

Grosse Pointe Art Center
Grosse Pointe Artists Association
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APPLICATION

Frank and Carol Hennessey Poet/Writer-in-Residence Grant 2008

Supported by the Grosse Pointe Artists Association

Grant Description

This grant is intended to help support the residency of a poet, or, writer at the Grosse Pointe Art Center. It is sponsored by the Frank and Carol Hennessey Poet/Writer-in-Residence Grant with additional support from the Grosse Pointe Artists Association.

Aim

The aim of the Grosse Pointe Artists Association is to have the 2008 resident develop a program or programs that will foster a creative collaboration between the poet/writer resident, the members of the Grosse Pointe Artists Association, and the greater metropolitan community by enhancing the quality of cultural events at the Grosse Pointe Art Center. We encourage our Poet/Writer-in-residence to create a new literary activity.

Eligible Applicants

Poets, and, writers from Michigan who are eighteen years or older may apply.

Duration

Residency will be for 12 months, beginning in January 2008 and ending in December 2008 based on the grantee being present one day/evening per month at the GP Art Center.

Eligible Costs

There is a \$1,000 stipend for the resident poet/writer. Costs associated with resident's activities will require prior approval by the GPAA Board who will also take responsibility for all administrative aspects of the residency.

Application Procedure

The application should be made in the form of a letter to:
Grosse Pointe Art Center

Grosse Pointe Artists Association
1005 Maryland, Grosse Pointe Park,
Michigan, 48230

Attention: Poet/Writer-in-residence Application

Included in that letter should be a description of a proposed program for the residency, the timing of the collaboration, details of the proposed outcomes (e.g. exhibitions, websites or publications), and the anticipated benefits of the residency for both parties.

A resume should be attached. Those who qualify will be invited to present their proposal to the Poet/Writer in Residence Committee. The closing date for "2008 Application" letter is November 30, 2008.

Contact

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