



## FISCAL YEAR 2025 INDIVIDUAL ARTIST FELLOWS & FINALISTS

<b>Choreography Fellows</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Award</b>
Evelyn Tejada	Paterson	Passaic	\$27,000
Eriel Santagado	Metuchen	Middlesex	\$22,000
Carolyn Dorfman	Green Village	Morris	\$17,000
Ishita Mili	Morganville	Monmouth	\$17,000
Mamiko Usuda	Jersey City	Hudson	\$17,000
Rebecca Gual	West New York	Hudson	\$17,000
Amina Kolenc	Rutherford	Bergen	\$13,000
Bobby Morgan	Franklin Township	Somerset	\$13,000
Deepa Mahadevan	Basking Ridge	Somerset	\$13,000
Donna Salgado	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Kiana Rosa Fischer	Highland Park	Middlesex	\$13,000
Michael Vitaly Sazonov	Milford	Hunterdon	\$13,000
Ramya Shankaran	Plainsboro	Middlesex	\$13,000
Rebecca Lazier	Princeton	Mercer	\$13,000
Sarah Liebau	Highland Park	Middlesex	\$13,000
Sri Thina	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
<b>Choreography Finalists</b>			
Celeste Landa	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Ching-I Chang	Harrison	Hudson	\$3,000
Claire M. Porter	Teaneck	Bergen	\$3,000
Kenia C. Rosete	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Lydia Johnson	South Orange	Essex	\$3,000
Madhumanti Varun Banerjee	Iselin	Middlesex	\$3,000
Malcolm Miles Young	Clifton	Passaic	\$3,000
Maureen Glennon Clayton	Flemington	Hunterdon	\$3,000
Maxine Steinman	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Nicholas Rodriguez	Paterson	Passaic	\$3,000
Samantha Geracht	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Selah Piett	Newark	Essex	\$3,000
Susan Thomasson	Demarest	Bergen	\$3,000
Yahaya Kamate	Byram Township	Sussex	\$3,000

**Crafts Fellows**

Jennifer Crupi	Oceanport	Monmouth	\$27,000
heechan kim	Weehawken	Hudson	\$22,000
Milcah Bassel	Jersey City	Hudson	\$22,000
Alexander Rosenberg	Millville	Cumberland	\$17,000
Lisa Naple	Frenchtown	Hunterdon	\$17,000
Marc Carmen	Rahway	Union	\$17,000
Valerie Huhn	Flemington	Hunterdon	\$17,000
Ann Vollum	South Orange	Essex	\$13,000
Clifford Blanchard	Morristown	Morris	\$13,000
Jarryd Pezzillo	Pennington	Mercer	\$13,000
Kimberly Camp	Collingswood	Camden	\$13,000
Marilyn Keating	Gloucester City	Camden	\$13,000
Meagan Woods	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Mollie Murphy	Princeton	Mercer	\$13,000
Sarah Mae Caudill	Netcong	Morris	\$13,000

**Crafts Finalists**

Altarik Banks	Newark	Essex	\$3,000
Amina Ahmed	Ridgewood	Bergen	\$3,000
Angeles Cossio	Bloomfield	Essex	\$3,000
Bonnie A Berkowitz	Bloomsbury	Hunterdon	\$3,000
Dana Damiani	Ringwood	Passaic	\$3,000
David Udovic	Atlantic Highlands	Monmouth	\$3,000
George Taylor	Milltown	Middlesex	\$3,000
Jan Huling	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Jesse Satterfield	Point Pleasant	Ocean	\$3,000
Kathryn Kirk Murphy	Millville	Cumberland	\$3,000
Katie Truk	Hamilton Township	Mercer	\$3,000
Kwesi O. Kwarteng	Newark	Essex	\$3,000
Linda Friedman Schmidt	Franklin Lakes	Bergen	\$3,000
Linda Vonderschmidt-LaStella	Metuchen	Middlesex	\$3,000
Mandi Bevando	Clifton	Passaic	\$3,000
Rachel Kanter	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Samantha Bartlett	Vineland	Cumberland	\$3,000
Sinéad Hornak	Woodcliff Lake	Bergen	\$3,000

**Music Composition Fellows**

Allison Loggins-Hull	Montclair	Essex	\$22,000
Paul Pinto	Jersey City	Hudson	\$22,000
Sandhya Pallassana Ramanathan	Edison	Middlesex	\$22,000

