

Call for Letters of Interest

EPL Featured Creators

We are accepting letters of interest from local writers, musicians, and artists for four positions each as Featured Creators. The successful candidates will be featured on a quarterly basis in 2025 by the Edmonton Public Library.

Goals of Featured Creators

- To provide support to local writers, musicians, and artists in spreading the word about their work.
- To raise the profile of local writers, musicians, and artists in the minds of Edmontonians.

The successful applicants will:

- be featured on EPL's webpage.
- work with EPL's Capital City team to plan one workshop to be held during their assigned quarter either virtually online or at EPL locations.
- participate in a digital component such as a book list or blog.

An honorarium of \$250 will be provided for the creator's time.

Requirements:

- Resident of the Greater Edmonton Area; or is a member of the Treaty 6 First Nations within the provincial borders of Alberta; or is a member of a Metis Settlement within the provincial borders of Alberta.
- Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada.
- Minimum of one published, recorded, or exhibited/sold work from the last two years.
- Active participant in a local arts community.
- Currently working on a project intended for publication, recording or exhibiting, and/or sale.

From the submissions that have met the above criteria, the selection committee will select local creators that:

- represent the diversity of genres, style and form that make up Edmonton's arts landscape.
- represent the diverse demographics of Edmontonians in terms of ethnicity and gender.

Letters of interest must clearly outline how you meet the requirements laid out above. If applicable, please describe any prior experience offering related programming and/or workshops.

Deadline: **11:59 PM, October 31, 2024**. Please submit letter of interest electronically in PDF format to: <u>CapitalCityTeam@epl.ca</u>

Spread the words.