

REIMAGINATION

IMAGINING OUR CREATIVE FUTURE

ARMORY ART CENTER

Beginning 2020 with an optimistic outlook, the Armory Art Center, like all other organizations, was challenged by the COVID-19 global pandemic and crisis. Forced to close for several weeks, the leadership team quickly moved to capitalize on the opportunity to explore fresh ideas for the organization. As we look ahead to the exciting future of the Armory Art Center, we are thrilled to share with you what our Reimagination plan includes!

The Armory Art Center needs to secure \$4,000,000 over the next two years in order to execute our entire Reimagination plan.



The Armory Art Center is housed in our cornerstone Art Deco historic building which was constructed in 1939. For over 30 years, the Armory has operated out of the same facility, with little to no structural updates. The 82-year old roof is falling in and the ancient windows are falling out. Dependable air conditioners are vital as we prepare to enter the hot summer months. Electrical and plumbing issues may become hazardous.

As we look to our creative future and our Reimagination, we are in dire need of significant capital improvements, totaling nearly \$3,500,000.

- New Roof All Buildings
- New Windows Main Building
- Upgrade Air Conditioning Systems All Buildings
- New HVAC/Filter System All Buildings
- New Entrance Doors All Buildings
- Upgrade Plumbing, Gutter, and Drainage Systems
- New Flooring Main Building
- Upgrade Security and Fire Panel
- Upgrade Electrical
- Install New Fire Doors Main Building
- Upgrade Lighting All Buildings
- Upgrade Sound Systems and Soundproofing All Buildings
- Upgrade Internet to Fiber Optic All Buildings
- Expand Storage and Shelving Options
- New Signage All Buildings

The Armory Art Center is applying for a Historic Preservation Grant through the State of Florida. This matching grant will help the Armory upgrade and preserve the main historic Armory building. Help us make the match for \$1,000,000 by contributing to the Armory Art Center's Creative Future!

Exclusive naming opportunities are available!
Benefits of contributions include: a plaque featuring your name, recognition at all major events and in media, invitation to attend the exclusive captial update ribbon-cutting event, and additional customizable benefits.



Career Building at the Armory is a new program designed to prepare young people for employment in two non-degree fields: jewelry repair and fashion tailoring. Our goal is to provide an alternative to college for students who struggle academically by arming them with knowledge, skills, and real-life experiences to help them secure a job and develop a career.

The program is comprised of three sessions: Skills, Techniques, and Design; Career Coaching and Job Search Preparation; and Internship in the Field.

Our goal is to offer as many scholarships as possible to underserved populations and to those in great financial need.

This new program will require significant support in order to provide the appropriate equipment, supplies, instruction, and opportunities to participants. Your support not only offers exclusive naming opportunities, but the opportunity to be a large part of the beginning of a transformational program!

Please review the enclosed form for specific Career Building at the Armory sponsorship opportunities!





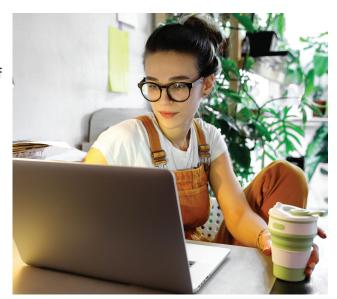


The Armory Art Center's new **Video Art Education Series** will include ten episodes of educational videos that will feature lectures from art experts and world-class instructors as well as exclusive access to private in-home art collections from both local and national collectors of all types of art.

This online series will offer the opportunity for the Armory Art Center to expand our reach beyond our local community.

We hope that you will consider sponsoring an episode to help cover the costs of creating, filming, and marketing this exciting and innovative series! Benefits of naming an episode include: exlcusive opportunity to market yourself and/or business at the start of each episode, recognition at all major events and in all media, and additional customizable benefits.

Please review the enclosed form for specific Video Art Education Series sponsorship opportunities!





