

What sets The Contemporary Dayton apart is not just that we present:

- **✓** ART EXHIBITIONS
- ✓ ARTIST TALKS
- ✓ & PUBLIC ART

 but our unique approach to:

ADVOCATING for artists and their creative & professional endeavors

We know that by partnering with our corporate and forprofit business leaders, we can elevate our arts community to new heights and create a lasting legacy together.

































However, in our postPandemic world of rising
costs and tightening
individual donations,
corporate support is more
important than ever.



Despite the difficulty of the moment, our vision remains steadfast and ambitious: to help build a strong community through shared connections to arts and culture that attracts high quality talent to the area.



Will you join us?

We are seeking 40 new Corporate Circle Members

For 2024, your Membership will help us:

Sustain Current Operations (\$400,000+)

This includes:

- ✓ 47 local & regional artists featured in CoSHOP
- 33 artist stipends
- 24 education programs
- ✓ 8 exhibitions
- ✓ 6 staff members
- 4 community art events
- & FREE ADMISSION all year long

Hire Grant a Writer (\$40,000)

This strategic investment will empower us to pursue and secure additional funding opportunities, ensuring the long-term success of our programs.

Your support will directly contribute to covering the annual salary of a skilled grant writer.

Expand Education & Outreach Initiatives (\$20,000)

This expansion will help make the arts accessible to a broad audience—from underserved youth to military veterans and their families, to seniors--through engaging workshops and community events.

Build & Operate an On-site Carpentry Shop (\$7,500)

This will result in significant savings in custom exhibition needs and will enhance our ability to support artists in realizing ambitious projects.

Your support will contribute directly to its creation and continued operation.

Sign-on as a Corporate Circle Member for as little as \$1,500 a year

Benefits

Recognition: Your company will be prominently acknowledged across our various platforms, showcasing your commitment to community enrichment and the arts.

Networking: Enjoy exclusive invitations to events, providing opportunities to connect with fellow patrons, artists, and community leaders.

Impact: Witness firsthand the positive impact of your contribution on our programs and the community we serve.



Artist Rendering: Seeds of Life, winning design,
Oregon District Memorial (Fall 2024)
Public Art Project by The Contemporary Dayton

Becoming a Corporate Circle Member is Easy:

- ✓ Email our accountant,

 Emily Larson, to be invoiced:

 accounting@codayton.org
- ✓ Mail your check payable to:
 The Contemporary Dayton
 25 W 4th St
 Dayton, OH 45402
- √ Go to codayton.org
- ✓ Scan to be directed to ourCorporate Circle Member page





Film still, Tuan Andrew Nguyen: *The Boat People* November 5, 2021–January 16, 2022

But wait.

Could you consider making a bigger impact?



















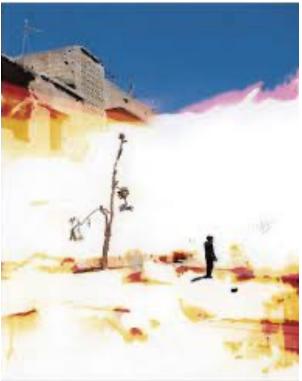
Sign-on to Sponsor an Exhibition

- ☐ Katherine Kadish & David Leach: Journeys (May 17-Aug 2, 2024) \$25,000 and \$10,000 levels
- ☐ Curtis Mann: New Work and Sean Wilkinson: Title Pending (Sep 6-Dec 22, 2024) \$10,000 each
- ☐ Annual Open Members Show (Feb 2-Apr 7, 2024) \$5,000









Your sponsorship of the **Members Show** will provide a platform for local artists to showcase their talent. This contribution covers the costs of installation, awards, marketing, and video production ensuring that our members' work receives the recognition it deserves.

Your sponsorship of the exhibition of two of the most esteemed artists in our region, **Katherine Kadish and David Leach**, will help with artist honoraria, framing, installation, marketing, panel discussion and a Co-produced short film exploring Kadish's 60+ year career.

Your sponsorship will enable us to present the first new work in 10+ years by former Daytonian and nationally acclaimed photographer **Curtis Mann**, alongside a stunning retrospective of photos of his former professor, **Sean Wilkinson**, highlighting both their achievements.

Sign-on to Sponsor an Event

☐ The 30th Annual Art Auction

Sponsorship Levels: \$25,000 | \$10,000 | \$5,000

Join us as we celebrate the 30th anniversary of the Annual Art Auction in the Dayton Arcade's magnificent Rotunda. The Auction is The Co's signature fundraiser with proceeds directly funding future exhibitions and education programs.

☐ The ART DINNER:

Sponsorship Levels: \$10,000 | \$5,000

The Co's newest fundraising event explores the merge of artist and chef and how imaginatively they transform and delight through their medium. Held in a different secret location each year; limited to a single seating for 80 guests; and featuring award-winning Ohio chefs, The ART DINNER is a one-of-a-kind contemporary art and dining experience.









IMPACT

Your sponsorship will not only make our programs and initiatives possible but will also position you as a champion of the arts, community enrichment, and cultural vibrancy.

RECOGNITION will be extended through various channels, showcasing your commitment to fostering creativity and innovation.

All levels include Event Tickets, Banner Recognition on website, and Spotlight in ENewsletter. CONNOISSEURS \$25,000+

EXCLUSIVE
PRESENTING SPONSOR
for TWO:

☐ EXHIBITION

includes 8+ tickets for Opening

Night Dinner with the Artist(s)

ART AUCTION

includes 20+ tickets for preparty & event

☐ ART DINNER includes 4+ tickets

COLLABORATORS \$10,000+

PRESENTING SPONSOR for ONE:

☐ EXHIBITION includes 8 tickets for Opening Night Dinner with the Artist(s)

☐ ART AUCTION

includes 20 tickets for pre-party

& event

☐ ART DINNER includes 4 tickets

ADVOCATES \$5,000+

ADVOCATE for ONE:

☐ EXHIBITION

includes 4 tickets for Opening

Night Dinner with the Artist(s)

ART AUCTION includes 10 tickets for preparty & event

☐ ART DINNER includes 2 tickets

ADVOCATES & ABOVE also receive up to 10 COMPLIMENTARY DUO/FAMILY MEMBERSHIPS for staff or clients, which include mailed invites to Co shows and events, and community art news.

Adding a SPONSORSHIP is easy:

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The Co ART DINNER, Oct 16, 2023 ScottyDFoto

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