

The Achates Philanthropy Prize 2019

Call for Entries, 10am Monday 1st July 2019

Overview

The Achates Philanthropy Prize is the national campaign to promote support of the arts. Launched in 2016, and administered by the Achates Philanthropy Foundation, the Prize seeks to encourage cultural organisations to strategically engage with first-time donors of all levels. The Prize celebrates and shares stories behind the development of a new generation of philanthropists.

The Awards

There are two Awards; one for an individual or trust and one for a company, for the example they've set in supporting culture for the first time in the last year.

The individual/ trust and company are nominated in the relevant category by a UK cultural organisation, which completes the application. The winning individual / trust and company each receive one of the Awards which have been commissioned from renowned sculptor, Peter Brooke-Ball MRBS, of which they are custodian for a year. The nominating cultural organisations each receive a £5,000 donation from the Achates Philanthropy Foundation.

The Achates Philanthropy Foundation recognises that arts philanthropy takes many different forms and encourages nominating organisations to consider all donation sizes, types and forms of support.

The 2019 Prize has been made possible thanks to the generosity of our sponsors; Achates Philanthropy Limited, BOP Consulting, Spektrix and our awards ceremony partners, Rich Mix.

Both winners will be announced at the Achates Philanthropy Prize 2019 ceremony, hosted at Rich Mix on Tuesday 19th November 2019.

Previous shortlisted and even simply applying organisations have already seen an increase in financial support from their nominated donors as a result of their Prize submissions.

Join the campaign and thank your donors, develop relationships and build support for your organisation.

FAQs relating to the Prize can be found at: <http://achatesprize.co.uk/2019-prize.html>

Timeline

- Entries open at 10am on Monday 1 July 2019 and close at 5pm on Monday 16 September 2019.
- Entries received after the deadline will not be accepted.
- The shortlist for both the individual and corporate Prizes will be announced in early October 2019.
- Both winners will be announced at the Achates Philanthropy Prize 2019 ceremony, hosted at Rich Mix on Tuesday 19th November 2019.

How to apply

Please complete the attached application form and return it to achatesphilanthropy.prize@gmail.com by 5pm on Monday 16 September 2019.

Eligibility Criteria

1. The nominating cultural organisation must be a registered charity.
2. The application must be with respect to a gift given by an individual or trust, or a company in the last 12 months.
3. We are looking for stories that demonstrate **relationship development** and **how the partnership has had an impact on your organisation**.
4. Applications must be sent electronically to achatesphilanthropy.prize@gmail.com by 5pm on Monday 16th September 2019. Please also outline in your covering email how you heard about the Achates Philanthropy Prize. Late applications will not be considered.
5. Applications sent by hard copy, or to any other email address, will not be eligible.
6. Judges will be required to declare a vested interest in organisations with whom they have a relationship. The decision of the judges will be final.

7. Any queries not answered in the FAQs should be addressed to Georgia Attlesey, Achates Philanthropy Prize Director, on achatesphilanthropy.prize@gmail.com with the title 'Achates Philanthropy Prize Query'. Please email your queries before Friday 13th September 2019, as questions received after this point may not be addressed. Please do not direct questions to Achates Philanthropy Limited Associates, or to judges of the Prize.

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