

Since 1977, Atlantic Center for the Arts has inspired those who inspire the world with their music, movements, words, and visual expressions.

ACA

## Calendar of Events



The term "Test of Time" has never been truer for Atlantic Center for the Arts as we celebrate two milestones this year.

The Florida Chapter of the American Institute of Architects awarded Thompson and Rose Architects—now Charles Rose Architects of Boston—its prestigious AIA Florida Design Award for 2022. The Leeper Studio Complex, named for Atlantic Center for the Arts founder Doris Leeper, has received the "Test of Time" award. The award recognizes a distinguished work of architecture, after 25 years, for its aesthetic statement and execution and that, by the timelessness of its design, has influenced architecture or building type. The Leeper Studio Complex, built by Epoch Properties of Winter Park, Florida, includes music, painting, sculpture, dance and writing studios; a 200-seat black-box theater; media lab; and library—a successful union of award-winning architecture and nature. We're grateful to our many supporters who funded the Leeper Studio Complex at its inception, including Volusia County's ECHO grant and the State of Florida, Division of Arts and Culture, and proud to say this is ACA's 9th architectural award.

"Our design is attuned to the interdisciplinary focus of the program and seeks to foster the immersion of the artist into the sub-tropical, dense and richly textured landscape," said Charles Rose, FAIA. "An elevated boardwalk connects each studio pavilion, creating spaces for conversation and collaboration as people move among the pavilions in the complex." FAIA and the Orlando Foundation for Architecture are sponsoring an open house at ACA on Saturday, October 8, from 10 AM to 2 PM. This event is free and open to the public.

Integrating the natural environment and architecture and incorporating an interdisciplinary and mentorship approach to its residencies was core to Leeper's vision as an artist and environmentalist. ACA has inspired tens of thousands of artists since its first residencies in 1982. This year, ACA is celebrating 40 years of our world-renowned residency program, another "Test of Time" milestone.

Community support has been essential to the successes that we celebrate, and what a joy it is to continue to welcome you to the world and work of our unique programs. We have established an archiving fund so that our history can be preserved and have now converted 152 films from our early programming days, as well as countless documents and photographs. We look forward to sharing this rich archive with you as we celebrate "The Test of Time!"



Executive Director Nancy Lowden Norman with architect Charles Rose.

Nancy Lowden Norman  
Executive Director

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## Atlantic Center for the Arts:

**Main Campus**  
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386.427.6975 | [atlanticcenterforthearts.org](http://atlanticcenterforthearts.org)  
Gallery Hours: Tue - Fri 10 AM - 2 PM

**ACA Downtown: Arts on Douglas | Yurick Studios**  
123 Douglas Street,  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168  
386.428.1133 | [artsondouglas.net](http://artsondouglas.net)  
Gallery Hours: Tue - Fri 10 AM - 5 PM, Sat 10 AM - 4 PM

**ACA Downtown: Harris House**  
214 South Riverside Drive,  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168  
386.423.1753 | [atlanticcenterforthearts.org](http://atlanticcenterforthearts.org)  
Gallery Hours: Tue - Fri 10 AM - 4 PM

**IMAGES: A Festival of the Arts**  
214 South Riverside Drive,  
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168  
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**Mission:** Atlantic Center for the Arts is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) interdisciplinary arts-in-residence community and arts education facility dedicated to promoting artistic excellence by providing talented artists an opportunity to work and collaborate with some of the world's most distinguished contemporary artists in the fields of music composition and the visual, literary and performing arts. Community interaction is coordinated through on-site and outreach presentations, workshops and outreach.



