Canada Council for the Arts

The Canada Council for the Arts is proud to support the Governor General’s Performing Arts Awards and to celebrate outstanding performing artists who have enriched their art forms—and the lives of all Canadians.

As a founding member of the Governor General’s Performing Arts Awards Foundation, every year the Canada Council contributes $25,000 to each of the five winners of the Lifetime Artistic Achievement Awards ($125,000) in recognition of their contributions to Canada’s cultural life. Since 2000, the Council has contributed a total of $2,395,000.

Last year, as Canada’s national arts funder, the Council awarded more than $261.8 million in grants, prizes and services to professional artists and arts organizations in 1,936 communities across Canada. In the coming years, it will be increasing its investments in Canadian talent so that more and more Canadians can experience and benefit from it.

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