- **Robert Kann, \$3,000**, for *The Wisconsin Women of the All American Girls Professional Baseball League*
- **Robert Kann, \$3,375**, supporting *Celebrate Dane County's 175th Anniversary*
- **Wisconsin Historical Museum, \$3,150**, for *Civil War Memories & Mementos*
- **Wisconsin Veterans Museum Foundation, \$2,800**, for *Talking Spirits XIII: Forest Hill Cemetery Tour*

Multidisciplinary Arts/Culture

- **African Association of Madison, \$2,400**, supporting *AfricaFest 2011*
- **Africasong Communications, \$2,000**, supporting *32nd Annual State of Wisconsin Tribute & Ceremony honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.*
- **Alzheimer's Poetry Project, \$2,550**, supporting a series of poetry sessions for people living with Alzheimer's disease and related dementia
- **Dane Dances!, \$3,000**, for *Dane Dances*
- **First Person Productions, \$1,850**, supporting *Odyssey Oral History Project 2011*
- **Madison Area Chinese Community Organization, \$1,500**, in support of *Wisconsin Chinese Culture Day*
- **Monona Terrace Community Programs, \$1,200**, for *The Wright Design Series*
- **Monona Terrace Community Programs, \$2,550**, supporting *Terrace Town 2012 Going Green*
- **New Music Everywhere, \$3,000**, for *Madison Muse Fest 2012*
- **Opera for the Young, \$1,974**, for *Build an Opera*
- **Opera for the Young, \$2,000**, for *Family Opera Day featuring Hansel and Gretel*
- **Overture Center, \$3,000**, supporting *2012 International Festival*
- **River Alliance of Wisconsin, \$1,000**, in support of *The Wild and Scenic Environmental Film Festival*
- **Russian Educational Association, \$1,750**, supporting *Russian Folk Ensemble*
- **Simpson Street Free Press, \$3,000**, for *Where in Dane County is the Simpson Street Free Press? Series*
- **Taiwanese Association of Madison, \$3,500**, in support of *Taiwanese Art Week*
- **TAPIT/new works, \$3,000**, for *In the Care Of: A Multidisciplinary Play of Our Times*
- **Wil-Mar Neighborhood Center, \$2,500**, in support of *La Fete de Marquette*
- **Wisconsin Humanities Council, \$4,000**, for the *10th Wisconsin Book Festival*

Music

- **Bach Dancing & Dynamite Society, \$2,950**, supporting *Bach to the Future: A 20th Season Bacchanale*
- **Candid Concert Opera, \$1,500**, supporting *Don Pasquale 2011*
- **Candid Concert Opera, \$2,000**, for *The Barber of Seville*
- **Capitol City Band Association, \$2,500**, supporting *Concert in Celebration of Dane 175*
- **Classical Revolution Madison, \$2,000**, for *Classical Revolution Chamber Music Concert Series*
- **con vivo!...music with life, \$1,260**, supporting *Mid-Winter Romance*
- **con vivo!...music with life, \$750**, supporting *10th Anniversary*
- **con vivo!...music with life, \$800**, for *Eight is Enough!*
- **Dimensions in Sound & The Studio Orchestra, \$1,750**, for *Senior Living Establishments Concerts*
- **Festival Choir of Madison, \$1,400**, for *The Language(s) of Love*
- **Fresco Opera Theatre, \$3,000**, for *Fresco's Big Top Opera*
- **Jazz at Five, \$1,000**, in support of *Jazz at Five summer series*
- **John Duggleby, \$800**, supporting *Affordable Musical Programs for Seniors & Disabled*
- **Madison Bach Musicians, \$1,960**, for *Bach Cantats*
- **Madison Bach Musicians, \$2,700**, for *Music of the Bach Family Concerts & Outreach*
- **Madison Blues Society, \$2,250**, for *9th Annual Blues Picnic*
- **Madison Early Music Festival, \$1,900**, for *Madison Early Music Festival 2011*
- **Madison Music Collective, \$1,200**, for *Fall Concert Series*
- **Madison Music Collective, \$3,000**, supporting *Winter-Spring Jazz Concerts & Educational Workshops*
- **Madison Opera, \$2,550**, in support of *Galileo Galilei*
- **Madison Opera, \$3,000**, for *Eugene Onegin*
- **Madison Opera, \$3,000**, for *Opera in the Park*
- **Madison Symphony Orchestra, \$2,500**, supporting *Fall Youth Concerts*

