

RECLAIMING THE CANVAS

THE FUTURE WE REMEMBER

An Afrofuturist exploration of Black memory, imagination and the future.

FEB 6 - MAR 27, 2027

KANSAS CITY | 18TH & VINE

CORPORATE PARTNERSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Created by Roi Wall



More than an exhibition

An annual interdisciplinary arts experience centering Black artistic voices.

YEAR ONE: PROVEN MOMENTUM

The inaugural Reclaiming the Canvas opened in February 2026 as A Tribute to 100 Years of Black History Month.

Approximately 700 people attended opening day, establishing RTC as an emerging annual Kansas City cultural experience.

ONE CREATIVE WORLD

Visual art, music, poetry, movement, literature, photography, film and community conversation meet in one immersive experience.

BUILT TO CONTINUE

RTC is entering its second year with a two-year plan designed to deepen artist development, documentation, paid opportunities and community access.

The Future We Remember

Inspired by Sankofa: looking backward to retrieve what is needed to move forward.

10 VISUAL ARTISTS

10 PERFORMING ARTISTS

1 MAJOR FEATURED ARTIST / PERFORMER

- 01 Artist panels + author conversations
- 02 Professional artist development workshops
- 03 Original photography + short film
- 04 Comic-book-inspired exhibition program
- 05 Community programming in Historic 18th & Vine

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Investing in artists - not just an event

The platform is designed to create opportunity before, during and after the public presentation.

CREATE

Develop and present new work.

EARN

Compensate artists for creative labor.

DEVELOP

Build the business behind the practice.

CONNECT

Grow relationships and audiences.

DOCUMENT

Preserve artists' voices and process.

CONTINUE

Build what comes next.

THE GOAL Build sustainable infrastructure around the artists who make the work possible.

Why partner with RTC?

Connect your company to artist investment, cultural storytelling and accessible community programming.

YOUR INVESTMENT CAN FUND

- Artist commissions + performance fees
- Artist materials + production support
- Professional-development workshops
- Photography + film documentation
- Accessible public programming
- Artist transportation + hospitality

PARTNER VALUE

- Brand visibility across the RTC campaign
- Community connection in Kansas City
- Employee engagement opportunities
- VIP access + recognition
- Association with an artist-centered cultural platform
- Post-event impact reporting

MOST IMPORTANTLY: Your investment reaches the artists.

Choose the impact you want to own

Flexible sponsorships can be customized around company priorities and community goals.

\$10K | PRESENTING COMMUNITY PARTNER

Premier recognition across the exhibition, showcase, digital campaign, publication + VIP experience.

\$5K | ARTIST DEVELOPMENT PARTNER

Artist commissions, workshops, materials and professional development.

\$5K | FUTURE STORYTELLING PARTNER

Photography, artist interviews, film, editing and the visual archive.

\$3K | COMMUNITY EXPERIENCE PARTNER

Accessible public programming, outreach and community participation.

\$2.5K | ARTIST MATERIALS PARTNER

Canvas, printing, framing, fabrication and installation needs.

\$1.5K | ARTIST HOSPITALITY PARTNER

Meals, artist hospitality, transportation and closing reflection.

In-kind partnerships are welcome

Reduce project costs while placing your company directly inside the experience.

Food + beverage

Hotel accommodations

Transportation

Printing + signage

Photo / film equipment

Production equipment

Advertising + media

Artist supplies

Merchandise production

Professional services

RECOGNITION

In-kind partners receive recognition based on the fair-market value of their contribution.

We welcome custom packages that align your resources with a specific RTC need.

Help build the future

Reclaiming the Canvas began by honoring Black history. Now we are asking what happens next.

PAY AN ARTIST.

HELP AN ARTIST CREATE.

PRESERVE AN ARTIST'S STORY.

MAKE ART ACCESSIBLE.

INVEST IN KANSAS CITY'S CREATIVE FUTURE.

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PARTNERSHIP
GOAL**

\$20K+

Partnerships available now