

# New Music USA

## Organizations Supporting Composers & New Music: A Rough List

### **National Service Organizations**

- ❖ American Composers Forum  
National office  
<http://www.composersforum.org/>
- ❖ New Music USA  
<http://www.newmusicusa.org>

### **Composer Membership Organizations**

- ❖ League of Composers  
<http://leagueofcomposers.org/>
- ❖ NACUSA  
<https://www.music-usa.org/nacusa/>
- ❖ SCI  
<http://www.societyofcomposers.org/>

### **Performing Rights Organizations**

- ❖ ASCAP  
<http://www.ascap.com/>
- ❖ BMI  
<http://www.bmi.com/>
- ❖ SESAC  
<http://sesac.com/>

### **Organizations Offering Financial Support for Commissioning**

- ❖ American Composers Forum – JFund  
Available for composers in Minnesota or NYC  
<http://composersforum.org/program/jfund>
- ❖ Barlow endowment (commissions and prize)  
<http://barlow.byu.edu/Pages/index.html>
- ❖ Chamber Music America  
<http://www.chamber-music.org/>
- ❖ Fromm Music Foundation  
<http://www.music.fas.harvard.edu/fromm.html>
- ❖ Koussevitzky commissions  
<http://www.koussevitzky.org/>
- ❖ MAPFund  
<http://www.mapfund.org/apply.html>
- ❖ The National Endowment for the Arts  
<http://www.arts.gov/>
- ❖ New Music USA  
<https://www.newmusicusa.org>
- ❖ The New York State Council on the Arts  
<http://www.nysca.org/public/home.cfm>
- ❖ Regional arts organizations  
<http://www.usregionalarts.org/>

### **More Organizations Offering Financial Support for New Music Activity**

- ❖ Aaron Copland Fund for New Music  
<http://www.coplandfund.org/copland.html>
- ❖ Academy of Arts and Letters Awards  
<http://www.artsandletters.org/>
- ❖ American Academy in Berlin Fellowships  
<http://www.americanacademy.de/>
- ❖ American Academy in Rome Fellowships

- ❖ <http://www.aarome.org/prize.htm>
- ❖ ASCAP Awards  
<http://www.ascap.com/eventsawards/awards/concertawards/2006/>
- ❖ BMI Awards  
<http://www.bmi.com/awards/entry/category/BMI%20Student%20Composer%20Awards>
- ❖ Creative Capital, Inc.  
<http://www.creative-capital.org/>
- ❖ EarShot – National Orchestral Composition Network  
<http://www.earshotnetwork.org/>
- ❖ Foundation for Contemporary Arts  
<http://www.foundationforcontemporaryarts.org/index.html>
- ❖ Guggenheim Memorial Foundation Fellowships  
<http://www.gf.org/>
- ❖ New Music USA  
<https://www.newmusicusa.org>
- ❖ Performing Arts Fund Midwest  
<http://www.artsmidwest.org/programs/paf>
- ❖ The Puffin Foundation  
<http://www.puffinfoundation.org/>
- ❖ Shapiro Fund  
<http://www.rogershapirofund.org/>

### **Organizations Offering Support For Dance Projects**

- ❖ New Music USA – Project Grants  
Support for projects with one area of emphasis on new live music for dance.  
<https://www.newmusicusa.org/grants/>

### **Organizations Offering Support For Recording Projects**

- ❖ Aaron Copland Fund for Music  
Recording Program  
<http://www.coplandfund.org/>
- ❖ New Music USA – Project Grants  
Support for projects with one area of emphasis on recording costs.  
<https://www.newmusicusa.org/grants/>

### **Organizations Offering Emergency Grants In Support Of New Music**

- ❖ American Composers Forum  
Subito Grants (only available in Philadelphia)  
<http://www.acphiladelphia.org/>
- ❖ Foundation for Contemporary Arts  
Emergency Grants  
[http://www.foundationforcontemporaryarts.org/grant\\_programs/immediate\\_needs.html](http://www.foundationforcontemporaryarts.org/grant_programs/immediate_needs.html)
- ❖ Grammys – MusiCares  
<http://www.grammy.org/musicares>
- ❖ McKnight Visiting Composer Residencies  
<http://composersforum.org/program/mcknight-visiting-composer-residencies>

### **Organizations Offering Fiscal Sponsorship**

- ❖ The Field  
[www.thefield.org](http://www.thefield.org)
- ❖ Fractured Atlas  
Their website also includes helpful tips for legal representation, insurance, etc.  
<http://www.fracturedatlas.org/>
- ❖ New York Foundation for the Arts  
<http://www.nyfa.org/>

### **Another Important Advocacy Organization**

- ❖ Future of Music Coalition  
[www.futureofmusic.org](http://www.futureofmusic.org)