



Presents **ARTvantage** Program Grant Workshops

The Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC) is pleased to announce the FY 2011 deadline for the *ARTvantage* Grant Program: **Thursday, January 14, 2010**. The purpose of this grant is to provide opportunities for people to experience and participate in a wide range of art forms and activities, enable arts organizations and artists to expand and diversify their audiences, extend the arts to underserved populations and emphasize the potential of the arts to help strengthen communities. This grant must be submitted in collaboration with another non-profit organization incorporated in Maryland. Grant awards range from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

If you are interested in applying to this program, or if you have questions about the application or the application process, please join us for an *ARTvantage* Program grant workshop.

WORKSHOP I: Wednesday, December 9, 2009 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM	WORKSHOP II: Tuesday, December 15, 2009 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM
Location: Maryland State Arts Council 175 W. Ostend Street, Suite E Baltimore, MD 21230	Location: Maryland Hall for the Creative Arts 801 Chase Street Annapolis, MD 21401
Website: www.msac.org	Website: www.mdhallarts.org

Registration is a must! To register, please email the name and organization of each attendee, along with the workshop date, to msac@msac.org. Please write "*ARTvantage* Grant Workshop" in the subject line.

Questions??? Contact *Shirley Howard, Program Director*, at showard@msac.org or 410-767-6542.

MSAC is accessible to persons with disabilities. If you require special accommodations, please contact Sharon Blake, Accessibility Coordinator, at 410-767-6536 or sblake@msac.org at least two weeks prior to the date of the workshop.



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