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Below is a complete example of the complete application with helpful information about what we are requesting.

Before beginning your application, please make sure you have thoroughly reviewed the **Poet Laureate Description** and **FAQ** document located at

<https://www.heightsarts.org/heights-writes/heights-arts-seeks-applications-for-13th-heights-poet-laureate/>

PLEASE NOTE: Are you having trouble submitting your application? We have heard that some people have received an error while trying to complete the application. We receive all submissions, even if they are incomplete. If you are having trouble, please email your entire application in a word document along with the required attachments to programs@heightsarts.org.

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2025 Heights Arts Poet Laureate Application

Please complete this application for the 2025-2027 Heights Arts Poet Laureateship. Your application must adhere to requirements listed in the Poet Laureate Description on Heights' Arts' Poet Laureate page.

1 Applicant Information

2 Professional Portfolio

3 Entry Submission

Name *

Future Poet Laureate
First Last

Email *

email@email.com

Website

https://poetlaureate.com

Address *

1111 Main Street
Street Address

Address Line 2

Cleveland Heights OH
City State / Province / Region

44118 United States
Postal / Zip Code Country

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Artist Statement *

In 1,000 words or fewer, offer insight into your poetry practice, including meanings, intentions, and processes. This statement should enrich a reader's understanding of your work.

Suggestions for a strong artist statement:

- Your artistic journey and influences.
- Themes or subjects you explore in your work.
- Your goals as a poet and plans for community engagement.

Examples:

- "My poetry explores the intersections of identity and place, deeply rooted in the stories of Cleveland Heights."
- "As a poet, I seek to illuminate the everyday experiences of my community, celebrating our shared narratives."

Enter 10 to 1000 words. Currently Used: 95 words.

Do you have experience with coordinating literary programs? *

☒ Yes

☐ No

Statement of Intent *

In 500 words or less, please tell us why you want to serve in this role. Give us some idea of how you envision the poet laureate augmenting and honoring the unique culture of Cleveland Heights and/or University Heights. If you are not a resident of Cleveland Heights or University Heights, please share your connections with the city or cities which lend their names to the office of Laureate. Please include any experience you have organizing or facilitating poetry or community programs.

Enter 10 to 500 words. Currently Used: 82 words.

Community Engagement *

Please describe past and present community projects and appearances. If selected for an interview, please consider how you will put your stamp on the community through a public project.

Enter 10 to 500 words. Currently Used: 29 words.

Connection to the Heights *

Please confirm that you're a resident of Cleveland Heights or University Heights. If you are not a resident of Cleveland Heights or University Heights, please share your connections with the city or cities which lend their names to the office of Laureate.

Enter 10 to 500 words. Currently Used: 42 words.

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Curriculum Vitae *



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Sample of Work *



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Publication Documentation *



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Publication Documentation *

Please document your background and experience in the art form. Tell us where your work has been published. If you have already downloaded it above, please indicate this in the text box.

Enter 10 to 500 words. *Currently Used: 32 words.*

Link(s) (optional)

Please include a link(s) to a video of a reading, if applicable.

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By submitting an entry, you acknowledge that you agree to the terms of the Poet Laureate Program as detailed in this prospectus and the accompanying agreement form. You confirm that there are no conflicting obligations and that the information you have provided is accurate and complete. Additionally, by submitting this form, you affirm that you are the owner of the poetry/text submitted and hold the rights to it. *

- ☒ Yes, I agree
☐ No, I do not agree

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