**Music Composition Fellows (continued)**

Anthony D.J. Branker	Somerset	Somerset	\$17,000
Edmar Castaneda	Teaneck	Bergen	\$17,000
Rudresh Mahanthappa	Montclair	Essex	\$17,000
Adam Rudolph	Maplewood	Essex	\$13,000
Barbara White	Hopewell	Mercer	\$13,000
Britton-René Collins	Princeton	Atlantic	\$13,000
Christopher Cerrone	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Dan Neville	Rutherford	Bergen	\$13,000
Douglas Farrand	Newark	Essex	\$13,000
George Brandon	South Orange	Essex	\$13,000
Gilad Cohen	Ridgewood	Bergen	\$13,000
LA REINA TAÍNA	Elmwood Park	Bergen	\$13,000
Matthew Halper	Fair Lawn	Bergen	\$13,000
Michael Rosin	Berkeley Township	Ocean	\$13,000
Patricio Molina	Riverdale	Morris	\$13,000
Quis Chandla	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Rufus Reid	Teaneck	Bergen	\$13,000
Vivi Hu	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000

**Music Composition Finalists**

Aaron Emmanuel	Maplewood	Essex	\$3,000
Adegoke Steve Colson	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Adrienne Baker	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Angelica Sanchez	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Audra Mariel	Leonardo	Monmouth	\$3,000
Jeff Snyder	Skillman	Somerset	\$3,000
Joseph Turrin	Mahwah	Bergen	\$3,000
Lawrence Kursar	Annandale	Hunterdon	\$3,000
Max Vinetz	Princeton	Mercer	\$3,000
Rachel Alexandra	Tinton Falls	Monmouth	\$3,000
Rob Martino	Forked River	Ocean	\$3,000
Robert O'Connor	Atlantic Highlands	Monmouth	\$3,000
Sophia Angelica	Linden	Union	\$3,000
Steve Gibb	Springfield	Union	\$3,000

**Photography Fellows**

Juan C. Giraldo	Paterson	Passaic	\$22,000
Catherine Thurston	Bayonne	Hudson	\$17,000
Farsad Labbauf	Jersey City	Hudson	\$17,000
Arthur Bruso	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Belinda Haikes	Lawrence Township	Mercer	\$13,000

**Photography Fellows (continued)**

Christopher López	Pequannock	Morris	\$13,000
Don Standing	Summit	Union	\$13,000
Ivan Amato	South Orange	Essex	\$13,000
Lourenso.com	West Orange	Essex	\$13,000
Mark Jaworski	Montclair	Essex	\$13,000
Robert Kamand	Bloomfield	Essex	\$13,000
Wendel A. White	Galloway	Atlantic	\$13,000

**Photography Finalists**

Andrea M. Birnbaum	Berkeley Heights	Union	\$3,000
Barron Bixler	Princeton	Mercer	\$3,000
Bobby Stormer	New Milford	Bergen	\$3,000
Brian Branch-Price	Plainfield	Union	\$3,000
Brian Fraser	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Cesar Melgar	Newark	Essex	\$3,000
Danielle Austen	Hillsborough	Somerset	\$3,000
Jada Fabrizio	Weehawken	Hudson	\$3,000
Jamie Grill Atlas	Upper Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Klaus A. Schnitzer	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Kristen Charlery	Garwood	Union	\$3,000
Lepi Calico	Newark	Essex	\$3,000
Leslie Sheryll	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Spencer Guy Cheron	Paterson	Passaic	\$3,000

**Playwriting/Screenwriting Fellows**

Andrew R. Heinze	Atlantic Highlands	Monmouth	\$17,000
Barbara Blumenthal-Ehrlich	Montclair	Essex	\$17,000
Chisa Hutchinson	Newark	Essex	\$17,000
Deborah Brevoort	West Milford	Passaic	\$17,000
Gabrielle Wagner Mann	Summit	Union	\$17,000
Nisa Neza	Leonia	Bergen	\$17,000
P.C. Verrone	Newark	Essex	\$17,000
Bill Mesce, Jr.	Linden	Union	\$13,000
James Christy Jr.	Princeton	Mercer	\$13,000
Jasmine Patrice White	East Orange	Essex	\$13,000
Joe Bronzi	West New York	Hudson	\$13,000

**Playwriting/Screenwriting Finalists**

Abigail Jensen	Woodland Park	Passaic	\$3,000
Afia Serena Nathaniel	Maplewood	Essex	\$3,000
Allyson Dwyer	Matawan	Monmouth	\$3,000