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## ► SAVE THE DATES

**ACA Open House and Member Event**, September 15, 2022, 5-7 PM  
The ACA Board of Trustees and Staff thanks all of our members and donors for their support this year! Enjoy a glass of wine and appetizers as we share highlights from the year and tour the award-winning Leeper Studio Complex. Renew or join as a Benefactor or Preservationist member, leading up to or at the event, and receive a print of *Ethereal* by 2022 IMAGES Featured Artist Leon Ruiz (pick up only). Free and open to all ACA members and future members. To RSVP: <https://bit.ly/3PiVBG3> or contact Kelly Timmons at [ktimmons@atlanticcenterforthearts.org](mailto:ktimmons@atlanticcenterforthearts.org) Atlantic Center for the Arts Main Campus

**47th Annual IMAGES: A Festival of the Arts**, January 27 - 29, 2023  
Join us for this FREE family event! IMAGES has something for everyone—enjoy the work of 225 artists, including Daytona State College students selected for the Trish Thompson Memorial Emerging Artist Program at IMAGES in partnership with Daytona State College, food trucks, fabulous live music, free art projects for the kids, and an exhibit of student artwork. Stroll through the park, buy art, and have a great weekend with family and friends! Ranked #16 in the UNITED STATES for Fine Art Festivals by Sunshine Artist magazine. Become an IMAGES Patron! For more information or to become a Patron, visit [imagesartfestival.org](http://imagesartfestival.org) or call 386.423.4733.

**Intuitive Painting Retreat**, January 21, 2023  
A one-day Arts & Wellness retreat with artist and art therapist Laura Bohn. Atlantic Center for the Arts Main Campus

**World Forum for Acoustic Ecology Conference**, March 23 - 26, 2023  
The World Forum for Acoustic Ecology (WFAE) and Atlantic Center for the Arts present a week of environmental sound events featuring the 30th WFAE conference. Atlantic Center for the Arts Main Campus

## ACA Volunteer League

For details or to join the League  
call (386) 402-7517 or email  
[pimbert@atlanticcenterforthearts.org](mailto:pimbert@atlanticcenterforthearts.org)

**ACA Volunteer League Meeting**  
3rd Wednesday of each month.  
10 AM Coffee Social / 10:30-11:30 AM  
General Meeting  
ACA Downtown, Arts on Douglas  
Join an extraordinary group of volunteers who have loads of fun supporting ACA's work in the community!

**ACA Volunteer League New Member BUNCO Event (Bring a friend!)**  
September 22, 2022, 2-4 PM  
ACA at Harris House

**ACA Volunteer League Meet & Greet**  
First Saturday Art Walk, 4-7 PM  
ACA at Harris House

**ACA Volunteer League Holiday Luncheon**  
December 14, 2022

**ACA Volunteer League IMAGES Creative Workshops**  
September 6, 2022 - May 24, 2023  
Every Tuesday & Wednesday  
10 AM - 1 PM  
ACA Downtown Arts on Douglas

## Calls for Artists:

Residency #188 | February 12 - Saturday, March 4, 2023  
Residencies invite artists to submit proposals for residencies. Details: <http://atlanticcenterforthearts.org/events-and-exhibitions/>

Residency #189 | May 14 - June 3, 2023  
Residencies invite artists to submit proposals for residencies. Details: <http://atlanticcenterforthearts.org/events-and-exhibitions/>

ACA Alumni Associate Artist Exhibitions:  
INFOBAHN 2023 | February 11 - May 6, 2023  
Please visit our website under Events for updates.

October 9 - 29, 2022  
All events are RSVP | Free | Time, Date and Location TBD.  
Please visit our website under Events for updates.

Nora Chipaumire, choreographer,  
performer  
Artist Talk | Date and Location TBD  
Presenting Artist Talk | Date and Location TBD  
Mentoring Artist Talk | Date and Location TBD  
Kwame Daves, poet / critic  
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Pamela Z, composer /  
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Pamela Z followed by G & A

InsideOut - October 27, 2022, 7 PM  
Associate Artists, presentations on Zoom.  
Adult Content - for mature audiences.  
Free registration at atlanticcenterforthearts.org/store:  
<https://atlanticcenterforthearts.org/store/>  
Free registration at atlanticcenterforthearts.org/event-or-exhibition:  
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Join local poet Sonja Craig for a community  
reading to share thoughts and writings that focus  
on wellnes concepts.

Thursday, October 13 & December 15, 4 PM  
Creative Medicine

New Smyrna Beach and Shelly Morris with guest  
performers, join us and contribute to a community quilt

Community Day features ACA artist ambassadors Bethany  
October 1, 1 PM - 4 PM

Togther We Grow: A Community Quilt

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mosaic.

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