CFUW Creative Arts Award 2021

The CFUW Creative Arts Award was created to promote interest and involvement in the creative arts by engaging audiences and inspiring discussion.

1. **Amount of the Award** – $4,000; set by the CFUW Charitable Trust budget
2. **Frequency of the Award** – Biennial
3. **Eligibility to Apply** – Each submission received by the Library and Creative Arts Committee MUST be nominated by a CFUW Club local to the applicant.

* Applicants may be from: academic institutions, community centres, cultural centres, youth organizations, or any community-based organization/team/group.
* The following is a list of areas considered for this award: drama, music, graphic arts, cartooning, performing arts, film, publishing, galleries, museums, visual arts, crafts, choreography, comedy, creative writing, dance, digital media, graphic design, film, photography.

1. **Geographic Coverage** – within Canada
2. **Criteria for Selection** –

* Application clarity and presentation
* The nature of the proposed application; its originality and benefits to the community and audience
* How the project relates to the present needs of its community
* How the funding will be utilized
* How the project will have long-term impact in the community

1. **Selection of Winner** – The Committee maintains confidentiality in all steps of the decision-making process. The winner is recommended by the Library and Creative Arts Committee for approval by the CFUW Charitable Trust.
2. **Applications –** send to CFUW Executive Director, Robin Jackson (see #1 Application Instructions).
   1. The Library and Creative Arts Committee welcomes nominations from all CFUW Clubs and it will make its selection based on the established guidelines.
   2. Applications will be accepted from January 1to April 1, 2021.

* 1. The winner of the CFUW Creative Arts Award will be announced at the 2021 CFUW Virtual AGM and presented in the 2021 fiscal year.
  2. All sponsoring Clubs will receive a certificate of appreciation and a letter thanking them for their support.

Application Instructions

1. The Project Leader should submit the completed application electronically to [cfuwed@rogers.com](mailto:cfuwed@rogers.com) or by mail to National Office by April 1, 2021.
2. The following information should be included in the application:
3. Name of organization, team, or group
4. Names and contact information of Project Leaders
5. Statement of intent or purpose (300 words maximum)
6. Clear outline or brief of intended project, including a detailed budget and completion date
7. Completed Nomination Form from supporting CFUW Club
8. Questions should be directed to Valerie Hume, Chair of the Library and Creative Arts Committee ([valeriehume@rogers.com](mailto:valeriehume@rogers.com)).

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Nomination Form

Must be completed by the nominating CFUW Club and included with the award application.

Name of organization, team, or group:

Name of project:

Nominating CFUW Club:

#1 CFUW Member printed name:

#1 CFUW Member signature:

#2 CFUW Member printed name:

#2 CFUW Member signature: