



Funding Sources for the Arts in Scotland (FUN4)

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At a time of increasing demand for arts funding in Scotland, it is important to be fully aware of the range of funding sources available. This information sheet offers an overview of the major sources of funding for the arts in Scotland.

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National Agencies

Scottish Arts Council

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Help Desk Information:

T: 0845 603 6000

E: help.desk@scottisharts.org.uk

W: www.scottisharts.org.uk

Summary: The Council funds individual artists, arts organisations and arts initiatives throughout Scotland. Details of schemes are listed in the annual guide to funds available from the Help Desk.

Scottish Arts Council Young Scot Action Fund

Young Scot Arts

FREEPOST EH 1077

Edinburgh

EH12 OBR

T: 0131 313 2488

F: 0131 313 6800

E: arts@youngscot.org

W: www.youngscot.org/arts

Summary: The Scottish Arts Council Young Scot Action Fund exists to help young people in Scotland follow their artistic dreams and make the most of their creative talent. It is available for young people living in Scotland aged 12-26 and can award up to £200 to individuals and £750 to groups.

Awards for All

1 Atlantic Quay

Glasgow

G2 8JB

T: 0141 242 1400

F: 0141 242 1401

Application Pack Hotline:

T: 0845 600 2040

E: scotland@awardsforall.org.uk

W: www.awardsforall.org.uk

Summary: Awards for All is a joint programme between the Heritage Lottery Fund, the Scottish Arts Council, Sport Scotland, and the Big Lottery Fund. Awards between £500 and £10,000 are available.

Big Lottery Fund

1 Atlantic Quay

Glasgow

G2 8JB

T: 0141 242 1400

F: 0141 242 1401

Information and Enquiries Line:

T: 0870 240 2391

E: enquiries.scotland@biglotteryfund.org.uk

W: www.biglotteryfund.org.uk

Summary: The New Opportunities Fund and the Community Fund have merged into one organisation that provides lottery funding for good causes.

British Council

Arts Group

10 Spring Gardens

London

SW1A 2BN

T: 0207 389 3194

F: 0207 389 3199

E: artweb@britcouncil.org

W: www.britishcouncil.org

W: www.creativexport.co.uk

Summary: The British Council is the UK's international public diplomacy and cultural relations organisation, not a development agency or funding body. It brings the UK arts scene to the rest of the world, helping over 2,000 arts events to happen each year in 100 countries. We promote UK excellence, innovation and cultural diversity through our 200 overseas offices supported by key partners.

Limited, competitive funding is available in some artforms subject to our international remit.

Scottish Museums Council

County House
20/22 Torphichen Street
Edinburgh
EH3 8JB

T: 0131 229 7465

Information service:

T: 0131 538 7435

F: 0131 229 2728

E: inform@scottishmuseums.org.uk

W: www.scottishmuseums.org.uk

Summary: As the national agency for government support to over 340 museums in Scotland, the Scottish Museums Council aims to improve the quality of museum and gallery provision in Scotland. Grants available only to full members of the council.

Scottish Screen

249 West George Street
Glasgow
G2 4QE

T: 0141 302 1700

F: 0141 302 1778

E: info@scottishscreen.com

W: www.scottishscreen.com

Summary: Scottish Screen develops, encourages and promotes every aspect of film, television and new media in Scotland through script and company development, short film production, distribution of National Lottery film production finance, training, education, exhibition funding, Film Commission Locations support and the Scottish Screen Archive.

Visiting Arts

4.01 & 4.02 Enterprise House
1 – 2 Hatfields
London
SE1 9PG

T: 020 7960 9630 (Switchboard)
020 7960 9631 (Information line)

F: 020 7960 9643

E: information@visitingarts.org.uk

W: www.visitingarts.org.uk

Summary: Conference attendance, seminars and publications unconnected with exhibitions or public performance are not normally eligible for support. The Grants cover the performing arts, visual and media arts, crafts and applied arts, architecture and design, literature and film with particular emphasis on contemporary work. Grants are solely for the presentation in the UK of high-calibre art work from overseas. Funded projects also need to demonstrate their contribution to the development of cultural awareness and cultural relations.

Local Authority Funding

Please contact the Help Desk or visit the Scottish Arts Council website to obtain a copy of:

Scottish Local Authority Arts and Education Contacts (AC1)

www.scottisharts.org.uk/1/information/publications/1000298.aspx

Local Enterprise Companies

Scottish Enterprise Network

150 Broomielaw
Atlantic Quay
Glasgow G2 8LU

T: 0141 248 2700

F: 0141 221 3217

Summary: The Scottish Enterprise Network comprises Scottish Enterprise and 13 local enterprise companies who work in partnership with the private and public sector. Local Enterprise Companies do not provide revenue funding for arts projects and/or companies, but they occasionally support strategic initiatives in partnership with other agencies.