**Playwriting/Screenwriting Finalists (continued)**

Angel J. Rivas	West New York	Hudson	\$3,000
Annabelle Lopez Beltran	Passaic	Passaic	\$3,000
Brigid Amos	Rahway	Union	\$3,000
Chriss Williams	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Claire Tran	Newark	Essex	\$3,000
J. F. Ladinsky	Lawrenceville	Mercer	\$3,000
Janet Hyoyo Oh	Norwood	Bergen	\$3,000
Jeremy J. Kamps	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Jonathan V. Edmondson	Lumberton	Burlington	\$3,000
Mark Tenn	Rutherford	Bergen	\$3,000
Mick Hilgers	Hoboken	Hudson	\$3,000
Montserrat Mendez	Harrison	Hudson	\$3,000
Nadir Saribacak	Edison	Middlesex	\$3,000
Neil Levi	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000
Phoebe Farber	Montclair	Essex	\$3,000
Steve Crandall	Haworth	Bergen	\$3,000
T Block	Pitman	Gloucester	\$3,000
Umbreen Butt	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000

**Poetry Fellows**

Carey Salerno	Pompton Lakes	Passaic	\$27,000
Yamini Pathak	West Windsor Township	Mercer	\$27,000
Isabella DeSendi	Hoboken	Hudson	\$22,000
Joe David Cesare	Hoboken	Hudson	\$22,000
Karen Elizabeth Bishop	Franklin Park	Somerset	\$17,000
Leslieann Hobayan	Branchburg	Somerset	\$17,000
Natasha Rao	Hillsborough	Somerset	\$17,000
Nicole Cooley	Glen Ridge	Essex	\$17,000
Cortney Lamar Charleston	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
David Floyd	Southampton Township	Burlington	\$13,000
David Livewell	West Deptford	Gloucester	\$13,000
Grisel Y. Acosta	Fort Lee	Bergen	\$13,000
Joanne Monte	Hamburg	Sussex	\$13,000
José Olivarez	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Marie Gray Wise	Mount Laurel Township	Burlington	\$13,000
Micaela Camacho-Tenreiro	Wharton	Morris	\$13,000
Michael Broek	Red Bank	Monmouth	\$13,000
R.G. Evans	Elmer	Salem	\$13,000

**Poetry Finalists**

Abigail Ella Johnson	Princeton	Mercer	\$3,000
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**Poetry Finalists (continued)**

Alfred Dudley III	Teaneck	Middlesex	\$3,000
Catherine Doty	Boonton	Morris	\$3,000
dana belott	Warren	Somerset	\$3,000
Douglas Piccinnini	Lambertville	Hunterdon	\$3,000
Edytta Wojnar	Ringwood	Passaic	\$3,000
George C. Harvilla	Dumont	Bergen	\$3,000
Mary Grace Mangano	Lebanon	Hunterdon	\$3,000
Matthew Thorburn	Kingston	Somerset	\$3,000
Merlin Ural Rivera	Hoboken	Hudson	\$3,000
Michael Waters	Ocean	Monmouth	\$3,000
Monica Shah	Edison	Middlesex	\$3,000
Robert Carnevale	Lafayette	Sussex	\$3,000
Susan Rothbard	Fairfield	Essex	\$3,000
Tina Kelley	Maplewood	Essex	\$3,000
Toma Zbrizher	Ogdensburg	Sussex	\$3,000
Walter Ancarrow	Jersey City	Hudson	\$3,000

**Sculpture Fellows**

Sizhu Li	Fort Lee	Bergen	\$27,000
Park McArthur	Highland Park	Middlesex	\$22,000
Sam Horowitz	Sicklerville	Camden	\$22,000
Sunil Garg	Summit	Union	\$22,000
Diana Jean Puglisi	Rutherford	Bergen	\$17,000
Preksha kapadia	Iselin	Middlesex	\$17,000
Adriane Colburn	Jersey City	Hudson	\$13,000
Dave Blauvelt	Hamburg	Sussex	\$13,000
Jamie Lehrhoff Levine	South Orange	Essex	\$13,000
Jim Toia	Califon	Morris	\$13,000
Judi Tavill	Rumson	Monmouth	\$13,000
Keely McCool	Montclair	Essex	\$13,000
Mayumi Sarai	Bayonne	Hudson	\$13,000
Voyo Woo	Montclair	Essex	\$13,000

**Sculpture Finalists**

Céline Browning	South Orange	Essex	\$3,000
Chanika Svetvilas	Princeton	Mercer	\$3,000
Donna Conklin King	Roseland	Essex	\$3,000
Dr.gattem venkatesh	Jersey City	Bergen	\$3,000
Kristen Martin-Aarnio	Bayonne	Hudson	\$3,000
Michael Wolf	Berkeley Heights	Union	\$3,000
Pavel Stoykov	Ocean City	Cape May	\$3,000

***Sculpture Finalists (continued)***

Robert Lach	Metuchen	Middlesex	\$3,000
Robert Richardson	Madison	Morris	\$3,000
Todd A. Lambrix	Clinton Township	Hunterdon	\$3,000
Tom Nussbaum	East Orange	Essex	\$3,000
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