

 Arts
Habitat
Edmonton

Status Update

Lead Role

- 6 Actions

 **Ongoing (6)**

Supporting Role

- 6 Actions

 **Ongoing (3)**

 **In Progress (3)**

Total of 12 Actions





Key Initiatives

We've identified three key Arts Habitat Edmonton initiatives that are transformative to the progress we make on our C&E Actions.



1

Cultivating community is at our core.

2

The Edmonton Cultural Infrastructure Plan (ECIP) is foundational.

3

Diverse space management models support different stages of career.

Cultivating Community

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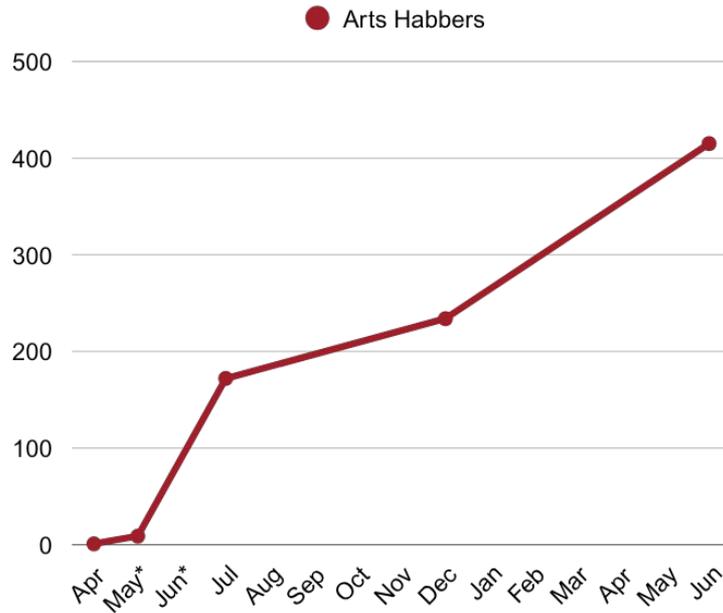
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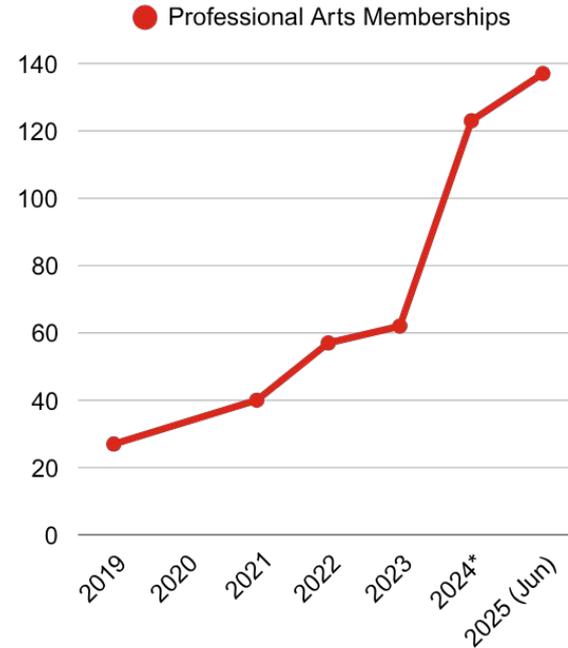


Stats Across *The Habitat*

Growth of Arts Habitat Members — Arts Habbers —
Since Launching *The Habitat* In April 2024



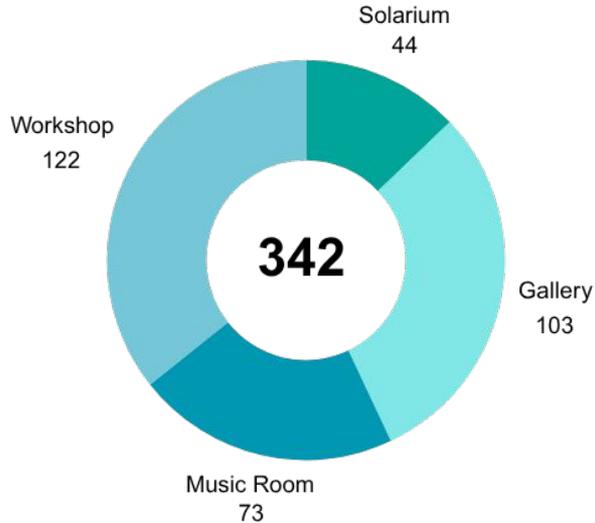
Number of Professional Arts Memberships
Since Tracking Began:



