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# ANNUAL REPORT

2018-2019

# WELCOME!

# CAMPAIGN *for the* ARTS

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Welcome,

It should not be a surprise that the Dayton Region's arts sector continues to grow every year. As the region attracts new businesses and residents, the demand also increases for innovative and stimulating arts programming. The arts bring the Dayton Region to life. We all feel this, whether it's the exhilaration of a theatre performance, the unexpected pleasure of discovering a mural spanning a city building, the excitement of a free outdoor concert, or the inspiration derived from a good book.

When we look at the rich legacy of arts and culture in our region, we can see the vision of those who believed a mid-sized, Midwestern city lacking oceans and mountains could build a reputation by playing to its strength: a robust arts and cultural sector rivaling the amenities of many large cities. Culture Works is proud to play a role in achieving this vision by supporting and celebrating the artists and arts organizations that are so vital to the lifeblood of our community. This year's annual report provides a snapshot of just a few of the extraordinary individuals and projects that shaped 2018–2019.

This past year, we revealed new branding that reflects the intersection of the arts with every sector of our community. We completed development on ArtsDEEP (Dayton Education Exploration Portal), a forthcoming online resource designed to connect K-12 teachers, parents, and school administrators to both in-school and field trip programming provided by arts and cultural organizations and individual artists in the Dayton Region. The search for a larger office space led us to The Dayton Arcade. Next year's move to this reimagined, historic complex will allow us to expand our presence in the community and develop new partnerships with other organizations working to build a region unified, transformed, and empowered through arts and culture.

Thanks to your support of the 2018–2019 Campaign, Culture Works awarded nearly $374,000 in general operating support grants to 10 artistically excellent organizations. Through this year's Artist Opportunity Grant program, which is funded by the Montgomery County Arts & Cultural District, 12 artists received grants to develop their skills and create transformative arts experiences for the community. Thanks to the efforts of our 2019 Leonard P. Roberts Scholarship Committee, eight young artists and arts supporters received financial aid to further their education in the 2019–2020 academic year.

Culture Works would not be the responsive, effective organization it is without the energy and guidance of the volunteer board members, committee members, and grant panelists who support the programs and initiatives detailed in this report. We extend our sincere appreciation to outgoing board members Kevin Cozart, Allen Norris, and Alan Schaeffer. We also wish to acknowledge that 2018–2019 was the final year of Sally Struthers' term as board chair, and we are grateful for her valuable guidance and leadership. Sally has been an inspiring leader for her fellow board members, the Culture Works staff, and for our passionate arts community whose views she has represented admirably for the past two years.

On behalf of Culture Works and the organizations we fund, thank you for believing in our mission to create a vibrant Dayton Region.

Thank you for your continued support,

Sheri Sword
Chair, Board of Trustees

Lisa Hanson
Executive Director

**The Culture Works Campaign for the Arts**

Our annual fundraiser, the Campaign for the Arts, unites thousands of individuals, companies, and foundations in support of the organizations that strengthen our region through the power of the arts. For the 2018–2019 Campaign, we chose a theme that celebrated our community's artistic abundance and promising future: **The community is our canvas.**

*Lisa Hanson, DJ Carl, Joanna McGuffey, Bing Davis, Braylon Thompson, and Karen Maner at the Campaign video shoot.*

*Here are just a few highlights from an exciting year:*

## HONORARY CAMPAIGN CHAIR DAN MCCABE

We were thrilled to welcome Dan McCabe, Chief Administrative Officer of CareSource, as this year's Honorary Campaign Chair. When asked about the partnership, McCabe explained, "As a major employer in the Dayton Region, CareSource is recruiting from all over the nation, and one thing I consistently hear from many of our candidates that come here is how impressed they are with the diversity of arts that we offer."

Thank you, Dan, for your leadership and commitment to raising awareness of our region's incredible arts community.

## "THE COMMUNITY IS OUR CANVAS" VIDEO

For this year's Campaign video, we worked with Indigo Life Media to capture the creative processes of four local artists: ballet dancer Joanna McGuffey, hip-hop dancer Braylon Thompson, DJ Carl, and legendary visual artist Bing Davis. Each artist was featured in their own vignette, which was then incorporated into a longer piece that celebrated artists' impact on our community. Special thanks to Dawn Montgomery of Razdabar Sound & Management for welcoming us into her studio for filming.

## CAMPAIGN FOR THE ARTS KICKOFF

On March 7th, more than 100 of our closest supporters joined us in the Schuster Center Wintergarten to celebrate the start of the 2019 Campaign and the unveiling of the Campaign video. The kickoff featured three organizations that receive Community Arts Grants funded through the Campaign: Discover Classical provided the musical backdrop for the event, and Dayton Contemporary Dance Company and The Human Race Theatre Company offered sneak peeks at their upcoming seasons.

