



TEACHING ARTIST PROJECT

2022

SUMMER INSTITUTE ART AS ACTIVISM IN THE CLASSROOM

Summer Institute 2022 is a three day intensive virtual workshop series for teaching artists of all disciplines. This year we will focus on art as activism or “artivism”. These past 2 years our students have continued to experience extreme societal upheaval and social injustices amidst multiple pandemics. We believe it is our job as teaching artists to help them navigate these events, their emotions, and their response to the world through art-making. During this three day intensive, teaching artists across the country will work with Teaching Artist Project (TAP) staff to develop skills, lessons, and activities that will help support their students and bring artivism into learning spaces. Join us this summer to expand your ability to bridge art and activism, deepen your teaching practice with experiential, inquiry and reflection processes. Connect with teaching artists from around the country, and build new strategies for creating a positive classroom culture.

Summer Institute's training curriculum is based on Community-Word Project's "creative process" exploration methods, teaching practices and arts-in-education philosophy developed over 23 years. We recommend that teaching artists have at least some facilitation experience (1-2 years) before applying.

WORKSHOPS:

The following dates are mandatory for all participants:

Workshop 1: July 21, 2022 (10-12pm, one hour break, 1-3pm)

Workshop 2: July 22, 2022 (10-12pm, one hour break, 1-3pm)

Workshop 3: July 23, 2022 (12-2pm, one hour break, 3-5pm)

MEET & GREETES:

May 23 Monday 5pm-6pm EST

June 2 Thursday, 5pm-6pm EST

June 13 Monday, 11am-12pm EST

Applicants can register for the Meet & Greetes at the links or by filling out the application.

APPLICATION:

The complete application and guidelines can be found [here](#). The deadline to apply is Monday, June 13th, 2022. There is an early bird deadline of Friday, May 27th, 2022 as well. Those applicants who apply early will receive \$100 off their tuition if accepted.

ACCESSIBILITY:

Teaching Artist Project is committed to providing opportunities for all of our members to participate in our programs and engage with one another. Should you require any accessibility services, please contact tap@communitywordproject.org.

FINANCES:

Teaching Artist Project strives to be an affordable alternative to higher education for working artists. The total tuition amount due for the Summer Institute 2022 is \$400. An Early Bird Special of \$100 off marked tuition price will be offered to all applications received before Friday, May 27th, 2022.

Scholarships: Scholarship funds are available. If you believe that you qualify for consideration, please submit a one-page request letter. Explain why you qualify for financial aid and describe what your participation will bring to the training. Please include scholarship requests in your application submission. Payment Plans are available upon request.

QUESTIONS?

Please see our Frequently Asked Questions page on our website for more information: <https://www.teachingartistproject.org/frequently-asked-questions>.

Visit our website www.teachingartistproject.org

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