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**Subject:**

Panelist invitation

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Dear Dr. Abiola, I manage the dance fellowship for the DC Commission on the Arts & Humanities, which awards up to \$10,000 for individual artists and humanists living in the District. I was wondering if you would consider serving as a panelist to review those

grant applications? If you might be interested, here are a few helpful details: • The guidelines for the program can be found on our website, here:

[https://dcarts.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/dcarts/page\\_content/attachments/FY20%20AHFP%20Guidelines\\_0.pdf](https://dcarts.dc.gov/sites/default/files/dc/sites/dcarts/page_content/attachments/FY20%20AHFP%20Guidelines_0.pdf)

• The applications will be released to the panel, via our online portal on or about July 12. • There is a recorded panelist orientation webinar available for you to watch online at your convenience. • You'll be expected to review and score approximately 20

applications remotely, at your convenience. The applications are quite brief. They consist of an artist statement, work samples, support material, and a brief narrative explaining the work samples. • Your initial reviews will need to be complete and submitted

through our online portal by noon, Tuesday, August 13. • Then, the panel will convene in person at the Dance Institute of Washington on Thursday, August 15. The panel will begin at 9:00 am, and may run as late as 5:00 pm. Please let me know if you have any

questions, and if you're interested and available. Gratefully, Benjamin