*The Human Race Theatre Company gave a preview of "Around the World in 80 Days" at the Campaign Kickoff.*



## ARTS ENCOUNTERS

Following the Campaign Kickoff at the Schuster Center, attendees headed across the street to the new PNC Arts Annex for Arts Encounters—an event highlighting the educational programming of several of Culture Works' grantee organizations: Bach Society of Dayton, Dayton Art Institute, Dayton Performing Arts Alliance, K12 Gallery & TEJAS, and Muse Machine.

*The Dayton Performing Arts Alliance's Arts Encounter demonstrated how they connect literary storytelling to the performing arts through their in-school ArtsConnect program.*

### THANK YOU TO OUR 2018–2019 CAMPAIGN CABINET:

**This select group of community executives and influencers strengthens the cultural fabric of the Dayton Region by helping Culture Works develop Campaign strategies and cultivate community support.**

Honorary Campaign Chair Dan McCabe | Chief Administrative Officer, CareSource
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Julie Sullivan | Executive Vice President of Regional Development, Dayton Development Coalition

CAMPAIGN *for the* ARTS

# COMMUNITY ARTS GRANTS

Funded through the Campaign for the Arts, Culture Works Community Arts Grants provide general operating support that local arts organizations can use in the areas of greatest need and highest impact.

2018–2019 Campaign supporters made it possible for Culture Works to increase the funding available through the Community Arts Grant program to $374,000. This funding was distributed to 10 local arts organizations representing a variety of disciplines to support their 2019–2020 seasons.

An independent panel of arts administrators, artists, and other community leaders reviews all applications for Community Arts Grants. Panelists score applications across three areas: artistic and cultural vibrancy, public benefit and access, and organizational capacity. An organization must receive an average score of at least 70/100 to qualify for a grant.

To determine award amounts, Culture Works uses a funding formula that takes into account each eligible organization's budget and score, as well as the number of applicants and the amount of funding available.

### 2019 COMMUNITY ARTS GRANT FINANCIAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

*These finance professionals provided feedback and a recommended Financial Health Score for each applicant.*

Alicia Hatcher | MLA Companies
Stephanie Knox, CPA | Flagel Huber Flagel
Mark Smith, CPA | Kentner Sellers LLC

# COMMUNITY ARTS GRANTEES

### GENERAL OPERATING SUPPORT GRANTEES

*Organizations with budgets of $500,000 to $10 million*

| | |
|---|---|
| Dayton Art Institute | $86,551 |
| Dayton Contemporary Dance Company | $40,325 |
| Dayton Performing Arts Alliance (Ballet/Opera/Philharmonic) | $85,567 |
| Discover Classical WDPR/WDPG | $21,638 |
| The Human Race Theatre Company | $42,784 |
| K12 Gallery & TEJAS | $20,408 |
| Muse Machine | $46,718 |
| Springfield Symphony Orchestra | $17,949 |

### COMMUNITY ARTS DEVELOPMENT GRANTEES

*Organizations with budgets of $100,000 to $499,999*

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|---|---|
| Bach Society of Dayton | $5,940 |
| The Contemporary Dayton | $6,087 |

### 2019 COMMUNITY ARTS GRANT PANEL

Sheri Sword | Vice President of Communications, Better Business Bureau of Dayton/Miami Valley–*Panel Chair*
Ara Beal | Founder, Storybook Foundry
Jonathan Campbell | Sales Executive and Business Development Manager (BDM), Deloitte
Michael Conlan | Galleries Coordinator, Wright State University
Eve Fleck | Artist & Arts Administrator
Glenn Priest | Lead Pastor, Ministry Arts, Fairhaven
Patrick Reynolds | Associate Professor of Music at the University of Dayton; Associate Conductor, DPAA
Angela Swain | Chief, International Logistics Branch, Air Force Materiel Command
Emily von Stuckrad-Smolinski | Executive Director, The Historic Plaza Theatre
Jim Ratti | President, Dayton Aerospace, Inc. – Panel Alternate

# ONE GIFT, MANY IMPACTS

*One gift to the Campaign for the Arts has major impacts in our community.*

Organizations that receive Campaign-funded Community Arts Grants use general operating support to develop new, innovative programming, build organizational capacity, and increase public access to life-changing arts experiences.