The Armory Art Center's **Artist-in-Residence** program is a highly competitive nine-month residency which attracts a diverse group of emerging artists within varied disciplines who have earned a minimum of Bachelor of Fine Arts. The available positions are in Ceramics, Sculpture, 2-Dimensional, Jewelry, and Exhibition Curation. These artists can also have the opportunity to work with our outreach for under-served youth and trauma programs.

The Armory Art Center plans to expand this program by the addition of one residency for a **Resident Master Artist** each year. The Resident Master Artist would spend nine-months at the Armory teaching master classes, teaching the artists-in-

residence, and creating artwork for patrons.

A Resident Master Artist and five Artists-in-Residence offer the Armory Art Center the opportunity to provide more classes, specialty workshops, and exhibitions to our community. They are an essential part of our programming and we cannot have them here without your support!

Benefits of sponsoring an artist include: exclusive access to the artist and their collection of work, recognition at all major events and in all media, opportunity to host an event in honor of your sponsored artist, gift of select piece of artwork from the artist, and additional customizable benefits.

Please review the enclosed form for specific Artist-in-Residence and Resident Master Artist sponsorship opportunities!











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To make a contribution to the Reimagination Campaign:

- 1. Visit our website at www.armoryart.org/make-a-gift
- 2. Call Natalie Beck, Director of Development at 561.832.1776 x100
- 3. Use the provided form to mail your gift to:

Armory Art Center

Attn: Reimagination

811 Park Place

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

For questions and additional information, please contact Natalie Beck, Director of Development, at 561.832.1776 x100 or natalie.beck@armoryart.org.



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Awarded Nonprofit of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches



The Legacy Award at the Muse Awards by the Cultural Council of Palm Beach County



Best place to take an art class by Florida Weeky



Finalist for Best Entertainment and Leisure (Art Gallery) by the Palm Beach Post



Nominee for Outstanding Medium Size Nonprofit by Nonprofits First



Yes! I'd like to make a tax-deductible gift to the Armory Art Center Reimagination Campaign.



Reimagination Sponsorship Opportunities

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	The Armory Art Center welcomes contri	butions of any size to the Reimagination Campaign.
Capital Improvements We are in dire need of significant capital improvements, totaling nearly \$3,500,000.		Artist-in-Residence A highly competitive nine-month residency which attracts a diverse group of emerging artists within varied disciplines.
□ \$ 250,000 [☐ I would like my gift to be	☐ \$ 75,000 - Resident Master Artist
□ \$100,000	included in the Historic Preservation Grant Match.	This naming opportunity includes cost of housing the artist for 9-months.
□ \$ 50,000		☐ \$ 10,000 - 2D Artist-in-Residence
□ \$ 25,000	☐ I am interested in an exclusive naming opportunity.	☐ \$ 10,000 - Ceramics Artist-in-Residence
□ \$ 10,000		\square \$ 10,000 - Exhibition Curation Artist-in-Residence
□ \$ 5,000		☐ \$ 10,000 - Jewelry Artist-in-Residence
☐ Other		\square \$ 10,000 - Sculpture Artist-in-Residence
Video Art Education Series		☐ Other
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Collector's In-Home Se	ries Lecture Series	non-degree fields.
☐ \$ 12,500 - Episode	e 1	☐ \$ 50,000 - Career Building Program
☐ \$ 12,500 - Episode	e 2	☐ \$ 25,000 - Jewelry Repair Program
☐ \$ 12,500 - Episode	e 3	☐ \$ 25,000 - Fashion Tailoring Program
☐ \$ 12,500 - Episode	e 4	\square \$ 5,000 - One Year Scholarship for One Student
☐ \$ 12,500 - Episode	e 5	☐ Other
☐ Other	☐ Other	
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION \$_		
Name		— ☐ Charge my Credit Card
Address		Name on Card
City	StateZip	Card NumberExpCvv
PhoneEmail		☐ Check made payable to the Armory Art Center enclosed

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