

Keepers of Our Heritage

Traditional Arts Apprenticeship Grants 1995-2012

Ash Basket Making

1996 Newton E. Washburn, Master Artist (Western Abenaki)
Irene Ames, Apprentice

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Theresa Clothey, Apprentice

1999 Alice Ogden, Master Artist
Bethany Polston, Apprentice

2002 Jeanne Brink, Master Artist (Western Abenaki Ash & Sweet grass Fancy)
Elizabeth Charlebois, Apprentice

2002 Newton E. Washburn, Master Artist (Western Abenaki)
Brooke Eastman, Apprentice

2005 Jeanne Brink, Master Artist (Western Abenaki Ash & Sweet grass Fancy)
Sherry Gould, Apprentice

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Elizabeth Charlebois, Apprentice

2006 Newton E. Washburn, Master Artist (Western Abenaki),
Sherry Gould, Apprentice

2007 Liana Haubrich, Master Artist
Sonja Heyck-Merlin, Apprentice

2010 Sherry Gould, Master Artist (Western Abenaki Ash & Sweet grass Fancy)
Denise Pouliot, Apprentice

2012 Sherry Gould, Master Artist (Western Abenaki Ash & Sweet grass Fancy)
Julie Keith, Apprentice

2012 William R. Gould, Master Artist
Stephen Lewko, Apprentice

Blacksmithing

1997 David Court, Master Artist
Garry Kalajian, Apprentice

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Miles Amaral, Apprentice

2009 Lucian Avery, Master Artist
Nathan Colpitts, Apprentice

2009 Garry Kalajian, Master Artist
Mike Cook, Apprentice

2012 David Court, Master Artist
Matthias Nevins, Apprentice

2012 Garry Kalajian, Master Artist
Scott Kemp, Apprentice

Bluegrass Mandolin

2007 Skip Gorman, Master Artist
Andrew Sicard, Apprentice

Bluegrass Banjo

2009 Bruce Stockwell, Master Artist
Bill Jubett, Apprentice

Blues, Jazz & American Roots Music

2010 TJ Wheeler, Master Artist
Connor Wybranowski, Apprentice

2012 TJ Wheeler, Master Artist
Aubrey Harris, Apprentice

Boat Building

1996 Gordon Hale Swift, Master Artist
John Noon, Apprentice

1998 Jeffrey Fogman, Master Artist
Teresa Ainaire, Apprentice

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2003 Kevin Martin, Master Artist
Kenny Martin, Apprentice

Bow & Arrow Making

1999 Robert Holzhauser, Master Artist
Josh Fixler, Apprentice

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Ansley Stevens, Apprentice

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Bryan Gibbons, Apprentice

Chinese Dance

2007 KeKe, Master Artist
Ree-Ven Wang Dai, Apprentice

2008 Chu Ling, Master Artist
Kung-Tai Tsay, Apprentice

2009 Ke Ke, Master Artist
Ree-Ven Wang Dai, Apprentice

2012 Na Zhou, Master Artist
Ree-Ven Wang Dai, Apprentice

Cooperage

2002 Ron Raiselis, Master Artist
Michael Dwyer, Apprentice

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Cooperage Continued

2009 Ron Raiselis, Master Artist
Glenn Lael, Apprentice

Decorative Painting

1999 Helen Learned, Master Artist
Beverly Nemetz, Apprentice

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Decoy Carving

1995 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Shawn Gillis, Apprentice

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1999 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Randall Clark, Apprentice

1999 Michael Harde, Master Artist
Jim Sweeney, Apprentice

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Randall Clark, Apprentice

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2004 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Gary Trotter, Apprentice

2005 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Jonathan Greenwood, Apprentice

2007 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Nathan Bronnenburg, Apprentice

2008 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Brian Huggins, Apprentice

2009 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
David Kittredge, Apprentice

2010 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Jeffrey Huntington, Apprentice

2011 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
Brendan Dolan, Apprentice