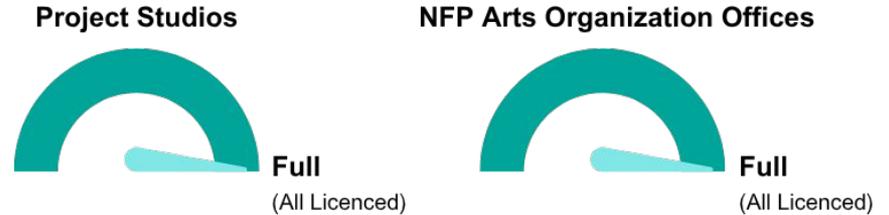


Stats - ArtsHub Ortona

Number of Bookings by Art Space at ArtsHub Ortona from Sept 3, 2024 (Opening Day) - June 16, 2025:



ArtsHub Ortona Project Studio and Office Space Availability On Opening Day (Sept. 3, 2024):





EDMONTON CULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN

Edmonton's Cultural Infrastructure Plan will transform arts and heritage by providing key support systems to cultivate meaningful spaces and resources for Edmontonians to access, express, and participate in culture.





Engagement Phase Update

Throughout the 2024–2025 implementation of the Edmonton Cultural Infrastructure Plan (ECIP) Engagement Phase the following engagement tactics were used:

**94 Ward
Discussions**

**20 Specialist
Interviews**

**378 Public Survey
Responses**



Space For Each Stage

Emerging

- Entrepreneurial
- Exploration
- Project Studios

Mid Career

- Refinement
- Equitable Development
- Variety of space needs

Established

- Peer recognized
- Instructor, Mentor, Expert
- Variety of space needs



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Arts Habber Experience

"I will leave Ortona happy I had my legit dream studio, happy I was given a chance at being in such a beautiful and historic building, happy I was able to help smooth out wrinkles and help in other ways, and honoured to be able to work along with Ortona staff."

Emerging Artist

"I have created way more art in the last 6 months than I would have otherwise. Having a space to go to has helped with creativity, the amount of time I spend on it, the ability to bring collectors in to view work, etc."

Established Artist

"We needed a permanent office space – have been existing as an online office since inception. It provides us with a space to keep the organizations equipment, a space to meet, have meetings and work together."

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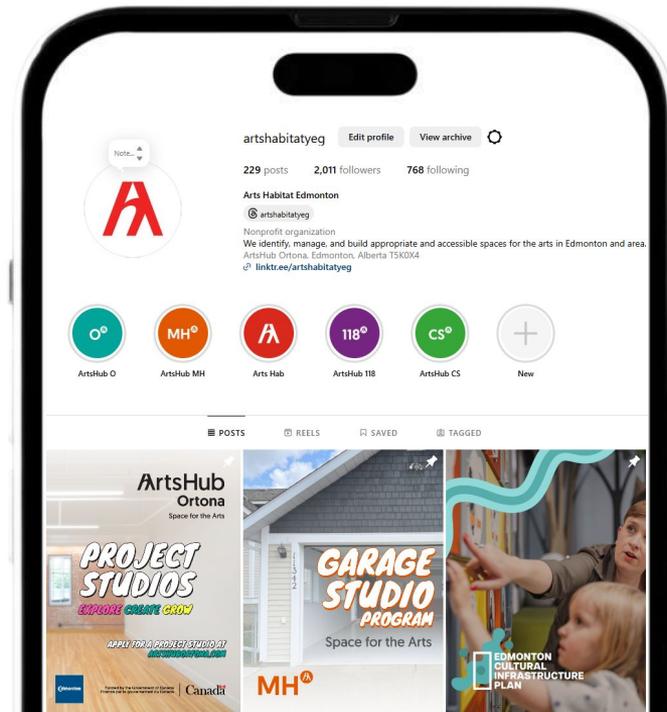
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