

# Support A Kala Fellowship Residency Today

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Help build a sustainable future for Kala and fuel artistic experimentation by supporting a Kala Fellow!

### **Overview**

For 40 years, Kala has annually awarded artists time, space, and financial support through its Fellowships. Kala's Fellowship program is respected around the world for the support it offers to artists, specialized resources spanning printmaking, photography, sculpture, and media arts, and the caliber of work artists are able to produce and share with the community while in residence. Fellowship artists receive a \$3,000 stipend, unlimited access to Kala's facilities for an artist residency up to nine months, enrollment in one free Kala class or workshop, and an exhibition in the Kala Gallery. Fellows coming to Kala from outside the Bay Area also receive one-month of housing.

# **The Challenge**

The National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) is no longer giving grants that Kala has benefited from for many years and we are turning to you, our community for help. Not only will your support shore up lost NEA funds, but it will also increase resources for incoming Fellowship artists



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# **Named Fellowship Opportunities**

Sponsoring a Fellowship isn't just a gift—it's an experience. We invite you to lead the way when you support a Fellowship at Kala. Follow your heart and be creative about your designation. You can establish a Fellowship based on a specific discipline or region, or you can choose another distinct characteristic. And you can select from a variety of opportunities to engage with Fellowship artists and with Kala.

### DESIGNATE BY DISCIPLINE

Kala artists work across disciplines—printmaking, book arts, photography, painting/drawing, media arts, performing arts, textiles, ceramics, sculpture, installation, and more. You can choose to support artists working in a particular discipline via a named Fellowship.

### DESIGNATE BY REGION

Artists from all over the world are awarded Kala Fellowship residencies. You can choose to support a Named Fellowship for artists from the Bay Area, elsewhere in the U.S., or internationally from a specific region, state, or country.

### MEET THE ARTISTS

Kala offers meaningful ways for you to connect with each of the Fellowship artists you support. Opportunities could encompass a studio visit at Kala, lunch or dinner with the artists, and more.

### RECOGNITION

Name your fellowship with your own name, company name, or in honor or memory of a friend, colleague, artist or loved one. We will recognize your generosity with your name in Kala's annual reports and newsletters, on our website, and displayed at the Fellowship exhibition.

# **Champion Creativity and Invest In Artists**

- \$5-\$4,999 all gifts add up to make a big difference in sustaining Kala's Fellowship Residencies
- \$5,000 per year supports a Kala Fellowship artist from the Bay Area
- \$10,000 per year supports a Kala Fellowship artist from the US, outside of the Bay Area
- \$12,000 per year supports a new Curatorial Fellowship for a Bay Area curator and exhibition
- \$15,000 per year supports an international Kala Fellowship artist
- \$20,000 per year supports the annual Fellowship exhibition
- \$20,000+ per year supports Fellows, the exhibition, and equipment upgrades in Kala's studios



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## **Learn more**

Please contact Kala's Co-Executive Director, ellen@kala.org, 510-520-6438 to learn more about how you can support artists via a Named Fellowship at Kala.