2012 Fred Dolan, Master Artist
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Dog Sled Making

1995 Edward Moody, Master Artist
Jeffrey Johnson, Apprentice

2005 Joel Nordholm, Master Artist
Karen Jones, Apprentice

2011 Karen Jones, Master Artist
Ryan Cottrell, Apprentice

Dried Floral Wreath Making

1999 Sandra Ann Yacek, Master Artist
Monique Pare, Apprentice

East Indian Dance

1997 Jasmine Shah, Master Artist
Rachanna Patel, Apprentice

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Lamees Aziz, Apprentice

Fly Tying

1995 Farrow Alley, Master Artist
Rita Edington, Apprentice

1995 James Warner, Master Artist
Charles Stanton, Apprentice

1996 Ellis Hatch, Master Artist
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Timothy Ryan, Apprentice

2001 Ellis Hatch, Master Artist
Michael Daum, Apprentice

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Larry Davis, Apprentice

2008 Ellis Hatch, Master Artist
Daniel Hashem, Apprentice

Fly Tying (Classic Atlantic Salmon)

1999 Mark Favorite, Master Artist
Mitchell Kalter, Apprentice

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Fred Ulmer, Apprentice

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Richard Estes, Apprentice

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Bob Wyatt, Apprentice

2006 Bob Wyatt, Master Artist
Larry Antonuk, Apprentice

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Shane Piroso, Apprentice

2009 Bob Wyatt, Master Artist
Chris Clark, Apprentice

2012 Larry Antonuk, Master Artist
Margaret Brenner, Apprentice

French Canadian Fiddling

1995 Joseph Robichaud, Master Artist
Denise Doucette, Apprentice

1995 Marcel Robidas, Master Artist
Natalie Duval, Apprentice

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Denise Doucette, Apprentice

French Canadian Fiddling Continued

1996 Marcel Robidas, Master Artist
William Zecker, Apprentice

1997 Wilson Langlois, Master Artist
James Pero, Apprentice

1997 Marcel Robidas, Master Artist
Lorraine Hughes, Apprentice

1998 Joseph Robichaud, Master Artist
Denise Doucette, Apprentice

1999 Marcel Robidas, Master Artist
Jared Moreau, Apprentice

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Mary Rose Lord, Apprentice

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Jana Merrithew, Apprentice

2003 Wilson Langlois, Master Artist
Daniel Daly, Apprentice

2005 Donna Hebert, Master Artist
Judith Aucoin Olson, Apprentice

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2011 Rodney Miller, Master Artist
Paul Lizotte, Apprentice

2011 Patrick Ross, Master Artist
Dalton Binette, Apprentice

French Canadian Singing

1999 Lucie Therrien, Master Artist
Ginie Murphy, Apprentice

2002 Lucie Therrien, Master Artist
John Reynolds, Apprentice

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Michael Duclos, Apprentice

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Susan Poulin, Apprentice

French Canadian Woodcarving

1999 Robert Morin, Master Artist
Alanna Kelley, Apprentice

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Furniture Making

1999 Terry Moore, Master Artist
Joshua Stevens, Apprentice

2006 David Lamb, Master Artist
Sean Connin, Apprentice

Hand Hewing & Ax Craft

2005 Dan Dustin, Master Artist
Buddy Carchide, Apprentice

Harness & Saddle Making

2008 Russell Bigelow, Master Artist
Richard Keith LaRiviere, Apprentice

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Instrument Building & Repair

2006 Jim Robinson, Master Artist
Craig Brunson, Apprentice

Irish & New England Contra Dance Flute Playing

2004 Sarah Bauhan, Master Artist
Sarah Nash, Apprentice

Irish Fiddling

1995 Roger Burridge, Master Artist
Jacob Stewart, Apprentice

Irish Harp Playing

2008 Regina Delaney, Master Artist
Zach Adinolfi, Apprentice

Japanese Bonsai

2010 Andrew Lenz, Master Artist
Candy Shirey, Apprentice

Latvian Weaving

1997 Zaiga Uпитas, Master Artist
Connie Gray, Apprentice

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Native American Bead Work (Northeast Woodland)

2012 Deborah Dostie, Master Artist
Vicki Blanchard, Apprentice

New England & Cape Breton Fiddling

2005 Harvey Tolman, Master Artist
Douglas Challenger, Apprentice

New England & Cape Breton Fiddling Continued

2008 Brendan Carey-Block, Master Artist
Craig Brunson, Apprentice

New England Barn Frame Loom Weaving

2008 Craig Evans, Master Artist
Carl Fernald, Apprentice

New England Community Barn Dance Fiddling & Calling

1995 Dudley Laufman, Master Artist
Claire Mattin, Apprentice

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Tyler Matteson, Apprentice

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Jordan Tirrell-Wysocki, Apprentice