**TOGETHER,** the 2018–2019 Culture Works Community Arts Grantees made it possible for:

**414,152** adults to enjoy performances, exhibitions, and other arts activities

**235,384** young people to participate in cultural activities and events

**375,649** individuals of all ages to access **FREE** art experiences

# CREATING A MAGICAL PLACE WE CALL HOME

Bill Perry
*Development Manager*

Culture Works donors are shaping a community that grows more colorful, more empathetic, and more vibrant every day. By supporting a united arts fund, they are ensuring that we have a wide variety of artistic and cultural offerings throughout the Dayton area. They empower local artists to flex their creative muscles through a variety of disciplines, and they encourage all of our friends and neighbors to enjoy the sights, sounds, and treasures waiting to be experienced in our region.

Art has the power to transport us across time and distance. A visit to our museums and galleries can take you to the farthest corners of the earth, giving you a glimpse into the distant past or a vision of the not-so-distant future. A night with Dayton Opera can carry you away to the canals of Venice, and a concert by one of our many choirs can let you feel what it was like to experience a performance at the height of the Renaissance. And, thanks to the creative minds of those who have visited the Dayton Region and those who stayed to call it home, we can all travel beyond the limits of our imagination by listening to the stories, tales, and songs of those who dare to dream.

I'm thrilled that we have so many creative experiences readily available to us in our community, and I am extremely lucky to have a job that connects me to other individuals who want to share their love of the arts with those around them. Our donors are giving us the resources to not only strengthen and maintain our established arts organizations but also cultivate and inspire emerging artists in our region. As we move forward, I picture a place that embraces both classic performances and innovative breakthroughs, a community that entertains, educates, and inspires people of all ages and from all backgrounds. Together, we can, and will, make the Dayton Region one of the most livable communities in America.

*I'm always excited to connect with our donors and other champions of art and culture! Contact me by phone or email:*

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CAMPAIGN *for the* ARTS

# WORKPLACE GIVING

Every year, employees from over 50 local companies and organizations give their time to coordinate and participate in engaging Workplace Giving activities in support of the Culture Works Campaign for the Arts.

*Lucky winners of the drawing for performance tickets at the long-standing LexisNexis Wine Tasting for Culture Works at the Culinary Institute at Dorothy Lane Market.*

*Premier Health's Diane Ewing with musician Kyleen Downes during a Campaign event.*

*Stephanie Yenn of Discover Classical, Steve Schwartz of LION, Inc. and artist Boy Blue at the LION Workplace Giving Kickoff.*

*Michael London of Montgomery County with some talented young performers that showcased musical numbers from Dare to Defy's production of Annie during an event at the Haines Children's Center.*

*Jessica Goeke of Miami Valley Hospital with musicians Michael and Sandy Bashaw, who performed in the MVH cafeteria during the Premier Health Workplace Campaign.*

*Dorine Ragsdale, co-chair of the Montgomery County Culture Works Campaign Steering Committee at the check presentation during the County Commission meeting.*

# *Leonard P. Roberts* SCHOLARSHIP

# *Artist Opportunity* GRANTS

For 25 years, the Culture Works Leonard P. Roberts Memorial Scholarship has recognized the achievements of students who go above and beyond in their pursuit of artistic excellence and in their dedication to the community.

Established in memory of Leonard P. Roberts, a prominent supporter of Dayton's arts and past chairman of the Dayton Performing Arts Fund—known today as Culture Works—the scholarship has supported the educational careers of more than 200 local students. In addition to demonstrating outstanding commitment to the arts, candidates must be graduating high school seniors living in Butler, Clark, Darke, Greene, Miami, Montgomery, Preble, or Warren County, or college students at any level who live in and attend college in the Dayton Region.

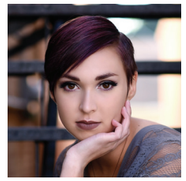
An independent committee of arts leaders, arts patrons, educators, and artists reviews applications and makes award decisions based on candidates' arts involvement, contributions to the community, and unique circumstances. Culture Works congratulates the students selected by the 2018–2019 Scholarship Committee to receive $16,750 in scholarships for the 2019–2020 academic year. Through their work as artists, mentors, and community builders, these students not only honor but continue Mr. Roberts' legacy.

