A-BCD & LTK Award: Application Checklist

Be sure you have included or completed the following before you submit your application. Review the program guidelines and/or application for specific requirements.

Before you start:

- **D** Review the application preview and program guidelines. .
- **C**all the Program Advisor if you need to confirm eligibility or if you have questions.
- □ New applicants: Register in the BC Arts Council online system. to access to the online application. **Registration requests can take up to 5 business days to process.**
- Plan to submit your complete application at least two days before the deadline to avoid last-minute technological issues.
- **D** Check you have submitted any overdue final reports on previous BC Arts Council grants.

In your Organization Profile on the BC Arts Council online grant system:

- **D** Update your mailing address and other contact information.
- Upload your most recent signed financial statements.
- Update your Board list and Staff list.
- Upload your organization's certified constitution (for not-for-profits) or statement of purpose (for all other organizations). Do not include by-laws.
- **D** For funding prioritization: Complete the Designated Priority Group and Equity Data Tool.

In your A-BCD application section:

- Make sure your A-BCD Amount Requested in the application field matches the request in your A-BCD Project Budget Table. <u>Do not</u> include the LTK Award request in the A-BCD amount field or in the A-BCD budget table (the LTK request is in a different section).
- □ Include a Project Start Date after the application deadline, and a realistic Project End Date.
- Note: Notification of results is generally 16 weeks after the application deadline. Complete the Applicant Details section with information on your organization's work, context, workplace and management.
- Complete the Project Information section, describing the project, the participants, or specific communities you are working with, the collaborative creation process, the A-BCD principals being embodied or taught, and the intended impacts of the project.
- **U** Upload a detailed project timeline or work plan beginning after the application deadline.
- □ If your project has phases: select a phase (1, 2 or 3), and an update on any previous phases.

In your LTK Award application section (if applicable):

- □ Include the LTK Award request amount (minimum \$25,000).
- Describe what the LTK Award funding will allow you to do, should you receive this award.
- **D** Complete the LTK Award budget table with notes explaining amounts.
- Complete and upload a <u>Professional Social Services Lead Form</u> (required for the LTK Award)

Pop-out forms to complete in the application:

- Project Team with biographies for each member of the project team, including (if applicable) community service and social service personnel from organizations you are partnering with.
- A-BCD Budget Form with notes explaining amounts. This Budget should only include the A-BCD project revenues and expenses, and not the LTK Award revenues and expenses.

Support Material to Upload:

All Applicants:

- □ A minimum of one <u>Professional Artist Information Form</u>.
- A support letter from a member of the specified community you are collaborating with.

LTK Award Applicants:

□ A completed <u>Professional Social Services Lead Form</u>.

Optional Additional Uploads:

- □ Up to two letters from partnering organizations, confirming the nature of their participation.
- Examples of the artist's previous A-BCD work, if related to the proposed project, up to the maximums listed in the guidelines.

A description of your support materials and how they relate to the proposed project. After you submit your application:

- Add <u>NoReply@BCArtsCouncil.ca</u> to your safe senders list if you haven't already done so. Notification of results will come from this system email roughly 16 weeks after the submission deadline.
- Keep your mailing address up to date in your online Organization Profile. (Payments will be mailed to this address.
- □ Wait 16 weeks from the program deadline for results (expected in September).
- Contact a Program Advisor for feedback on the assessment after you have received notification of the results.