Scottish Enterprise Ayrshire

17-19 Hill Street
Kilmarnock
KA3 1HA
T: 01563 526623
F: 01563 543636

Scottish Enterprise Dumfries and Galloway

Solway House
Enterprise Park
Heathhill
Tinwald Downs Road
Dumfries
DG1 3SJ
T: 01387 245000
F: 01387 246224

Scottish Enterprise Dunbartonshire

2nd Floor
Spectrum House
Clydebank Business Park
Clydebank
G81 2DR
T: 0141 951 2121
F: 0141 951 1907

Scottish Enterprise Fife

Kingdom House
Saltire Centre
Glenrothes
KY6 2AQ
T: 01592 623000
F: 01592 623149

Scottish Enterprise Forth Valley

Laurel House
Laurelhill Business Park
Stirling
FK7 9JG
T: 01786 451919
F: 01786 478123

Scottish Enterprise Glasgow

Atrium Court

50 Waterloo Street
Glasgow
G2 6HQ
T: 0141 204 1111
F: 0141 248 1600

Scottish Enterprise Grampian

27 Albyn Place
Aberdeen
AB10 1DB
T: 01224 252000
F: 01224 213417

Scottish Enterprise Lanarkshire

New Lanarkshire House
Dove Wynd
Strathclyde Business Park
Bellshill
ML4 3AD
T: 01698 745454
F: 01698 842211

Scottish Enterprise Edinburgh and Lothian

Apex House
99 Haymarket Terrace
Edinburgh
EH12 5HD
T: 0131 313 4000
F: 0131 313 4231

Highlands and Islands Enterprise Moray

Horizon Enterprise Park
Forres
W36 2AB
T: 01309696000
F: 01309 696001

Scottish Enterprise Renfrewshire

27 Causeyside Street
Paisley
PA1 1UL
T: 0141 848 0101
F: 0141 848 6930

Scottish Enterprise Borders

Bridge Street
Galashiels
TD1 1SW
T: 01896 758991
F: 01896 758625

Scottish Enterprise Tayside

Enterprise House
45 North Lindsay Street
Dundee
DD1 1NT
T: 01382 223100
F: 01382 201319

Highlands and Islands Enterprise

(HIE) also provides funding for arts development. Scottish Arts Council and HIE jointly fund HI~Arts to implement HIE's policy for arts development. Funding for new projects reflects HIE's concern to develop the local economy as well as recognising the distinctive cultural and social conditions of the area. For further information contact:

HI-Arts

4th Floor
Ballantyne House
84 Academy Street
Inverness
IV1 1LU
T: 01463 717091
F: 01463 720895

Summary: HI~Arts promotes and develops the arts in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland.

Highlands and Islands Enterprise

Cowan House
Inverness Retail and Business Retail
Inverness
IV2 7GF
T: 01463 234171
F: 01463 244469

Argyll and the Islands Enterprise

The Enterprise Centre
Kilmory Industrial Estate
Lochgilphead
PA31 8SH
T: 01546 602281
F: 01546 603964

Caithness and Sutherland Enterprise

Tollemache House
High Street
Thurso
KW14 8AZ
T: 01847 896115
F: 01847 893383

Inverness and Nairn Enterprise

The Green House
Beechwood Business Park North
Inverness
IV2 3BL
T: 01463 713504
F: 01463 712002

Lochaber Ltd

St Mary's House
Gordon Square
Fort William
PH33 6DY
T: 01397 704326
F: 01397 705309

Orkney Enterprise

14 Queen Street
Kirkwall
Orkney
KW15 1JE
T: 01856 874638
F: 01856 872915

Ross and Cromarty Enterprise

69/71 High Street
Invergordon
IV18 0AA
T: 01349 853666

F: 01349 853833

restricted to permanent adaptations.

