



2019 Application Form

The Business and the Arts Recognition Award was initiated in 1994 to recognize and encourage support from Ottawa's business community to the local arts sector. Nominators are asked to submit a letter outlining the business's involvement in the local cultural community, and how they have helped to support local artists.

The award recipient will receive a limited edition print by Geraldine Taylor from her "Ode to the Experimental Farm" series as well as an annual membership to the Ottawa Arts Council.



How to Apply

A business may be nominated by submitting filling out this form and gathering the required supporting documents, including a letter of nomination. The completed package should be submitted to awards@ottawaartscouncil.ca via [WeTransfer.com](https://www.wetransfer.com) or email before the deadline.

Please use [Adobe Acrobat](https://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat) to complete the PDF form.

Eligibility Criteria

Nominees for this award must:

- Be nominated by an individual or group who may not nominate more than one business per year.
- Be a business that has operated in the National Capital Region (defined as 75 km from Parliament Hill) for the previous two years.
- Be a business that supports the arts in Ottawa.
- Not have previously received this award.
- Not currently be supporting the Ottawa Arts Council or its programs.

Evaluation Criteria

- The nominee fully meets the eligibility criteria.
- The breadth and impact of the nominee's support on the Ottawa arts community.

Important Dates

- **Deadline for Applications: February 24, 2019**
- Awards Presentation: To Be Announced, May 2019

Nominator Information

Name			
Title			
Organisation			
Address			
City	Province		Postal Code
Phone	Email		

Statement of Acceptance

I assert that:

- The nominee meets the Eligibility Criteria for the award.
- I will abide by the decision of the peer assessment committee.
- I will keep the results confidential until the date of the public announcement.

I agree with the above statements. Yes No

Nominee Information

Name			
Title			
Organisation			
Address			
City	Province		Postal Code
Phone	Email		
Website			
Twitter	Instagram		Facebook

Support Documents

These documents will help the jury better understand the nominee's role in supporting Ottawa's cultural life.

The Nomination and Support Documents must be submitted via [WeTransfer.com](https://www.wetransfer.com) or email to awards@ottawaartscouncil.ca. Incomplete or late packages will not be reviewed by the jury.

Please include the following documents in the application:

Short Statement of Impact

A short text describing the nominee's impact (100 words or less).

Letter of Nomination

Describe the nominee's involvement in the local cultural community, and how they have helped to support local artists.

Additional Letters of Support

You may also include up to five pages of additional letters of support to strengthen the nomination.