



Indigenous Visual Arts Industry Support (IVAIS) Program

2018-19 funding recipients

The IVAIS program, administered by the Department of Communications and the Arts, provides base operational support to around 80 Indigenous-owned art centres, as well as a number of industry service organisations, regional hubs and art fairs across Australia. These organisations provide professional opportunities for over 6,000 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander visual artists and employment for around 300 Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander arts workers, most living in remote communities.

All figures below are GST exclusive.

Australian Capital Territory

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Burrunju Aboriginal Corporation	To support Burrunju Aboriginal Corporation to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Canberra region.	\$100,000.00

New South Wales

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Armidale and Region Aboriginal Cultural Centre and Keeping Place Incorporated	To support the Armidale and Region Aboriginal Cultural Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Armidale region.	\$80,000.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Arts Northern Rivers Incorporated	To support Arts Northern Rivers to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Northern Rivers region.	\$100,000.00
Arts Out West Incorporated	To support Arts Out West to provide visual arts services to artists based in Central West New South Wales.	\$80,000.00
Durri Aboriginal Corporation Medical Service	To support the Dunghutti-Ngaku Aboriginal Art Gallery to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Dunghutti region including the town of Kempsey.	\$100,000.00

Northern Territory

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Arlpwe Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Arlpwe Artists to provide services to visual artists based in the Ali-Curung community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$395,000.00
Artists of Ampilatwatja Aboriginal Corporation	To support Artists of Ampilatwatja to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Ampilatwatja community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$176,430.00
Arnhem Northern & Kimberley Artist Aboriginal Corporation (ANKA)	To support ANKA to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in the Arnhem Land, Darwin/Katherine, Kimberley and Tiwi Islands regions.	\$677,521.00



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Arnhem Northern & Kimberley Artist Aboriginal Corporation (ANKA)	To support ANKA to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in the Arnhem Land, Darwin/Katherine, Kimberley and Tiwi Islands regions. One-off funding will support marketing and promotion for the organisation's 48 member art centres.	\$55,000
Barkly Regional Arts Incorporated	To support Barkly Regional Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Barkly Region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$329,698.00
Bawinanga Aboriginal Corporation	To support Maningrida Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Maningrida community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$374,396.00
Buku-Larrnggay Mulka Inc.	To support Buku-Larrnggay Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Yirrkala community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$375,720.00
Bula'bula Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Bula'bula Arts Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Ramingining community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$199,850.00
Darwin Aboriginal Art Fair Foundation Limited	To contribute to the delivery of the Darwin Aboriginal Art Fair, which promotes Indigenous visual art, and supports the professional development of Indigenous artists and arts workers from over forty art centres nationally.	\$135,000.00
Desart Incorporated	To support Desart to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in the Northern Territory, South Australia and Western Australia and manage the national Stories Art Money (SAM) sales system.	\$765,958.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Desart Incorporated	To support Desart to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in the Northern Territory, South Australia and Western Australia. One-off funding will support marketing and promotion for the organisation's 40 member art centres.	\$55,000
Djilpin Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Ghunmarn Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Beswick community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$256,480.00
Durrmu Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Durrmu Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in Peppimenarti community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$180,000.00
Gapuwiyak Culture and Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Gapuwiyak Culture and Arts Aboriginal Corporation to provide visual arts services to artists based in Gapuwiyak in remote East Arnhem Land and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$175,000.00
Hermannsburg Potters Aboriginal Corporation	To support Hermannsburg Potters to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Hermannsburg community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$166,000.00
Ikuntji Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Ikuntji Artists to provide services to visual artists based in the Haasts Bluff community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$221,126.00
Iltja Ntjarra Aboriginal Corporation	To support Iltja Ntjarra Aboriginal Corporation to provide services to Hermannsburg watercolourists based in the Alice Springs region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$195,000.00
Injalak Arts and Crafts Association Incorporated	To support Injalak Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Gunbalanya community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$276,075.00