Shetland Enterprise

Toll Clock Shopping Centre
26 North Road
Lerwick
Shetland
ZE1 0DE
T: 01595 693177
F: 01595 693208

Skye and Lochalsh Enterprise

Kings House
The Green
Portree
Isle of Skye
IV51 9BS
T: 01478 612841
F: 01478 612164

Western Isles Enterprise

James Square
9 James Street
Stornoway
Isle of Lewis
HS1 2QN
T: 01851 703703
F: 01851 704130

Trusts and Foundations

The ADAPT Trust

PO Box 16817
Glasgow
G12 8WX
T: 0141 357 5515
F: 0141 337 5515
E: adapt.trust@btconnect.com
W: www.adapttrust.co.uk
Summary: ADAPT (Access for Disabled People to Arts Premises Today) aims to improve accessibility to arts and heritage premises for disabled and older people. Funding is only for venues whose main activity is the arts. Assistance is also

Arts Trust of Scotland

12 Manor Place
Edinburgh
EH3 7DD
E: pat.hymers@scottisharts.org.uk
Summary: An independent Scottish Charitable Trust. Funds are used to support a small number of emerging artists with significant potential.

Canada House Arts Trust

9 Oliphant Street
London
W10 4ED
E: angelabolger@virgin.net
Summary: The trust exists to give financial support to individuals and groups (including venues and festivals) with a Canadian focus seeking to exhibit, perform or promote their work in the UK. The trust seeks to support work across the arts. Grants are normally given up to the value of £5,000. The trustees meet quarterly to decide allocation of funds.

Dewar Arts Awards

The Administrator
Dewar Arts Awards
P.O. Box 7611
Kirkcudbright
DG6 4WT
E: admin@dewarawards.org
W: www.dewarawards.org
Summary: A fund set up by the Scottish Executive in memory of Scotland's first Minister, Donald Dewar, to give awards to young people living in Scotland of exceptional talent across all art forms, who do not have the financial or family backing to pursue their artistic goals.

The Elephant Trust

512 Bankside Lofts

65 Hopton Street

London

EC1 9GZ

T: 0207 922 1160

F: 0207 922 1160

E: ruth@elephanttrust.org.uk

ruth@banksidelofts.freeserve.co.uk

W: www.elephanttrust.org.uk

Summary: Grants available for artists and institutions working within the visual arts. No awards are given for educational or other study purposes.

Esmee Fairbairn Foundation

11 Park Place

London

SW1A 1LP

T: 020 7297 4700

F: 020 7297 4701

E: info@esmeefairbairn.org.uk

W: www.esmeefairbairn.org.uk

Summary: Grants to organisations which aim to improve the quality of life for people and communities in the UK both now and in the future.

The Foundation for Sport and the Arts

PO Box 20

Liverpool

L13 1HB

T: 0151 259 5505

F: 0151 230 0664

E: contact@thefsa.net

W: www.thefsa.net

Summary: The Foundation for Sport and the Arts is an independent trust whose chief objective is to enhance the quality of life for the community generally through the encouragement and funding of sport and the arts. Applications from individuals are considered only if the individuals have exceptional claims.

The Foyle Foundation

Rugby Chambers

2 Rugby Street

London

WC1N 3QU

T: 020 7430 9119

E: info@foylefoundation.org.uk

W: www.foylefoundation.org.uk

Summary: The Foyle Foundation supports charities registered in the UK. Their Arts Awards support both the performing and visual arts. Grants are also available for building and infrastructure projects. The majority of grants are in the range of £10,000 - £50,000. The maximum large grant will not normally exceed £500,000. There are no deadlines for submissions.

The Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation

UK Branch

98 Portland Place

London

W1B 1ET

T: 020 7636 5313

F: 020 7908 7580

E: info@gulbenkian.org.uk

W: www.gulbenkian.org.uk

Summary: The Foundation does not support individuals or offer assistance towards student expenses, performances, exhibitions, festivals, conferences, capital or equipment costs. Detailed information is given in the Foundation's leaflet 'Advice to Applicants for Grants', which is available from the Foundation and on its website.

Paul Hamlyn Foundation

18 Queen Anne's Gate

London

SW1H 9AA

T: 0207 227 3500

F: 0207 222 0601

E: information@phf.org.uk

W: www.phf.org.uk

Summary: The Foundation does not give grants for the following: general appeals or endowments, capital projects, buying, maintaining or refurbishing property or equipment and individuals.

Nancie Massey Charitable Trust

61 Dublin Street

Edinburgh

EH3 6NL

T: 0131 558 5800

F: 0131 558 5899

Summary: To assist the young, the elderly, the arts, medicine and education. Grants are available for projects in Edinburgh and Leith. Trustees reserve the right to verify how grant has been spent. Grants are not given to individuals.

