



## Privacy Statement

The Canada Council for the Arts has hired the research consulting firm CRG to administer an online survey to better understand the challenges and needs of the arts sector in Canada. Data collected will help shape an accurate and up-to-date picture of the current state of the sector nationally, and to draw an evidence-based portrait that can be used by all of us to ensure sustainable support for the arts in Canada. Data collected will remain solely and exclusively property of the Canada Council. The contractors are not allowed to use or share the personal information for any purpose not specifically authorized and will not retain any copy of it beyond the date of expiry of the contract. Personal information provided by you for this survey is collected on a voluntary basis.

Only the following groups will have access to the data:

- The contractually approved, Canada-based research consulting firm, CRG.

Any results, tables or summaries made available to requestors or posted to the Canada Council website will be provided in a manner that preserves and protects survey respondent confidentiality and personal information.

The information collected will not be redistributed.

For respondent confidentiality purposes, the Canada Council will not publish aggregate data where the cell size could, in the reasonable opinion of the Council, result in the disclosure of confidential personal information.

The personal information collected will not be used to make decisions about you.

The personal information under the control of the Canada Council for the Arts is subject to the [Privacy Act](#), which establishes the requirements for its collection, creation, accuracy, use, disclosure, retention and protection. It is associated with Personal Information Bank number [CC ART 202](#).

In accordance with the *Privacy Act*, you have a right to request access to any personal information kept about you by the Canada Council for the Arts and to request its correction. You also have the right to complain to the [Privacy Commissioner of Canada](#) regarding any of the aspects referred to above.

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