- **Madison Symphony Orchestra, \$2,550**, for *Spring Young People's Concert*
- **Madison Youth Choirs, \$1,625**, for *3rd Annual Madison Boychoir Festival*
- **Madison Youth Choirs, \$4,000**, supporting *Telling Our Story*
- **Mazomanie Music Conservancy, \$1,700**, for *Mazomanie's Lake Marion Summer Concert Series*
- **Mazomanie Regional Heritage Foundation, \$2,100**, for *Gandy Dancer Festival 2011*
- **Middleton Community Orchestra, \$2,500**, supporting *Rising Stars*
- **Monona Terrace Community Programs, \$4,000**, supporting *Concerts on the Rooftop*
- **North-Eastside Senior Coalition, \$1,170**, for *2011 Summer Concert Series*
- **PEBOGA, \$2,500**, supporting *Fall Gospel Fest*
- **Pro Art Quartet, \$4,000**, supporting *Pro Art Quartet: Centennial Anniversary Celebration*
- **Special Edition Trio, \$1,200**, in support of *Outreach With A Song II*
- **Token Creek Festival, \$2,940**, supporting *Token Creek Chamber Music Festival 2011*
- **Wisconsin Chamber Orchestra, \$2,500**, supporting *Arrival*
- **Wisconsin Chamber Orchestra, \$3,500**, supporting *Masterworks Series*
- **Wisconsin Union Theater, \$4,000**, for *Madison World Music Festival*
- **Wisconsin Union Theatre, \$1,530**, supporting *2011 Isthmus Jazz Festival*
- **Wisconsin Youth Symphony Orchestra, \$2,500**, for *Winterfest Concerts*
- **Wisconsin Youth Symphony Orchestra, \$3,000**, for *Eugenie Mayer Bolz Family Spring Concerts*
- **Wisconsin Youth Symphony Orchestra, \$3,500**, for *Evelyn Steenbock Fall Concerts*

Theater

- **Children's Theater of Madison, \$2,400**, in support of *The American Girls Revue*
- **Children's Theater of Madison, \$3,000**, in support of *Lord of the Flies*
- **Encore Studio for the Performing Arts, \$2,550**, supporting *You Name It – The Musical*
- **Forward Theater, \$3,000**, in support of *A Thousand Words*
- **Forward Theater, \$3,000**, in support of *Moonlight and Magnolias*
- **Forward Theater, \$3,500**, in support of *The Farnsworth Invention*
- **Four Seasons Theater, \$1,200**, for *The Great American Songbook*
- **Four Seasons Theatre, \$2,040**, for full-scale production of rock musical *Rent*
- **Henry Vilas Park Zoological Society's Friends of the Zoo, \$1,000**, presenting Madison Savoyards performing rarely-seen short comic opera *The Zoo* at the zoo
- **Madison Theatre Guild, \$1,090**, for production of Edward Albee drama *Three Tall Women*
- **Madison Theatre Guild, \$1,100**, for *Up*
- **Madison Theatre Guild, \$950**, for *Yankee Tavern*
- **Mister Marconi's Memory Vault, \$500**, supporting *An Evening of Memories*
- **Music Theatre of Madison, \$1,900**, for Wisconsin premiere of *The Glorious Ones*
- **Oregon Straw Hat Players, \$1,500**, presenting *Big River—The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*
- **Playtime Productions, \$2,100**, supporting *The Reluctant Dragon*
- **Playtime Productions, \$2,500**, supporting *WWW.OZ*
- **Sun Prairie Civic Theatre, \$900**, presenting classic musical *Hello Dolly*
- **Verona Area Community Theater, \$2,000**, supporting special flying effects in *The Wizard of Oz*
- **Wisconsin Wrights, \$1,500**, for *2011 Wisconsin Wrights New Play*

