

Arts Equity Funding Initiative Final Report Form (2026)

Please read all instructions before completing this form.

The form should take approximately 20-30 minutes to complete.

The information you share will not affect your eligibility for future Arts Nova Scotia funding or applications.

Before you begin, type and save your answers in a separate document for your records. You will not be able to edit your report after you submit it.

Many questions are optional, but we encourage you to answer as many as possible. All questions marked with a red asterisk (*) are required.

Why do we ask for final reports?

- To confirm that you used your grant as intended and help us understand whether our programs are achieving their intended outcomes and how we can improve them.
- To help us learn about the broader impact of arts funding in Nova Scotia.

The information and stories you share will help us understand and communicate the importance of supporting the arts. With your consent, we may also share your stories through our social media, annual report, or other communications.

* Required

Privacy Notice

Personal information and forms provided, or all other supporting documents required for your final report are collected by Arts Nova Scotia under the authority of the Nova Scotia's FOIPOP Act.

We may only use or disclose your personal information for another purpose if we are authorized by law to do so, or if we obtain your consent.

By submitting your personal information or making any other request to us (by contacting us via any of our official channels), you acknowledge that you understand the collection, use, and disclosure of any personal information you provide to us for the purpose of your report and program administration.

To read more about how government respects your privacy when interacting with us review our full privacy statement. For questions about how your personal information is handled by the program, you may contact a [program officer](#).

Your Information

1. Application number *

You can find your seven-digit application number in the upper-right corner of your T&C and notification letter.

The value must be a number

2. Who is the program officer listed on your T&C? *

The program officer is listed at the bottom of the Terms and Conditions letter you signed to receive funding.

☐ David Goudie

☐ Enrique Ferreol

3. Project name/title *

4. Organization/group name

If applicable

5. Your name *

6. Email *

Please enter an email

Project Information

7. Grant category *

- ☐ Creation
- ☐ Presentation
- ☐ Professional development
- ☐ Special travel

8. Location of project activity *

Select all that apply.

- ☐ Annapolis County
- ☐ Antigonish County
- ☐ Cape Breton County
- ☐ Colchester County
- ☐ Cumberland County
- ☐ Digby County
- ☐ Guysborough County
- ☐ Halifax County
- ☐ Hants County
- ☐ Inverness County
- ☐ Kings County
- ☐ Lunenburg County
- ☐ Pictou County
- ☐ Queens County
- ☐ Richmond County
- ☐ Shelburne County
- ☐ Victoria County
- ☐ Yarmouth County
- ☐ Outside of Nova Scotia but within Canada
- ☐ Outside of Canada

9. Briefly describe your project. Include relevant dates, locations, and the names of participating artists. *

Maximum 250 words.

10. What changes, if any, were there between your proposed project and the project as completed?

Impact on Artist

11. Choose your level of agreement with the statements below.

This grant helped me or my organization: *

If you are unsure about how to respond to any of the questions, a response of "Not applicable" is acceptable.

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable
Develop my/our artistic practice	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Experiment, innovate, or try something new	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Gain new skills or knowledge	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Access new opportunities	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Advance my career or my organization's development	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Reach new audiences	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Provide paid opportunities for artists	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

12. Use this space to add details about your answers above or describe other ways the grant impacted you or your organization.

Impact on Community

Please note that not all projects will have a community impact. These questions are optional.

13. Choose your level of agreement with the statements below.

This grant helped me or my organization:

If you are unsure about how to respond to any of the questions, a response of "Not applicable" is acceptable.

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable
Contribute to my/our wider artistic discipline	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Provide opportunities for Nova Scotian artists and arts workers	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Develop or strengthen partnerships, collaborations, or networks	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Participate in mentorship	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Engage a community or contribute to its well-being	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Advance equity, diversity, and inclusion	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

14. Use this space to add details about your answers above or describe other ways the grant impacted the community.

15. How many artists were involved in your project?

The value must be a number

16. How many Nova Scotian artists were involved in your project?

The value must be a number

17. What total amount did you pay to artists and arts workers?

Include artist fees, royalties, copyright payments, and similar payments.

The value must be a number

18. About what percentage of your total project expenses were spent in Nova Scotia?

You may estimate.

Please enter a number less than or equal to 100

Equity Group Information

19. Did your project specifically benefit one or more of the communities identified below?

Select all that apply.

- ☐ 2SLGBTQIA+
- ☐ Acadian and Francophone
- ☐ African Nova Scotian
- ☐ Black
- ☐ Deaf and disability
- ☐ Gaelic
- ☐ Immigrant, Newcomer, Refugee community
- ☐ Indigenous (First Nations, Inuit, and Métis)
- ☐ Mi'kmaq
- ☐ Racialized

20. Describe how your project benefited each of the groups or communities you selected above.

Public Engagement

21. Did your project involve sharing artistic work with the public? *

For example, did you have an event or form a collaboration?

☐ Yes

☐ No

22. What type(s) of public engagement were involved? *

Select all that apply.

☐ Artist and/or curator talk

☐ Colloquium, lecture, forum, or panel discussion

☐ Community collaboration

☐ Conference

☐ Exhibition

☐ Live performance

☐ Presentation

☐ Public participation in the creation of artistic work

☐ Reading

☐ Screening

☐ Virtual or digital activity

☐ Workshop or class

☐ Other

23. Number of activities/events *

The value must be a number

24. Estimated audience and/or people engaged *

The value must be a number

First Time Recipient and Dedicated Funding

25. Was this your first successful Arts Nova Scotia grant?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

26. Choose your level of agreement with the statements below. *

If you are unsure about how to respond to any of the questions, a response of "Not applicable" is acceptable.

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable
I/we are likely to apply to the Arts Equity Funding Initiative again	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
I/we are likely to apply to other Arts Nova Scotia programs	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
I/we felt supported throughout the application process	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
I/we have gained confidence in applying for grants	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
It is important for Arts Nova Scotia to have a dedicated program for equity-seeking artists	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

27. Use this space to add details about your answers above.

Accessibility Supports

28. Did you receive supplementary funding for accessibility supports for your project? *

Arts Equity Funding Initiative recipients who are Deaf or have disabilities are eligible to apply for access supports. See the [guidelines](#) for more details.

☐ Yes

☐ No

29. How much accessibility funding did you receive? *

The value must be a number

30. How did you spend the accessibility support funds? *

Financial Information

31. Please acknowledge that the financial information will be sent directly to the Program Officer. *

Use the original Financial Template from your application. Fill out the "actuals" column beside the "projections" column.

Email your completed Financial Template directly to david.goudie@novascotia.ca

Your report will not be considered complete until the financial report is received.

☐ I understand I must email the Financial Template directly to a program officer to complete my final report.

Sharing and Consent

32. May we feature your project on our website, social media, or in our annual report? *

Please email photos along with credit and caption information to the program officer.

☐ Yes

☐ No

33. Do you consent to quotes from this report for Arts Nova Scotia publications and reports? *

☐ Yes, include my name

☐ Yes, anonymously only

☐ No

Feedback

34. Do you have any suggestions to improve the grant program?

Declaration

By clicking Submit, I confirm that all the information provided is complete and true to the best of my knowledge.

This content is neither created nor endorsed by Microsoft. The data you submit will be sent to the form owner.

 Microsoft Forms