

City of Houston
Major Arts and Culture Grant Programs

Contracted Agency	Services for use of Hotel Occupancy Tax (HOT) dedicated to the arts	Grant Program	Organizations Funded (2013)	Organizations Funded (2012)	Organizations Funded (2011)
Houston Arts Alliance ¹	Grants and programs to promote tourism and advance the arts	Open	126	147	166
Miller Theatre Advisory Board, Inc		Open	31	29	27
Museum District Improvement, Inc		Closed	11	11	11
Theater District Improvement, Inc		Closed	7	7	7
Granting Programs Summary					
Houston Arts Alliance	Grants made to organizations in all disciplines. Selection by peer panel using four criteria areas. Recipients are posted on website and annual report.				
Miller Theatre Advisory Board, Inc	Grants made to performing arts organizations. Selection by board committee using four criteria areas (as developed by HAA). Recipients are selected to present performances at Miller.				
Museum District Association	Grants made to a fixed number of organizations from the Museum District Association membership				
	<i>Member Organization</i>	<i>Funded Through</i>			
	Asia Society	HAA Grants Program			
	Buffalo Soldiers National Museum	HAA Grants Program			
	Children's Museum of Houston	Museum District			
	Contemporary Arts Museum Houston	Museum District			
	Czech Center Museum Houston	HAA Grants Program			
	The Health Museum	Museum District			
	Holocaust Museum Houston	Museum District			
	Houston Center for Contemporary Craft	HAA Grants Program			
	Houston Center for Photography	HAA Grants Program			
	Houston Museum of African American Culture	HAA Grants Program			
	Houston Museum of Natural Science	Museum District			
	Houston Zoo	Museum District			
	The John C. Freeman Weather Museum	HAA Grants Program			
	The Jung Center of Houston	Museum District			
	Lawndale Art Center	Museum District			
	The Menil Collection	Museum District			
	Museum of Fine Arts, Houston	Museum District			
	Rice University Art Gallery	Museum District			
	Rothko Chapel	HAA Grants Program			
Theater District Improvement, Inc	Grants made to a fixed number of organizations from the Theatre District Association membership				
	Alley Theatre				
	Da Camera of Houston				
	Houston Ballet				
	Houston Grand Opera				
	Houston Symphony				
	Society for the Performing Arts				
	Theatre Under the Stars				

¹ For two major grant programs: General Operating Support and Arts Projects. Does not include approximately 25 Individual Artist grants, 40 City Initiative grants, capacity building or special projects.

Open = advertised competitive application process

Closed = other method used