

CREATIVITY GRANT January 2020

AWARDEES

ORGANIZATION/ ARTIST	COUNTY	DISCIPLINE	STATEMENT
Montgomery Philharmonic	Montgomery	Music	The funding is to support operational activities for the Montgomery Philharmonic's last two concerts of the 2019–20 season, and beginning of the 2020 summer sight reading sessions.
Christine Mosere	Frederick	Theatre	Christine Mosere will lead a group of artists under the group title Endangered Species (theatre) project to bring an East Coast Premiere of Kate Chopin's The Awakening -- in the Book-It Style (developed at Book-It Repertory theatre in Seattle) giving opportunities to 21 Maryland artists -- 13 actors, four musicians, and four designers.
Mind on Fire	Baltimore City	Multi-Discipline	Mind on Fire's goal is to present experimental art and music of all histories and disciplines with equal importance and excellence, to build a strong community of Baltimore's art appreciators, and to create a radically inclusive environment for people to have new experiences.
American Association of University Women	Garrett	Theatre	"Women's Monologues 2020", a production brought to you by the American Association of University Women-Garrett Branch, will feature reenactors who will highlight Maryland suffragist leaders who worked for women's voting rights in the 19th and early 20th centuries.
Stephen Nunns (Acme Corporation)	Baltimore City	Theatre	The Acme Corporation, Baltimore's critically acclaimed experimental theatre company, is planning to produce two works this year: "The First Thing That Happens," is a collaboration between Acme company member Lola B. Pierson and the Baltimore avant-garde rock band, Horse Lords, and a collection of short music theatre pieces in collaboration with contemporary music collective, Mind on Fire. Included in this evening of short works will be a work-in-progress presentation of "He Do The Police in Different Voices," a musical adaptation of T.S. Eliot's poem, "The Waste Land" by company member Stephen Nunns.
Michael Smith-Welch	Montgomery	Multi-Discipline	"64 Bits of Sound" is a sound sculpture that allows the visiting public to perform unique music with 64 computer-controlled motors distributed throughout a public space.
Jacqueline Hoysted	Montgomery	Visual/Media	The funds will be used towards the creation of a repeatable, immersive, interactive public participatory art project that speaks to the special role that fungi play in our ecosystem and the benefits of mutually beneficial symbiotic relationships.
Leila Cabib	Montgomery	Childrens Events	Free one-hour, hands-on animation workshops for children aged 10-14 will be offered at seven Montgomery County public libraries during the spring break 2020.
Highland Festival Garrett County	Garrett	Multi-Discipline	Planned, organized, and executed by 70+ dedicated volunteers, funding granted is used entirely to produce the annual Garrett County Celtic Festival, which supports regional performance artists who share the history, traditions, and culture of Scots/Irish/Welsh immigrants to Appalachian Maryland.