



COMMUNITY ARTS GRANT PROGRAM

2024 Grant Recipients

Camille Anderson (Theatre), Los Angeles, CA | \$1,000 grant award

PROJECT: A staged reading of “Shackled Secrets,” an original full length play written by Camille Anderson at the Warner Bros. Performing Arts Center.

(Boys & Girls Club of Burbank and the Greater East Valley / May, 17, 2024)

Burbank Community Band (Music), Burbank, CA | \$3,500 grant award

PROJECT: A revival of the popular Holiday Concert Series with two free concerts by The Burbank Community Band celebrating music of the seasons.

(First Christian Church / October 26 and December 21, 2024)

Burbank International Film Festival (Film), Burbank, CA | \$4,500 grant award

PROJECT: The 2024 Burbank International Film Festival celebrating the art of cinema and showcasing a diverse array of independent films from around the world in venues across the city.

(various Burbank locations / September 25-29, 2024)

Burbank Philharmonic (Music), Burbank, CA | \$3,000 grant award

PROJECT: A free concert featuring The Burbank Philharmonic in a smaller chamber orchestra arrangement that brings the Burbank-based orchestra home to its core audience.

(Colony Theatre / October 5, 2024)

Darcy Rose Byrnes (Theatre), Burbank, CA | \$2,500 grant award

PROJECT: A production of “Juliet Hereafter: The Scottish Play. A Comedy” a gender-bending, comedic adaptation of Shakespeare’s “MacBeth” written and produced by Darcy Rose Byrnes.

(Venue TBD / Fall 2024)

Colony Theatre (Theatre), Burbank, CA | \$3,500 grant award

PROJECT: The inaugural presentation of a staged reading program titled, “Scripts and Sips” where audiences enjoy cocktails/mocktails and light snacks paired with a reading of a new play or musical.

(Colony Theatre / November 17, 2024)

Conundrum Theatre (Theatre), Burbank, CA | \$3,000 grant award

PROJECT: A family-friendly production of the musical “Guys and Dolls.”

(Colia Studios, 1208 W. Isabel / September 13-22, 2024)

Elevate Burbank (Multi-disciplinary), Burbank, CA | \$3,500 grant award

PROJECT: Celebrate Burbank 2024, a free multicultural arts festival showcasing the diverse talents of our community.

(2400 Empire Avenue / May 11, 2024)

Shenandoah Harris (Dance), Burbank, CA | \$2,500 grant award

PROJECT: "Psychopomp Dance Presents: EMET," a live site specific dance theater performances of new work inspired by the Golem, a Jewish mystical creature.
(Stough Park / October 18, 2024)

Matt Harry (Theatre), Burbank, CA | \$2,500 grant award

PROJECT: LIFE LINE, an original immersive and life-affirming theatre production set in a crisis survivor's meeting.
(Magnolia Park United Methodist Church / Preview Sept 7, 2024, Sept 19 and 21, 2024)

Helix Collective (Music), West Hollywood, CA | \$4,000 grant award

PROJECT: A concert premiere of 12 original works from "SHOUTOUT!" a joint album with Helix Collective and the film, TV, and game composers of the Composers Diversity Collective.
(The Colony Theatre / Saturday, August 3, 2024)

Jory Herman (Music), Burbank, CA | \$1,000 grant award

PROJECT: The commissioning and world premiere performance of new music works by Burbank world-class double bassist Jory Herman.
(Salit Conservatory of Music / September 15, 2024 @ 2pm)

Imagine Theatre (Theatre), Glendale, CA | \$3,000 grant award

PROJECT: A production of "The Girl Who Made the Milky Way," a new theatre play for young audiences by June Carryl that celebrates and honors the local South African community.
(The Colony Theatre / November 1-23, 2024)

New Victory Theatre (Theatre), Burbank, CA | \$4,500 grant award

PROJECT: The world premiere of "4 Women in Red," a new play written by Laura Shamus and directed by Jeanette Harrison about missing and murdered indigenous women.
(New Victory Theatre / Jan 17-Feb 23, 2025)

St. Ambrose Irish Dance Association (Dance), Burbank, CA | \$3,500 grant award

PROJECT: 31st Annual St. Ambrose Feis, a two-day free, family-friendly cultural celebration featuring Irish step-dancing.
(Los Angeles Marriott Burbank Airport / September 28-29, 2024)

Chelsea Sutton (Theatre), Studio City, CA | \$2,500 grant award

PROJECT: The first public reading of the original new play "Penny's Puppet Hour," written by Chelsea Sutton followed by an audience talk back and a free playwriting workshop.
(Little Victory at the Victory Theatre Center / Friday, December 13, 2024)