1999 Dudley Laufman, Master Artist
Sarah Mason, Apprentice

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David Talmage, Apprentice

2007 Dudley Laufman, Master Artist
Neil Orzechowski, Apprentice

New England Fiddling

1999 Rodney Miller, Master Artist
Brendan Carey-Block, Apprentice

2006 Randy Miller, Master Artist
Hilliare Wilder, Apprentice

2006 Carolyn Parrott, Master Artist
Molly Trayner, Apprentice

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Fiona Shea, Apprentice

2009 Rodney Miller, Master Artist
Jon Anderson, Apprentice

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Paul Lizotte, Apprentice

New England Contra Dance Piano

1997 Bob McQuillen, Master Artist
Francis Orzechowski, Apprentice

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Conor Sleith, Apprentice

2001 Bob McQuillen, Master Artist
Finnegan Hewitt, Apprentice

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Sophie Orzechowski, Apprentice

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Sarah Rosenfelder, Apprentice

Old Timey Claw Hammer Banjo

2010 Carolyn Parrott, Master Artist
Liz Corrigan, Apprentice

Rug Braiding

2005 Barbara Fisher, Master Artist
Sandy Luckury, Apprentice

Rug Hooking

2003 Dorothy "Dot" Towle, Master Artist
Mary-Jo Landry, Apprentice

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2004 Pamela Bartlett, Master Artist
Janan Tari, Apprentice

2005 Ann Winterling, Master Artist
Julie Robinson, Apprentice

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2007 Pamila Bartlett, Master Artist
Lynda Hadlock, Apprentice

Russian Iconography

2002 Giorgi Alaykov, Master Artist
Marina Nazarova Forbes, Apprentice

2003 Andrew Tregubov, Master Artist
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2005 Katarzyna Mankowska, Master Artist
Marina Nazarova Forbes, Apprentice

2008 Andrew Tregubov, Master Artist
Anna DuMoulin, Apprentice

2008 Ksenia Pokrovsky, Master Artist
Keri Weiderspahn, Apprentice

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Keri Weiderspahn, Apprentice

Russian Wood Carving

2007 Grigory Likhter, Master Artist
Justin DuMoulin, Apprentice

Russian Wood Carving Continued

2012 Grigory Likhter, Master Artist
Andrei Likhter, Apprentice

Scandinavian Weaving

1999 Aasta Torsen, Master Artist
Jessica Haas, Apprentice

Scottish Accordion

2009 Sylvia Miskoe, Master Artist
Douglas Brunson, Apprentice

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Scottish Drumming

2011 Robert Kells, Master Artist
Campbell Webster, Apprentice

Scottish Fiddle Playing

2011 Barbara McOwen, Master Artist
Marielle Webster, Apprentice

Scottish Highland Bagpipe Playing

2002 Gordon Webster, Master Artist
Brendan Carey-Block, Apprentice

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Brendan Carey-Block, Apprentice

2005 Lezlie Webster, Master Artist
Tammy Pratt, Apprentice

2007 Lezlie Webster, Master Artist
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2010 Adam Holdaway, Master Artist
Kirk Brunson, Apprentice

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Scottish Highland Dance

2008 Lezlie Webster, Master Artist
Sarah Marsh, Apprentice

Scottish Kilt Making

2008 Judith Sullivan, Master Artist
David Gordan, Apprentice

Scrimshaw & Flintlock Rifle Building

1996 David Price, Master Artist
Ryan Nicholson, Apprentice

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Shaker Oval Box Making

2003 Barbara Beeler, Master Artist
Michael French, Apprentice

2007 Barbara Beeler, Master Artist
James O'Rourke, Apprentice

Tinsmithing

2007 Roger Gibbs, Master Artist
Clinton Pitts, Apprentice

Uruguayan Folk Dance

1995 Eduardo Ibarra, Master Artist
Alejandro Vigo, Apprentice

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Marcelo Vigo, Apprentice

Vietnamese Dance

2004 Kim Chi Vu Potter, Master Artist
Victoria Xinfen Forslind, Apprentice

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Chau Kelly, Apprentice

2010 Kim Chi Vu Potter, Master Artist
Nova Grummon, Apprentice

Wood Turning & Furniture Making

2012 Jon Siegel, Master Artist
Erin Alvarez, Apprentice

Woodcarving

1997 Barbara Barss, Master Artist
Meaghan Barss, Apprentice

Wooden Spoon Making

2002 Dan Dustin, Master Artist
James Hamm, Apprentice

Note: No Traditional Arts Apprenticeship grants were funded in Fiscal Year 2000.