

take pART Grants

Grant Award

[American Beethoven Society](#)

\$12,000

Grant will support the 27th Annual Young Pianists' Beethoven competition in Spring 2014, featuring a master Beethoven recitalist/clinician; a major exhibit in 2014 on "Singing Beethoven: Exploring His Vocal and Choral Works" in the Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Library; and the Beethoven String Quartet Cycle project in collaboration with SJ Chamber Music Society.

[Cambodian Cultural Dance Group](#)

\$7,500

(Cambodian American Resource Agency)

Grant will support the Cambodian Cultural Dance Troupe's provision of free weekly Cambodian classical and folk dance lessons to the public at the Tully Branch Library on Friday evenings from September 2013 thru April 2014. The dancers will also perform at a free Cambodian New Year Celebration in April 2014 and at a local high school in San Jose.

[CreaTV San Jose](#)

\$11,300

Grant will support the Film Arts Academy to mentor and instruct high school students and their teachers how to produce film and video beyond basic levels. With mentoring from professionals, students and teachers will learn camera techniques, storyboarding, audio recording, animation and documentary & narrative production.

[Gilbert & Sullivan Society of San Jose](#)

\$11,300

Grant will support the "Art in 3D" project consisting of three fully-staged operettas to be produced and presented at the Montgomery Theater: Gilbert & Sullivan's "Ruddigore" in six performances in October 2013; Gilbert and Sullivan's "The Mikado" in seven performances in March 2014, including a free midweek performance for school students; and Offenbach's "La Perichole" in six performances in June 2014.

[Mission Chamber Orchestra](#)

\$11,300

(Santa Clara Valley Performing Arts Association)

Grant will support the presentation of Mission Chamber Orchestra in 4 orchestral concerts featuring Mission Chamber Orchestra and professional soloists at Le Petit Trianon Trianon between September 2013 and June 2014.

[Northside Theatre Council](#)

\$12,000

Grant will support its five-play season with 16 performances per play; maintain its mentorship and free ticket programs and produce 3 plays for children ages 8-12 to perform within their communities.

[Opera Cultura](#)

\$12,500

Grant will support the production of Cuentos de Peregrinacion (Tales of Pilgrimage) – Creating Social Change Through Opera. This includes Song Cycle Opera, based on life stories generated by the East San Jose community and a preceding procession that integrates participatory arts experiences. The program commemorates the life of Cesar

Chavez and includes collaboration with the School of Arts and Culture, Teatro Campesino and Father John Pedigo of Guadalupe Church. Project begins in August 2013 and culminates on March 29th, 2014.

[Poetry Center San Jose](#)

\$8,400

(San Jose Center for Poetry and Literature)

Grant will support the Willow Glen Library Poetry Series of 12 readings, publication of 2013 Caesura, Youth Writing Camp, and Well-RED reading series. The events will occur at local venues including History Park, Le Petit Trianon, and the Willow Glen Library.

[Renegade Theatre Experiment](#)

\$10,900

Grant will support the production of its 2013/14 season which runs from July 2013 through February 2014. All performances will take place at the Historic Hoover Theatre, where the organization is the resident theatre company.

[Russian Music Competition](#)

\$12,800

(International Russian Music Piano Competition)

Grant will support the 15th Annual International Russian Music Piano Competition held from June 6-15, 2014 at Le Petit Trianon Theatre in downtown San Jose. Participants range in age from 6 to 32, and in 2014 the competition will attract over 100 contestants from 15 different countries. The competition is free of charge and open to the public.

[San Jose Chamber Music Society](#)

\$12,800

Grant will support its 2013-14 season of presenting six chamber music concerts and four concerts for school-age children. All concerts will take place at Le Petit Trianon concert hall.

[San Jose Chorale Project](#)

\$12,000

Grant will support two concerts as part of its 4-concert series celebration the organizations 18th season in 2013-14. One concert will feature the Canadian Brass on January 28, 2014 at St. Joseph's Cathedral and the other will be with the San Jose Chamber Orchestra on April 6, 2014 at Le Petit Trianon Theater.

[San Jose Downtown Foundation](#)

\$14,300

Grant will support the Downtown Doors youth art exhibit/competition in downtown San Jose. The project involves hundreds of middle and high school artists from Santa Clara County to create work specifically meant to fit onto otherwise stark single-, double- and triple-paned utility doors. Selected pieces are enlarged and placed on doors. The program includes 60 doors, 18 schools and more than 167 student submissions per year.

[Center for Literary Arts](#)

\$11,900

(San Jose State University Research Foundation)

Grant will support the Center for Literary Arts' three annual reading series: Major Authors, West Coast Writers, and Mt. Pleasant High School. Confirmed authors for 2013-2014 include Bosnian author Aleksandar Hemon, feminist writer and NPR

commentator Sandra Tsing-Loh, D.A. Powell, Alexander Chee and East Bay poet Barbara Jane Reyes. Events are held on the SJSU campus and Mt. Pleasant HS. All events are free and open to the public.

[Shady Shakespeare Theatre Company](#)

\$3,800

Grant will support Shakespeare San Jose in Willow Street Frank Bramhall Park. Shakespeare San Jose offers 11 performances of Shakespeare's Twelfth Night and is free to the public.

[sjDANCEco](#)

\$14,300

Grant will support its 11th Anniversary Performance Season: The October 2013 performances of sjDANCEco's performing company feature a World Premiere by a choreographer from outside company ranks – Kara Davis, over two nights at the California Theater, and the November 2013 and February 2014 performances of ChoreoProject at SJSU Dance Theater.

[South Bay Guitar Society](#)

\$12,800

Grant will support five guitar concerts by world class and local artists; 2 master classes presented by touring artists, 6 free library lecture/demonstrations by touring and local artists, 12 free Open Mics and one free concert for school age youth. Programming takes place at a variety of venues.

[Teatro Visión de San Jose](#)

\$11,300

Grant will support the production of a world premiere bilingual theatrical production of the B. Traven novel, The Third Guest, adapted for film in 1960 as "Macario." This new work will debut with eight performances from October 10-19, 2013 at the School of Arts and Culture at Mexican Heritage Plaza Theater.

[The Tabard Theatre Company](#)

\$11,300

Grant will support the 13th season of seven main stage productions: World Goes Round, 10x10x10, Elves & The Shoemaker; Duke Ellington's Nutcracker Suite, 1776, Farewell, Fitzgerald; and Crowns. The Tabard Theatre Company is the managing/resident theatre company of Theatre on San Pedro Square, where all performances will be held.

[Vivace Youth Chorus](#)

\$14,300

Grant will support the choral education program for children ages 4 to 18 from the greater San Jose area. The chorus offers a program of vocal training, music theory and performance as well as four formal concerts, 4-5 community concerts and a week-long summer camp.

[Winchester Orchestra](#)

\$8,800

Grant will support four concerts at Trinity Cathedral in downtown San Jose. Highlights of the season include A Rat's Tale by Henry Mollicone with the El Camino College Children's Choir, Suite from Le Coq D'or by Rimsky Korsakov, waltzes by Strauss, Corelli Christmas Concerto and more.

Works/San Jose

\$11,900

Grant will support a 3-pronged project series of three educational curatorial workshops, four major exhibition events, and three performance events. Curatorial workshops will take place in conjunction with exhibitions resulting from proposals that came from the past year's workshops. Major exhibitions will run six weeks beginning on the "First Friday" art walks in the SoFA district.