

Grants Program

Utah Arts Council Department of Community and Economic Development 617 East South Temple Salt Lake City, Utah 84102-1177		Contact: Sherry Waddingham Grants & Endowments Manager (801) 236-7550	
Purpose of the Program		Provides financial assistance for arts projects produced and/or presented by nonprofit organizations statewide, assuring a wide variety and large number of quality arts experiences are available for all Utahns.	
Eligible Applicants		Utah nonprofit organizations with 501(c)(3) federal tax exempt status.	
Restrictions on Use of Assistance		Funds must be used for arts projects as described in grant applications. Generally, monies cannot be used for capital expenditures or travel outside the state, and project activities must be open to the general public.	
Application Procedures		Applications must be submitted on forms provided by the Utah Arts Council.	
State Clearinghouse Coordination		None	
Application Deadline		September 1 for new or first-time applicants, and October 1 for established grantees.	
Range and Average of Financial Assistance		FY 00: \$400-\$148,000	
Source of Funds and Aid		State appropriations, National Endowment for the Arts grants.	
Matching Formula		Federal	
		State	
		Local	
		Applicant	
		All UAC grants must be matched at least dollar for dollar with funds from other sources.	
Post-Assistance Reports, Audits, etc.		A final Evaluation Report is required from all grantees, reporting actual project activities and budget. The form is provided by the Utah Arts Council.	
Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Program Number and Title			
Additional Information		Funding decisions for UAC grants are made through a three-tier review process. All applicants are first reviewed by a volunteer advisory panel of "arts experts" from across the state. They are next reviewed by a committee of UAC Board members, and finally by the full 13-member UAC Board of Directors.	