



SHEVCHENKO FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES GRANTS TO INDIVIDUALS COVID-19 RECOVERY PROGRAM:

Up to 90% of total budget is eligible for funding assistance

In response to emergent difficulties and financial pressures caused by the pandemic to undertake projects initiated by grant applications from individuals, the Shevchenko Foundation has amended its granting policy of limiting eligible assistance for individuals to 50% of total project or program costs.

For the period April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022 the Shevchenko Foundation will fund *up to 90% of project or program costs of approved grants submitted by individual applicants*. All other eligibility and assessment criteria remain the same.

This amendment recognizes that individuals are a key component to advancing the Shevchenko Foundation's mission. For the contributions of individuals to be diminished, even for a short period of pandemic restrictions, is a setback for our community. Individual artists and community animators are imaginative, have great creative capacity, and are flexible to adapt to change.

Applicants are required to provide evidence of complying with locally approved public presentation / participation Covid-19 protocols. This compliance cannot be based on anticipated future easing of restrictions, but must recognize those which are "in place". The Shevchenko Foundation realizes restrictions are in constant change and we will do our best to respond to applicant's contingency plans with a spirit of flexibility.

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