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Jilamara Arts & Crafts Association	To support Jilamara Arts and Crafts to provide services to visual artists based in the Milikapiti community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$238,576.00
Karungkarni Art and Culture Aboriginal Corporation	To support Karungkarni Art and Culture Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Kalkarindji community.	\$145,000.00
Keringke Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Keringke Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Santa Teresa community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$460,000.00
Mabunji Aboriginal Resource Association Incorporated	To support Waralungku Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Borroloola community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$176,430.00
Marthakal Homeland and Resource Centre Association	To support Elcho Island Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Galiwinku community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$174,288.00
Merrepen Arts, Culture and Language Aboriginal Corporation	To support Merrepen Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Nauiyu Nambiyu (Daly River) community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$194,849.00
Milingimbi Art and Cultural Aboriginal Corporation	To support Milingimbi Art and Cultural Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Milingimbi community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$280,000.00
Mimi Ngurrdalingi Aboriginal Corporation	To support Mimi Aboriginal Art and Craft to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Katherine region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$316,080.00
Munupi Arts and Crafts Association	To support Munupi Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Pirlangimpi community, Melville Island, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$174,288.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Mutitjulu Community Aboriginal Corporation	To support the Mutitjulu Community Aboriginal Corporation to provide services to visual artists based in the Mutitjulu community through Walkatjara Arts.	\$80,000.00
Ngaanyatjarra Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara Women's Council Aboriginal Corporation	To support the Tjanpi Desert Weavers to provide services to visual artists based in the Ngaanyatjarra Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara (NPY) region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$215,000.00
Ngukurr Art Aboriginal Corporation	To support Ngukurr Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Ngukurr community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$242,860.00
Papunya Tjupi Art Centre Aboriginal Corporation	To support Papunya Tjupi Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Papunya community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$242,860.00
Tangentyere Council Incorporated	To support Tangentyere Artists to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Alice Springs Town Camps and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$369,900.00
Tapatjatjaka Art and Craft Aboriginal Corporation	To support Tapatjatjaka Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Titjikala community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$238,576.00
Tiwi Designs Aboriginal Corporation	To support Tiwi Designs to provide services to visual artists based in the Wurrumiyanga community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$285,414.00
Warlukurlangu Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Warlukurlangu Artists to provide arts services to visual artists based in the Yuendumu region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$190,000.00
Warnayaka Art and Cultural Aboriginal Corporation	To support Warnayaka Arts to provide services to visual artists based in and around the Lajamanu region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$285,414.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Yagbani Aboriginal Corporation	To support Mardbalk Arts and Culture to provide services to visual artists based in the South Goulburn Island region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$237,860.00

Queensland

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Aurukun Shire Council	To support the Wik and Kugu Art and Craft Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Aurukun region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$190,000.00
Bamanga Bubu Ngadimunku	To support Yalanji Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Mossman Gorge region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$180,000.00
Cairns Indigenous Art Fair Limited	To contribute to the delivery of the Cairns Indigenous Art Fair, which promotes Indigenous visual art, and supports the professional development of Indigenous artists and arts workers in Far North Queensland.	\$90,000.00
Cairns Indigenous Art Fair Limited	To contribute to the delivery of the Cairns Indigenous Art Fair (CIAF), which promotes Indigenous visual art, and supports the professional development of Indigenous artists and arts workers in Far North Queensland and the Torres Strait Islands.	\$40,000
Gidarjil Development Corporation Limited	To support Gidarjil Development Corporation to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Central Queensland and Wide Bay regions.	\$70,000.00
Girringun Aboriginal Corporation	To support the Girringun Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Girringun region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$213,220.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Hopevale Aboriginal Corporation for Arts and Culture	To support Hopevale Arts and Cultural Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Hopevale region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$199,850.00
Indigenous Art Centre Alliance Incorporated	To support the Indigenous Art Centre Alliance to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in Far North Queensland.	\$186,000.00
Indigenous Art Centre Alliance Incorporated	To support the Indigenous Art Centre Alliance to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in Far North Queensland and the Torres Strait Islands. One-off funding will support marketing and promotion for the organisation's 14 member art centres.	\$55,000
Lockhart River Arts Indigenous Corporation	To support Lockhart River Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Lockhart River Aboriginal community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$285,000.00
Mirndiyan Gununa Aboriginal Corporation	To support Mornington Island Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based on and around Mornington Island, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$242,860.00
Pormpuraaw Arts and Cultural Centre Incorporated	To support Pormpuraaw Arts and Cultural Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Pormpuraaw community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$275,000.00
Salt Water Murri's - Quandamooka Incorporated	To support Salt Water Murri's - Quandamooka Aboriginal Art Gallery to provide visual arts services to artists based on North Stradbroke Island.	\$85,000.00
Umi Arts Limited	To support Umi Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Cairns region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$213,268.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Wei'Num Arts and Crafts Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Corporation	To support Wei'Num Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Western Cape York region.	\$70,000.00
Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council	To support Bana Yirriji Arts and Culture Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Wujal Wujal community, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$146,430.00
Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council	To support the Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council to provide services to visual artists based in and around the Yarrabah region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$190,000.00

Torres Strait Islands - Queensland

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Badhulgaw Kuthinaw Mudh Torres Strait Islander Corporation	To support the Badu Art Centre to provide services to visual artists based on Badu Island and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$282,000.00
Erub Erwer Meta Torres Strait Islander Corporation	To support Erub Erwer Meta Arts to provide services to visual artists based on Darnley Island and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$283,000.00
Ngalmun Lagau Minaral Torres Strait Islander Corporation	To support Ngalmun Lagau Minaral to provide services to visual artists based on Moa Island and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$260,000.00



