

Wednesday, May 17

Juvenile Justice and Arts Education Conversation

REGISTER NOW!

May 24
3:30–5p.m. EDT

Zoom



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On May 24, AEP is hosting a **Juvenile Justice and Arts Education Conversation** from 3:30-5 p.m. EDT. This virtual event is for those interested in or currently doing work at the intersection of arts, education and juvenile justice across the country. We invite you to join this national conversation focused on fostering collaboration and information sharing among attendees.

Check Out AEP's Newest Partners and Affiliates!

We're excited to announce our newest affiliates!

- **Amanda Masterpaul**

- [ArtsEd Tennessee](#)
- [Beyond the Stage](#)
- [Cold Narly Music Academy](#)
- [Florida Children's Museum](#)
- [FutureMakers](#)
- [Maine Alliance for Arts Education](#)
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Are you interested in becoming an AEP partner or affiliate? Learn about our application process [here](#).

Welcome AEP's New Policy Analyst

We're excited to welcome Daizha Brown as AEP's new policy analyst! Prior to joining the team, Daizha worked as a policy researcher for Education Commission of the States. Daizha believes in creating equitable education policies to ensure all students in this country have a fair opportunity at pursuing a comprehensive education. You can reach Daizha at dbrown@ecs.org.

News From Our Partners and Affiliates

Educational Theatre Foundation's Pathway Grant

Applications are now open for Educational Theatre Foundation's **Pathway Grant**! Pathway reaches out to traditionally underserved populations with a specific goal of enhancing the school theatre experience and its impact on the students and their community. The program provides \$10,000 grants to help with the expenses of putting on a production, and match the teacher and students with working professionals to serve as mentors.

Applications are due **May 31**.

More Arts = More Benefits for Kids

The Wallace Foundation recently spoke with Brian Kisida and Daniel Bowen about their study on the **causal effects of arts education** in 42 Houston schools. Their research found that: "Compared with the control group, the schools with extra arts experiences saw improvements in student behavior and increases in standardized writing achievement scores. The researchers also conducted surveys that showed an increase in students' compassion for others, higher engagement in school, and stronger college aspirations."

Arts for Learning Maryland Resource Guide and Principal Fellowship Program

Arts for Learning Maryland released its **2023-24 Resource Guide**! This guide includes arts programs, partnership opportunities and grants for schools.

Arts for Learning Maryland also opened applications for its **Principal Fellowship Program**! This program supports 14 outstanding principals—from Baltimore City and Prince George's County—in developing an action plan that utilizes the arts for school-wide improvement. Principals will receive a \$500 honorarium and up to \$2,000 in funding to support their plan.

Applications are due **June 16**.

News From the Field

Justice-Involved People to Regain Use of Federal Pell Grants

For nearly three decades, people involved in the justice system have not been able to access federal Pell Grants to pay for college courses offered in prison. That will change this summer. Listen to the whole story on **Here & Now**.

Artificial Intelligence in Art School

As artificial intelligence (AI) technology continues to improve, change and evolve, more conversations are taking place about the **effects AI will have on education**. These conversations are becoming more frequent in many art schools, with a wide range of opinions from faculty. Motherboard spoke with

teachers and students from different universities to learn how schools are dealing with the rise of these technologies.



In our latest ArtsEd Amplified posts, Alex Chadwell writes about how to create **cultural democracy in the classroom**, and Ella Rosewood writes about **teaching dance styles** when you're not the expert.

Check out these other ArtsEd Amplified posts to learn more about what our community is working on!

- **Creative Healing** by Gerri Kirby
- **What's New to ArtScan in 2023?** by Krystal Johnson
- **Transforming Wyoming's Juvenile Justice System: The Power of Creative Arts** by Kelsey Giroux

Are you eager to share your work with others? **Submit your idea** for ArtsEd Amplified!

Events

- **2023 AAM Annual Meeting & MuseumExpo** | American Alliance of Museums, May 19-22, Denver, CO
- **2023 AAEE Conference** | Association of Arts Administration Educators, June 1-4, New York City, NY
- **2023 National PTA Virtual Convention** | National PTA, June 15-24, Virtual
- **International Thespian Festival** | Educational Theatre Association, June 19-23, Bloomington, IN
- **National Forum on Educational Policy** | Education Commission of the States, July 12-14, Minneapolis, MN

- **Advocacy Day** | Educational Theatre Association, July 18-19, Washington, D.C.
 - **AEP 2023 Annual Convening** | Arts Education Partnership, Sept. 13-14, Portland, OR
 - **2023 EdTA Theatre Education Conference** | Educational Theatre Association, Sept. 28-30, St. Pete Beach, FL
 - **ACTIVATE** | Arts Ed Collaborative, October 9, Pittsburgh, PA
 - **Conference for Community Arts Education** | National Guild for Community Arts Education, April 2024, Washington, D.C.
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Career Opportunities

Northeast

- **Director of Learning, Community Engagement and Inclusion** | Orchestra Lumos, Stamford, CT
- **Executive Director** | Spruce Peak Arts, Stowe, VT
- **Executive Director** | Hoff-Barthelson Music School, Scarsdale, NY
- **Assistant Educator, Interpretation, Research and Digital Learning** | The Museum of Modern Art, New York City, NY

Mid-Atlantic

- **Coordinator, Visual and Media Arts** | Pittsburgh Public Schools, Pittsburgh, PA
- **Education Patrons Services Manager** | Round House Theatre, Silver Spring, MD
- **Member Services Coordinator** | Advisory Board for the Arts, Washington, D.C.

South

- **Director of Choral Activities** | Orange County Public Schools, Winter Park, FL

Midwest

- **Director of Community Engagement & Education** | Red Clay Dance Company, Chicago, IL
- **Executive Director, Arts Education** | Chicago Public Schools, Chicago, IL

- **Executive Director** | Dayton Contemporary Dance Company, Dayton, OH

Southwest

- **Director and Executive Director** | City of Mesa Arts & Culture Department and Mesa Arts Center, Mesa, AZ

West Coast

- **Education and Volunteer Programs Manager** | Patricia Valian Reser Center for the Creative Arts, Corvallis, OR
- **Education & Community Engagement Manager** | Gay Men's Chorus of Los Angeles, West Hollywood, CA
- **Early Childhood Teaching Artist** | Luna Dance Academy, Berkeley, CA
- **President and CEO** | Music Academy, Santa Barbara, CA



Did you know? A study from 2012 found that through the arts, teens can create a supportive community, connect and be more open and participatory, engage more civically and become more involved in their communities in general.

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Have news to share?

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