

ISPA | Canadian Legacy Program Announcement

Following the success of the Toronto 2011 Congress, ISPA is delighted to announce the launch of a new initiative which will facilitate Canadian participation in ISPA – the Canadian Legacy Program!

The Canadian Legacy Program seeks to engage Canadian leaders who are interested in developing in their career through an extended engagement with ISPA. Two to three emerging or mid-level career applicants will be selected to participate in the program and have access to ISPA's extensive international network of arts professionals. ISPA will offer the program in one year, two year, and three year tracks.

Year One: Selected applicants will receive a complimentary full pass registration to the Seoul 2012 ISPA Congress (including the Academy, a two day arts management seminar prior to the congress), \$2500 USD to assist with travel and accommodation expenses related to attending the Congresses, and a complimentary one year ISPA Membership (including full access to all member benefits and programs). Selected applicants will also be paired with a current ISPA member through their participation in ISPA's Community Building Program.

In August 2012, participants will be reviewed and considered for continued participation with ISPA for the two and/or three year tracks. Participants may also wish to opt out of the program at this time. If participants opt out or are not selected for continued participation, another call for applications will be held. Benefits for those participating in year two and three of the program are listed below:

Year Two: Participants will receive a complimentary full pass registration to the 65th Annual Congress in New York on January 15-17, 2013 (including access to a one day education seminar held prior to the Congress), and \$1100 USD to assist with travel related expenses.

Year Three: Participants will receive a complimentary full pass registration to the New York 2014 Congress on January 14 – 16 (including access to a one day education seminar held prior to the Congress), and \$1100 USD to assist with travel related expenses.

Interested in learning more about the program and who should apply? Would you like to receive an application? Please contact Nicole Merritt at nmerritt@ispa.org. Act now because the application process will end on **March 30th, 2012**.