Visual Arts

- **Chazen Museum of Art, \$3,000**, for *Sean Scully: The Inaugural Temporary Exhibition*
- **Chazen Museum of Art, \$3,500**, supporting *Harvey Littleton Contemporary Glass Studio 50th Anniversary Exhibition*
- **Cherokee Middle School, \$1,000**, for *Honoring Imagination*
- **Habitat ReStore, \$1,500**, for *Habitat ReStore Salvage Art Show*
- **James Watrous Gallery, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters, \$1,580**, supporting *Bomber: A Chance Unwinding*
- **James Watrous Gallery, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters, \$3,000**, supporting *The Art of JoAnna Poehlmann & Lee Weiss*
- **James Watrous Gallery, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts & Letters, \$2,000**, supporting *Tom Jones: Encountering Cultures*

- **Lisa Frank, \$1,650**, for *The Pattern That Connects*
- **Madison Children's Museum, \$1,500**, supporting *Sidewalk Surprise: Rotating Installations by Local Artists*
- **Madison Museum of Contemporary Art, \$2,500**, for *The Chicago Imagists: Paintings, Sculptures and Works on Paper*
- **Madison Museum of Contemporary Art, \$2,500**, for *Tierra y Libertad! Revolution and the Mexican Print*
- **Madison Museum of Contemporary Art, \$3,500**, for *Houdini: Art & Magic*
- **Mount Horeb Area Arts Association, \$1,000**, supporting *6th Annual Spring Art Tour*
- **UW Arts Institute-Wisconsin Film Festival, \$2,500**, in support of *Wisconsin Film Festival 2012*
- **UW Cinematheque, \$1,000**, for *Movietime! Cinematheque for the Whole Family*
- **VSA Wisconsin, \$1,500**, for *Gallery Exhibitions*
- **VSA Wisconsin, \$1,750**, for *Visual Expressions: A Call for Art Exhibition*

CAPITAL (\$11,855)

- **Capitol City Band Association, \$800**, for purchase of step stools and cable covers
- **Four Seasons Theatre, \$1,440** for purchase of new keyboard for rehearsals and performances
- **Middleton Community Orchestra, \$2,120**, for purchase of English Horn
- **Oregon Area Historical Society, \$1,500** for museum enhancements
- **Town of Rutland, \$3,000** for historic church renovation
- **Verona Area Community Theater, \$2,645** for purchase of equipment enhancements for costume department
- **Wisconsin Film School, \$350**, for purchase of video projector

SPECIAL DISTINCTLY DANE (\$23,100)

- **Centro Hispano of Dane County, \$1,000**, supporting *Latino Youth Documentary Project*
- **Dance Wisconsin, \$900**, for *Solitude: The Poetry of Ella Wheeler Wilcox Brought to Life Through Dance*
- **Dimensions in Sound & The Studio Orchestra, \$3,350**, for *History of Dane County Through Music*
- **Madison Children's Museum, \$2,000**, for *Hmong Garden on Madison Children's Museum's Rooftop Ramble*
- **Madison Children's Museum, \$3,000**, for *Local Treasures: African American Contributions to Our Community*
- **Madison Music Makers, \$5,000**, for *Dane County: Past & Present A Multi-Media Concert Series*
- **Sharon Kilfoy, \$3,000**, for *AquiEstamos! The Hispanic World Arrives in Dane County mural project*
- **Street Pulse-Refuge Films, \$3,000**, supporting *STREET PULSE-A Documentary*
- **Wisconsin Story Project, \$1,850**, in support of *Sterling Hall Project*

MERIT AWARDS (\$1,500)

- **Liesl Blockstein Award for Distinguished Community Service in the Arts, \$750 to Capitol City Band Association**, supporting *Concert in Celebration of Dane 175*
- **Vi Miller Award of Excellence, \$750 to Sun Prairie Area School District's Patrick March Middle School**, supporting ComMission Possible

2011 SCHOLARSHIPS FOR FUNDRAISING AND DEVELOPMENT FOR NONPROFITS CONFERENCE

Seven partial scholarships were awarded to representatives from arts, cultural and local history grant-seeking organizations attending 2011 *Fundraising and Development for Nonprofits Conference* presented by Wisconsin School of Business at University of Wisconsin-Madison. Recipients: Madison Children's Museum, Overture Center for the Arts, Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters, Madison Museum of Contemporary Art, Madison Area Open Art Studios, The Center for Democracy in Action, and Art at the Threshold.