South Australia

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Ananguku Arts and Cultural Aboriginal Corporation	To support Ananguku Arts to provide training, development and advocacy for its two art centre members in the Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankunytjatjara (APY Lands) as well as Aboriginal art centres and artists in regional South Australia.	\$230,000.00
Ananguku Mimili Maku Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Mimili Maku Arts to provide services to visual artists based in and around the Mimili community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$241,432.00
Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation	To support Ceduna Aboriginal Corporation to provide services to visual artists based in the Ceduna region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$256,500.00
Ernabella Arts Incorporated	To support Ernabella Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the community of Ernabella and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$299,490.00
Iwantja Arts and Crafts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Iwantja Arts to provide services to visual artists based in and around the community of Indulkana and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$238,576.00
Kaltjiti Arts and Crafts Incorporated	To support Kaltjiti Arts and Crafts to provide visual arts services to artists based in and around the community of Fregon, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$342,510.00
Tjala Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Tjala Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in and around the community of Amata, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$309,290.00
Ninuku Arts Indigenous Corporation	To support Ninuku Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Kalka and Pipalyatjara communities and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$238,576.00
Tjungu Palya Aboriginal Corporation	To support Tjungu Palya to provide services to visual artists based in the Nyapari, Kanpi, Watarru and surrounding homelands and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$208,432.00



Victoria

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Aboriginal Corporation for Frankston and Mornington Peninsula Indigenous Artists	To support Baluk Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Frankston, Mornington Peninsula and South East Melbourne region of Victoria.	\$100,000.00
Gallery Kaiela Incorporated	To support Gallery Kaiela to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Shepparton (Kaiela Dhungala) region.	\$80,000.00
Koorie Heritage Trust Incorporated	To support Koorie Heritage Trust to provide visual arts services to artists based in Victoria.	\$70,000.00

Western Australia

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Aboriginal Art Centre Hub of Western Australia Aboriginal Corporation (AACHWA)	To support AACHWA to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in Western Australia.	\$258,000.00
Aboriginal Art Centre Hub of Western Australia Aboriginal Corporation (AACHWA)	To support AACHWA to provide business development, training and advocacy for Indigenous art centres and artists in Western Australia. One-off funding will support marketing and promotion for the organisation's eight member art centres.	\$50,000
Badimia Land Aboriginal Corporation	To provide visual arts services to artists based on Badimia and Wadjarri country in Western Australia.	\$80,000.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
City of Bunbury	To support Bunbury Regional Art Galleries to develop and deliver a program of activities for Noongar artists based in the south-west of Western Australia, in consultation with partner organisations.	\$80,000.00
Department of Local Government, Sport and Cultural Industries (Government of Western Australia)	To contribute to the delivery of the Revealed Emerging Artist's Showcase event, which promotes Indigenous visual art, and supports the professional development of Indigenous artists and arts workers in Western Australia.	\$90,000.00
FORM Building a state of creativity Incorporated	To support FORM to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Port Hedland region through Spinifex Hill Artists and engage an Indigenous arts worker.	\$145,000.00
Mangkaja Arts Resource Agency Aboriginal Corporation	To support Mangkaja Arts to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Fitzroy Crossing region, Western Australia and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$242,860.00
Mara Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support the Yamaji Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Geraldton region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$166,630.00
Mowanjum Artists Spirit of the Wandjina Aboriginal Corporation	To support Mowanjum Artists to provide services to visual artists based in the Mowanjum community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$460,000.00
Papulankutja Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Papulankutja Artists to provide services to visual artists in the Blackstone and Mantamaru communities and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$229,851.00
Shire of East Pilbara	To support Martumili Artists to provide services to visual artists based in the East Pilbara region and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$271,000.00
Shire of Halls Creek	To support the Yarliyil Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in in Halls Creek and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$180,000.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Shire of Wiluna	To support the Birriliburu Artists and Tjukurba Art Gallery to provide visual arts services to artists in the Shire of Wiluna region.	\$145,000.00
Spinifex Arts Project Aboriginal Corporation	To support the Spinifex Arts Project to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Great Victoria Desert of Western Australia, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$238,576.00
Tjarlirli Art Indigenous Corporation	To support the Tjarlirli Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Tjukurla (WA) and Docker River (NT) communities and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$260,000.00
Tjarlirli Art Indigenous Corporation	To support Tjarlirli Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Tjukurla (WA) and Docker River (NT) communities and engage Indigenous arts workers. One-off funding will contribute to refurbishment of the art centre's facilities in Tjukurla.	\$83,910
Warakurna Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Warakurna Artists to provide services to visual artists based in the Warakurna, Kayili and Patjarr communities, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$246,000.00
Warakurna Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Warakurna Artists to provide services to visual artists based in the Warakurna, Wanarn and Patjarr communities, and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$80,000
Waringarri Arts Aboriginal Corporation	To support Waringarri Arts to provide services to visual artists based in the Kununurra region and Kalumburu community.	\$382,720.00
Warlayirti Artists Aboriginal Corporation	To support Warlayirti Artists to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Balgo community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$276,080.00
Warmun Art Aboriginal Corporation	To support the Warmun Art Centre to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Warmun Community and engage Indigenous arts workers.	\$309,290.00



Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Yawuru Jarndu Aboriginal Corporation	To support Nagula Jarndu Designs to provide visual arts services to artists based in the Broome region in Western Australia.	\$80,000.00

National

Organisation Name	Activity description	2018-19 funding amount
Arts Law Centre of Australia	To support Arts Law's Artists in the Black program which provides legal services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists.	\$85,000.00
Indigenous Art Code Limited	To support the Indigenous Art Code to promote fair and ethical trade between commercial art dealers and Indigenous visual artists.	\$200,000.00

