Click [here](#) to access the application portal.

Before you begin filling out the application form online, we recommend going through this checklist to make sure you’ve assembled all the information and material you’ll need. If you have any questions at any point during this application process, please email [artistservices@maaa.org](mailto:artistservices@maaa.org)

1. **Contact Information**
   - ☐ First Name, Last Name
   - ☐ Email Address
   - ☐ Mailing Address
   - ☐ Phone Number
   - ☐ Website (optional)

2. **Artist Application Information**
   - ☐ Artistic Discipline
   - ☐ Optional: What identities do you hold that you believe are relevant to share?
     Including but not limited to race, ethnicity, disability, class, sexual orientation, gender identity, caregiver, parent (or guardian) with child(ren), veteran/active duty military, rural resident, English as a second language. For example, “I am a Taiwanese American cis-gender female, first generation immigrant living in rural Arkansas.” (max 100 words)
   - ☐ Describe your creative practice
     *In your own words describe your artistic practice. Provide a written response (max 300 words) describing your work, your primary motivation for creating work, and/or projects and accomplishments you’re excited about. *Option to submit an audio/video
   - ☐ What do you want your arts career to look like five years from now? How do you think the Artist INC program will advance your practice and/or career?
In your own words, share your goals and aspirations for your career, where do you see your arts career five years from now? Provide a written response (max 300 words). *Option to submit an audio/video

3. Work Sample and Description Uploads
   Select one of the following options:
   - ☐ Provide a URL Link to a website that reflects your current creative practice (including, but not limited to personal website, social media, or other website that feature or provide examples of your creative practice.)
   - OR
   - ☐ Include up to a total of four artwork samples reflect your current creative practice and include a short work sample description (see Artist INC Application Guideline FAQ for image upload requirements)

4. Accessibility Information (optional)
   Mid-America Arts Alliance is committed to serving all our constituents. More art for more people means that arts experiences should be accessible to all. Please let us know how we can increase access and provide any accessibility support for you to participate in the program. For more information on M-AAA commitment to accessibility, please visit https://www.maaa.org/about/accessibility/

5. Demographic Information
   Our organization values diversity, seeking to be inclusive and accessible to all applicants. For this reason, we request information on race/ethnicity, gender, and other identifiers of all applicants. To learn more about how M-AAA is addressing equity, please visit https://www.maaa.org/about/addressing-equity/