THE DAC ANNUAL ARTS FUND
SUPPORTING THE ARTS IN DURHAM!

By supporting the Durham Arts Council’s Annual Arts Fund, you help DAC fulfill its mission to promote excellence in and access to the creation, experience, and active support of the arts for all the people of our community.

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Community Arts Education

Durham Arts Council’s Education Initiatives:
Artist Residency Program – CAPS
Teaching core subjects through interactive arts-based classes for more than 10,000 children in our area schools.

Community Arts School:
Offering life-long learning through classes for students of all ages and levels of experience.

Community Access to the Arts

Helping To Sustain The Arts In Durham:
Durham Arts Council is a center for the arts, hosting over 5,000 events, receiving more than 300,000 visitors each year, and supporting 30 arts organizations that operate from the DAC building.

Community Funding and Support of The Arts

Building our Creative Economy:
Directing over $1 million in funds to local artists, arts organizations, arts administrators and arts-related vendors through grants, fees for contract services, salaries, and art work sales in FY2010; showcasing and supporting the work of over 900 artists and 60 arts organizations.
Financial Overview

FY10 REVENUE

Program Revenue
$791,614
Public Support - Individual & Corporate Contributions, Foundation Grants, Government Contracts & Grants
$1,014,037
Total Operations Revenue: $1,805,651
Not including investment gain (loss) of $27,902

FY10 EXPENSES

Management and General
$58,872
Fundraising
$20,875
Program Services
$1,719,528
Total Operations Expenses: $1,799,275
Not including building/tenant depreciation of $69,277

Net Operations: $6,376

DAC achieved a 6.2% increase in program revenue this year.

Grants and public funding stayed stable. Individual and corporate contributions declined 18% with the continued economy challenges.

DAC achieved program growth in many areas.

Other Key Facts

- Direct income to artists, arts organizations: $1,094,666 + 0.5%
- Artists supported, employed: 1,097 + 10%
- DAC Attendance FY10: 308,112 + 0.5%
- Building Operations Hours: 24,281 + 3.2%
- Number of events: 5,279 + 15%
- Students served by CAPS artist residencies: 10,129 - 15%
- Enrollment in DAC arts classes: 3,682 + 58%

FY2010 DAC Grant Recipients

DAC Season Grants (cash & facility space)
African American Dance Ensemble
Carolta Santana Spanish Dance
Carolina Wren Press
Choral Society of Durham
Choreo Collective
Full Frame Documentary Film Festival
The Durham Art Guild, Inc.
Durham Children’s Choir
Durham Community Chorale
Durham Community Concert Band
Durham Jazz
Durham Savoyards, Ltd.
The Durham Symphony Orchestra
Mallarme Chamber Players
Manbites Dog Theater Company
St. Joseph’s Historic Foundation
The Scrap Exchange
Triangle Gay Men’s Chorus
Voices Together
Walltown Children’s Theatre
Young People’s Performing Company

Facility Grants
Collage Dance Company
Emerging Artists grants:
Ramya Kapadia – Dance
Gaspard Louis – Dance
Tara Lake – Drama
Maria Britton – Painting/Drawing
Jeff Bell – Sculpture
Mario Marzan – Installation
Rachael Elliott – Music
Marian Harrison – Music
Rosemary Winn – Photography
Doug Wilkerson – Craft
Madelyn Smoak – Craft
Joseph Sand – Craft
Edwin Cenderon – Film
Gregg Cusick – Literature
Jennifer Madriga – Literature

Help Create Community Through The Arts!

Each year Durham Arts Council must raise over $1.2 million in contributed income and grants and over $700,000 in earned income to support its programs, services and grants for the arts community and the public. DAC is grateful for the generous donations and partnership of individuals, corporations, foundations, the City of Durham, and the North Carolina Arts Council, a division of the Department of Cultural Resources.

The arts are a significant part of Durham’s cultural heritage and are helping to make Durham what it is today: a dynamic city with a vibrant, creative economy. You can be a part of creating and celebrating our community through the arts by making a donation to the Annual Arts Fund today!

To learn more about Durham Arts Council and to donate securely online please visit www.durhamarts.org or call (919) 560-2709.

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