## LEONARD P. ROBERTS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Hannah Berry
Springboro High School, Class of '19
*Ohio University*

Jenna Fazzari
Valley View High School, Class of '19
*University of Cincinnati*

Haley Lamb
Alter High School, Class of '19
*Marian University*



Madeline May
Tippecanoe High School, Class of '19
*Columbus College of Art and Design*

Adam Saunders
Carroll High School, Class of '19
*University of Dayton*

Gabriella Schalm
Oakwood High School, Class of '19
*Purdue University*

Mira Sidhu
Oakwood High School, Class of '19
*University of Cincinnati*

Maggie Yegerlehner
Stivers School for the Arts, Class of '19
*University of Cincinnati*

### THANK YOU TO THE 2019 SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE:

Antoinette Geyer | Vice President, Ohio Market Planning & Performance, CareSource – Scholarship Committee Chair
Vicky Fanberg | Executive Director, Preble County Art Association
Patrick Gill | Executive Director, Dayton-Montgomery County Scholarship Program/Montgomery County Ohio College Promise
Mary Rospert | Taylor Scholarship Program Specialist, Sinclair Community College
Jerome Yorke | Assistant Professor, Physical Theatre, University of Dayton

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

*Since its inception, the Artist Opportunity Grant program has provided over $80,000 in grants to 33 Montgomery County artists. We are tremendously grateful to the Montgomery County Arts & Cultural District for making this program possible and for investing in the growth of our community's artists.*

### THANK YOU TO THE 2018–2019 ARTIST OPPORTUNITY GRANT PANEL

Eileen Carr | Coordinator, ArtsLIVE, University of Dayton–Panel Facilitator
Larry Coressel | Operations Manager and Host, Discover Classical
Jordan Knepper | Executive Director, Piqua Arts Council
Shayna McConville | Division Manager of Cultural Arts, City of Kettering
David Rice | Founder/Chairman, Organization of Black Designers (OBD)
Andy Snow | Photographer
Gina Walther | Associate Professor of Dance, Wright State University

In 2018–2019, Culture Works continued our partnership with the Montgomery County Arts & Cultural District (MCACD) to provide Artist Opportunity Grants for local artists.

Launched in 2016, the Artist Opportunity Grant program provides funding for Montgomery County's artists to pursue professional development opportunities and to create new works. MCACD funds the program, and Culture Works administers the grantmaking process. 2018–2019 was the program's third grant cycle, and in light of the high caliber of projects funded in the first two years, MCACD increased the amount of funding available through this year's program from $30,000 to $40,000.

We received an incredible response to the call for applications from artists in a wide variety of disciplines—from painting and writing to podcasting and choreography. Applications were reviewed by an independent panel of arts leaders who evaluated each project's artistic merit, feasibility, potential impact on the artist, and potential impact on the larger community. The panel selected the following 12 outstanding artists to receive a total of $31,729 in grants to complete projects in 2020.

### 2018–2019 ARTIST OPPORTUNITY GRANTEES

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| Adam Alonzo | Playwright \| *Workshop production of a new play about Dayton's poet, Paul Laurence Dunbar* |
| Leah Byrd | Filmmaker \| *Produce the second season of the award-winning web series* ***Hot & Bothered*** |
| Phillitia Charlton | Author & Spoken Word Artist \| *Produce a theatrical performance comprised of works from her book,* ***The Death of a Lie*** |
| Dan Cleary | Photographer & Digital Artist \| *Travel to Le Mans, France to photograph where Wilbur Wright made his flight demonstrations for use in the series "Then and Now – Wright Brothers Photographs"* |
| Tess Cortes | Visual Artist & Educator \| *Attend a week-long workshop with German artist Hannah Perner-Wilson* |
| George Drake, Jr. | Audio Producer & Sound Designer \| *Produce a multi-part podcast to tell the story of 1920s Dayton and unravel a local mystery* |
| Jocelyn Green | Dancer & Choreographer \| *Produce and choreograph a dance show to broaden Dayton's interaction with dance* |
| Reginald Harmon | Visual Artist, Musician, & Educator \| *Create a 36" prototype for a larger-than-life statue of Paul Laurence Dunbar* |
| Mikee Huber | Painter & Photographer \| *Attend a photography workshop with Colleen Miniuk-Sperry* |
| Glenna Jennings | Photographer \| *Travel to Photolucida Portfolio Reviews Festival in Portland, Oregon, to seek publication and exhibition opportunities* |
| Annie Pesch | Actor & Director \| *Originate a one-person show about a woman with dissociative identity disorder* |
| Gabriela Pickett | Visual Artist \| *Attend a two-week residency with artist Artemio Rodriguez to develop her skills as a printmaker* |

# *New* PARTNERSHIPS

## INVESTING IN EMERGING ARTS LEADERS

*Through the UpDayton Summit*

— Perseverance Memorial —

*When the memorial is completed, individuals who have lost loved ones to the opioid epidemic will be invited to write their names on individual tiles and place them into the mosaic that lines the inside of the sculpture. The sculpture will be large enough for visitors to stand under, enveloped by the three figures depicted embracing one another.*

*Leader of the Perseverance Memorial project, Jes McMillan, with Lisa Hanson and Karen Maner of Culture Works*

If you've spent any time in the Dayton area's young professionals scene, you've probably worked with, or at least heard of, UpDayton. Born out of the DaytonCREATE initiative launched in 2008 to grow our region's creative class, UpDayton is a volunteer-powered organization that seeks to attract and retain talent by inspiring and empowering individuals to create the Dayton they want to call home.

