



BC Arts Council Assessors for 2025/26

Council grant programs are reviewed through peer assessment. Independent artists, arts administrators, and other professionals working in the sector meet to assess grant applications, advise on priorities, and make recommendations to Council on the awarding of grants.

What follows is a complete list of assessors who sat on BC Arts Council assessment panels and advisory committees between 1 April 2025 and 31 March 2026. We are grateful to these individuals who served as advisors and assessors for the BC Arts Council as well as for Council programs offered through, BC Live Performance Network, Creative BC, and First Peoples' Cultural Council. Please also see [the full list](#) of individuals, organizations, and partner agencies who received funding during this period.

Arts-Based Community Development

Giselle Liu
Lili Vieira De Carvalho
Paulina Grainger
Rosemary Georgeson

Arts Circulation & Touring

Adam Warren
Andrew Barrett
Boomer Stacey
Caitlin Hertzman
Chloe Ziner
Curtis Clear Sky
Daina Ashbee
David Geiss
Diane Kadota
Douglas Jarvis
Godfre Leung
Josh Cameron
Julia Taffe
Justin Neal
Leslie Gentile
Minah Lee
Nina Horvath
Patrick Ernst
Roxi Dykstra
Sophia Wolfe
Teresa Vander Meer-Chassé

Arts Impact Grants

Alison Pascal
Amelia Butcher
Amy Wertz
Anita Lal
Anna Lynch
Astrid Heyerdahl
Bracken Corlett
Caroline MacCaull
Claudia Moore
David Warburton
Debi Wong
Harpreet Mander
Jocelyn Tsui
Justene Dion-Glowa
Kallee Lins
Kelsey Wavey
Monica Ogden
Naveendar Girn
Nicole Malcolm
Pawan Deol
Raes Calvert
Sandra Henderson
Shay Paul
Tracey Kutschker
Yael Wand

Arts Infrastructure Program

Diego Ortiz
Don Armitage
Marnie Temple
Mimi Abrahams
Neda Majidi
Ouri Scott
Siobhan Powell

Early Career Development

Carlo Alcos
Claire Love Wilson
Haley Hunt-Brondwin
Kate Twa
Meghan Hall
Natasha Lepine
Nimkish Younging
Sarah Nash Wong

Professional Development

Alison Keery
Alyssa Amarshi
Anjalica Solomon
Chelene Knight
Chris Reed
Daniela Atiencia
Francis Arevalo
Hanna Bang
Jay Cardinal Villeneuve
Jayne Walling
Jordyn Wood
Kaho Yoshida
Naveendar Girn
Ruby Smith Díaz



Individual Arts Grants

Aaron Wells
Alexandra Bischoff
Aliya Boubard
Amanda Strong
Barbara Adler
Beverly Koski
Brandon Reid
Carly Butler
Charlene Vickers
Charles Campbell
Chris Reed
Diane Mutabaruka
Donna Kane
Emily Nilsen
Erica Petty
Harrison Mooney
Jake Kimble
Jasleen Kaur
Jesse Campbell
Jo Cuffe
Joshua Watts
Julia Prudhomme
Kashif Pasta
Kathleen Gros
Kerri Flannigan
Kunji Ikeda
Laurel Terlesky
Lesley Marshall
Lorilee Wastasecoot
Lucien Durey
Marissa Wong
mark laurin
Myc Sharratt
Özgün Gündüz
Pravin Pillay
Rebecca Bair
RJ McDaniel
Roxi Dykstra
Sandeep Johal
Selina Boan
Sidartha Murjani
Sophia Laurio

Taslim Jaffer
Tim van Wijk
Tricia Trinh
Tsering Lama
Uma Krishnaswami
Vanessa Yuen
Yolanda Ridge

Scholarship

Alanna Edwards
Alfons Fear
Alison Keery
Alvin Tolentino
Anahita Ranjbar
Anaïsa Visser
bailey macabre
Brienne Chan
Caitlin Ffrench
Candie Tanaka
Carleigh Baker
Chirag Naik
Christian Vistan
Damion LeClair
Farrah O'Shea
Heidi Nagtegaal
James Patrick Raftery
Joseph Kakwinokanasum
Karen Lee-Morlang
Malcolm Aiken
Mark Haney
Matthew Ariaratnam
Nick Miami Benz
Nicole Chernish
Nina Horvath
Rick Leong
Sally Arai
Sydney Black
Tara Nicholson
Tim van Wijk
Tisha Deb Pillai

Project Assistance

Alanna Edwards
Alison Pascal
Anu Henderson
Brent Bukowski
Cheri Maracle
Chris Reed
Christie Watson
Claire Love Wilson
Emily Brown
Erin Hilchie
Jasmine Wu
Jennifer Milley
Jo Cuffe
Joeann Argue
Johnny MacRae
Joni Cheung
Kashif Pasta
Kate Twa
Katherine Benny
Kerri Flannigan
Kunji Ikeda
Marisa Alps
Marissa Wong
Michelle Taylor
Mitch Miyagawa
Nicole Auger
Nya Lewis
Rachel Aberle
Raymond Knight
Sarah Nash Wong
Sharon Fortney
Sophia Laurio
Sophie Yamauchi Latimer
Taras Groves
Tracey Kutschker
Trang Trinh
tsatassaya White
Vanessa Yuen
Vici Johnstone
Yael Wand