National Endowment for Science and the Arts (NESTA)

NESTA

Fishmonger's Chambers

110 Upper Thames Street

London

EC4R 3TW

T: 0207 645 9500

E: nesta@nesta.org.uk

W: www.nesta.org.uk

Summary: They support and promote talent and creativity in science, technology and the arts.

The Prince's Trust Scotland

1st Floor

The Guildhall

57 Queen Street

Glasgow

G1 3EN

T: 0141 204 4409

F: 0141 221 8221

W: www.princes-trust.org.uk

Summary: The Prince's Trust is the UK's leading charity for disadvantaged young people. It offers new opportunities for 14-25 year olds to develop self-confidence, learn new skills and get into work.

Scottish International Education Trust

22 Manor Place

Edinburgh

EH3 7DS

T: 0131 225 1113

E: siet@ukonline.co.uk

Summary: The Trust supports individual Scots who have shown ability and promise and wish to take their studies or training further. Preference to postgraduate students working for a higher degree or equivalent. Some grants also available for projects. Grants normally in the range £1,000-£3,000.

Sponsorship**Arts & Business Scotland**

6 Randolph Crescent

Edinburgh

EH3 7TH

T: 0131 220 2499

F: 0131 220 2296

E: Scotland@AandB.org.uk

W: www.aandb.org.uk

Summary: Arts & Business encourages and promotes creative partnerships between business and the arts.

Originally focusing on advice and promotion of arts sponsorship, A&B now promote a wider range of partnerships.

European Community

MEDIA Antenna Scotland

249 West George St
Glasgow
G2 4QE

T: 0141 302 1776/7

F: 0141 302 1778

E: scotland@mediadesk.co.uk

W: www.mediadesk.co.uk

Summary: The MEDIA Programme is an initiative of the European Union, which aims to support and encourage the European audio-visual industries through the development, distribution, promotion and training of film and television projects and professionals.

MEDIA Plus

MEDIA Plus aims to strengthen the European film, TV and new media industries by encouraging greater collaboration between industry players at a European level and the wider distribution of European audio-visual products.

Eurodesk UK and European Resource Centre for Scotland

Rosebery House
9 Haymarket Terrace
Edinburgh
EH12 5EZ

T: 0131 313 2488

F: 0131 313 6800

E: eurodesk@youthlink.co.uk

W: www.eurodesk.org.uk

Summary: Europe-wide information service for young people on European opportunities, including information on European funding.

EUCLID

85-89 Duke Street
Liverpool
L1 5AP

T: 07000 382 543

F: 0151 709 8647

E: info@euclid.info

W: www.euclid.info

Summary: The DCMS's appointed UK Cultural Contact Point for Culture 2000 is EUCLID. It is intended to keep interested parties up to date with the latest information and to assist in the search for European partners for potential projects. EUCLID publishes "Alert", a free regular e-mail newsletter. You can register to receive "Alert" via the EUCLID website which also contains other information on European funding opportunities for culture.

EUCLID has also developed CUPID, an online searchable database of projects successful in gaining funding from the European Union (www.cupid.culture.info) and a fast-growing online database of UK, European and international cultural organisations and events to which users anywhere can also submit their own cultural information, free of charge (www.culture.info).

General Information

Directory of Social Change

24 Stephenson Way
London
NW1 2DP

T: 020 7391 4800

F: 020 7391 4808

E: info@dsc.org.uk

W: www.dsc.org.uk

Summary: A range of reference publications offer contact and other information on funding sources. Many of these are available in the Public Library.

Scottish Council for Voluntary Organisations

Mansfield Traquair Centre
15 Mansfield Place
Edinburgh
EH3 6BB

T: 0131 556 3882

F: 0131 556 0279

E: enquiries@scvo.org.uk

W: www.scvo.org.uk

Summary: For information about funding, access to a variety of funding resources and referral to your local Council for Voluntary Service, where appropriate, please contact.

Journals

ProFunding

Crane House
19 Apex Business Village
Annitsford

Northumberland

NE23 7BF

T: 0191 250 1969

F: 0191 250 2563

E: stars@fundinginformation.org

W: www.fundinginformation.org

Summary: the most authoritative and up-to-date source of funding opportunities, information and news for the not-for-profit sector.

Contacting the Scottish Arts Council

For information, publications, advice, funding guidelines and application forms, call the Help Desk on 0845 603 6000 (local rate)

If you are calling from outside the UK, call +44 (0) 131 240 2444 or 2443

Visit our website at
www.scottisharts.org.uk
or e-mail the Help Desk at
help.desk@scottisharts.org.uk

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