UpDayton's annual Summit gives emerging leaders a platform to pitch high-impact, short-term community projects to an audience of hundreds of community leaders, elected officials, and passionate volunteers. The audience votes for their favorite projects, and the winners receive seed money and a year of UpDayton volunteer support.

In 2018, the Summit celebrated its 10th anniversary, and to mark this achievement, Culture Works provided two $1,000 project boosts to winning arts projects: The West Dayton STEAM Lab, which created hands-on learning opportunities in science, technology, engineering, arts, agriculture, and math for youth in DeSoto Bass, and the Perseverance Memorial, a mosaic-tiled sculpture designed by Jes McMillan of The Mosaic Institute of Greater Dayton to honor those impacted by the opioid crisis and unite the community in healing.

One of the major challenges of creating a large-scale public art piece like the Perseverance Memorial is identifying a suitable location. Over the past year, Culture Works has continued our partnership with Jes to identify an ideal site, and we are pleased to share that her project has attracted the attention of the Dayton Riverfront Plan partners. We look forward to sharing additional details in the coming year. Learn more about these projects and others at updayton.org/projects.

# FINANCIALS

*2018-2019*

## ACCOUNTABILITY & TRANSPARENCY

Culture Works is committed to being the best possible steward of the funds entrusted to us by the community. Here are the results of our audited financials for July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019.

### REVENUE AND OTHER SUPPORT:

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|---|---|
| Contributions and Grants | |
| *Campaign for the Arts* | $565,123 |
| *Arts Awareness & Advocacy* | $43,105 |
| *Operating Support* | $88,216 |
| Special Events | $29,787 |
| In-Kind Contribution | $42,410 |
| Distributions from Trusts & Investment Returns | $99,570 |
| Other Income | $62,215 |
| **TOTAL** | **$930,426** |

### EXPENSES

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|---|---|
| Grants to Organizations | $405,695 |
| Endowment Distributions & Scholarships | $36,374 |
| Program Services | |
| *Campaign for the Arts* | $205,224 |
| *Arts Awareness & Advocacy** | $156,099 |
| Management, General & Fundraising | $150,420 |
| **TOTAL** | **$953,812** |

*Arts Awareness & Advocacy includes costs for the Passport to the Arts, the Guide to Arts & Culture in the Dayton Region, governmental advocacy, economic and community development initiatives, the Leonard P. Roberts Scholarship Program, and other organizational programs designed to support the infrastructure of the arts sector in the Dayton Region and promote it to a national constituency.

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Ohio Arts Council
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# 2018-2019 DONORS

Culture Works would like to thank the many individuals, companies, foundations, and other organizations who contributed to Culture Works between July 1, 2018 and June 30, 2019. It is this support that helps make our community a vibrant place to live, work, and play and connects the diverse communities throughout the Dayton Region through arts and culture.

## CORPORATE, FOUNDATION, GOVERNMENT, AND WORKPLACE GIVING SUPPORT

### CULTURAL VISIONARY: $50,000+
Premier Health Employees
Atrium Medical Center Employees
Fidelity Health Care Employees
Miami Valley Hospital Employees
Premier Physician Network Employees
Premier Systems Support Employees
Upper Valley Medical Center Employees

### CULTURAL DEVELOPER: $25,000+
Fifth Third Foundation & Fifth Third Bank Employees
LexisNexis/RELX Group Employees & Corporate Matching Gifts
Montgomery County Employees
Vectren, a CenterPoint Energy Company & Vectren Employees

### CULTURAL INFLUENCER: $15,000+
The Berry Family Foundation
Dayton Children's Employees
The Dayton Foundation
Ohio Arts Council

### CULTURAL PIONEER: $10,000+
CareSource Foundation
Messer Construction Employees & Corporate Matching Gifts
University of Dayton Employees

### CULTURAL COLLABORATOR: $5,000+
Bach Society of Dayton Members
City of Dayton Employees
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Dayton Contemporary Dance Company Employees
Emerson
Greater Dayton RTA Employees
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Wright State University Employees

### CULTURAL CATALYST: $1,000+
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