



Arts Council Welcomes New Board Members

Fairfax County, VA – The Arts Council of Fairfax County announces four new members to its Board of Directors: Richard S. Goldberg, The Honorable Katherine K. Hanley, Michael B. Majestic, and Grace Han Wolf.

“These new members bring a wealth of knowledge and experience in finance, local government, and business. They will join our existing members to support a dynamic and diverse arts community in Fairfax County,” said Linda S. Sullivan, President and CEO of the Arts Council of Fairfax County.

Richard S. Goldberg has been Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the SIGAL Corporation since 1999. He is involved with the community through various organizations such as the YMCA and has professional affiliations with the National Association of Industrial and Office Properties, Washington Building Congress, Economic Club of Washington, Greater Washington Board of Trade, BB&T’s Advisory Management Board (Virginia District), the Construction Financial Management Association, and the District of Columbia Building Industry Association.

The Honorable Katherine K. Hanley brings to the Arts Council her years of experience working within Virginia and Fairfax County government. She previously served as Secretary of the Commonwealth under Governor Kaine, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors from 1995 to 2003, and President and CEO of the Greater Reston Arts Center. Hanley has received many awards including: *Washingtonian* Magazine’s “Washingtonian of the Year,” 2000; Lorton Arts Foundation Founders Award, 2013; Fairfax Federation of Citizens’ Association Lifetime Achievement/Special Gratitude Award, 2013.

Michael B. Majestic of JBGR Retail specializes in the acquisition and development of retail and mixed-use properties in the greater Washington, DC metropolitan area. He studied fine arts throughout his education, earned a degree in sculpture, and brings an appreciation of art into his current profession that strives to enrich every new development with sophisticated design.

Grace Han Wolf is a Town Council Member for the Town of Herndon and newly appointed Commissioner with the Virginia Commission for the Arts. In addition, Wolf spends her time working with community civic and non-profit organizations and is a small business entrepreneur. *Virginia Lawyers Weekly* recognized her as one of the 2013 “Influential Women of Virginia.” Wolf has also earned Herndon’s 2006 “Distinguished Service Volunteer of the Year” award.

“We are extraordinarily fortunate to have these outstanding individuals stepping up to support the arts in Fairfax County. Our agenda for the coming year is exciting and includes a public art and community engagement project in Tysons, expansion of diversity program grants, and kicking off our 50th Anniversary,” said **Joseph L. Ritchey**, *Chairman*.

The Arts Council would like to thank the following board members for their service to the community as they completed their terms on the Arts Council's Board of Directors in 2014. "The Arts Council and the arts community have been greatly enriched by the service of these outstanding community servants," said Joe Ritchey.

- Jason T. Brooks
- Connie Epperlein
- Estella D. Holliday
- Richard P. Kamenitzer
- The Honorable John Mason
- Allen Roberts

The Arts Council Board of Directors is comprised of 28 members and reflects the diversity and strength of Fairfax County. The Board's officers remain the same for the coming year.

The Arts Council is the voice of the arts, dedicated to fostering dynamic and diverse local arts, ensuring that arts thrive by providing vision, leadership, capacity building services, advocacy, funding, education, and information.

To see a full list of Arts Council Board Members visit <http://www.artsfairfax.org/about/board-of-directors> online.

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About the Arts Council of Fairfax County

Founded in 1964, the Arts Council of Fairfax County, Inc. is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization designated as Fairfax County's local arts agency. It is the only umbrella organization serving and representing all forms of art in Fairfax County. The Arts Council of Fairfax County is the voice of the arts, dedicated to fostering dynamic and diverse local arts, ensuring that arts thrive by providing vision, leadership, capacity building services, advocacy, funding, education, and information.

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