

FUND FOR A CREATIVE IE

What is the Fund for a Creative IE?

The Fund for a Creative IE enables arts organizations to advocate locally and statewide, create partnerships with businesses and government to increase access to the arts for vulnerable and underserved populations, and build the capacity of cultural leadership in an equitable way.

What are the benefits of the Fund for a Creative IE?

- Learn about the economic impact of art in the IE
- Support nonprofit organizations that support a strong arts community in the IE
- Combine your gift with others to enhance impact
- Network with others who are philanthropically minded and living their passion for the arts



Based on the funds raised, grants are made at least annually. Using “participatory grant making,” several donors (including the Chair) and several nonprofits work together with IECF’s Grants and Community Impact team.

Funds will be disbursed based on the committee’s recommendations in one or both of the following ways:

- By open call, competitive application;
- By invitation only.

“Nonprofits in this region received donor support in the amount of **\$25.55 per capita**, as compared to the state average of **\$262.99.**”

~ *Inland Empire: Changing the Narrative 2019*





“Government arts funding is even worse: the per capita state average is \$3.00, but for the Inland Empire, it’s 40¢.”

~ Arts for the IE 2021 Annual Report, produced by Riverside Arts Council, Music Changing Lives, and Arts Connection- the Arts Council of San Bernardino County

“More money for arts agencies helps stimulate the marketplace for cultural activities and spur local and private investment in the arts. We hope that others who want to support the arts throughout the Inland Empire will contribute to this Fund and help us be the rising tide which lifts all the boats.”

ANN SHEFFER

IECF Board Member

Fund for a Creative IE Founding Chairperson



Donations may be made directly to the Fund for a Creative IE at:
iegives.org/fundforacreativeie
For more information, contact our Charitable Giving Team at
giving@iegives.org or call 951.241.7777.

DONATE TODAY!



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