



**GRANTS WORKSHOP, ATLANTA
JUNE 17, 2025**

AGENDA

9 am	Check-In, Coffee & Networking
9:30 am	Welcome, Overview & Introductions Leigh Burns, Fox Theatre
9:45 am	Session One: Fox Theatre Single-Year Grant Program Leigh Burns
10:45 am	Session Two: Georgia Council for the Arts Grant Programs Tina Lilly, Georgia Council for the Arts
11:45 am	Offsite Lunch & Free Time
1:15 pm	Session Three: Historic Theatres & Preservation Best Practices Karen Gravel, Lord Aeck Sargent
2 pm	Break
2:15 pm	Session Four: The Do's & Don'ts of Preparing Grant Applications Marcy Breffle, Purpose Possible
3 pm	Final Thoughts, Questions & Answers
3:30 pm	Adjourn



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HELPFUL WEBSITES

Fox Gives, Fox Theatre
<https://www.foxtheatre.org/community-partnerships>

Georgia Council for the Arts
<https://gaarts.org>

Lord Aeck Sargent
<https://www.lordaecksargent.com/design/historic-preservation>

Purpose Possible
<https://www.purposepossible.com>

MIDTOWN RESTAURANTS

Cypress Pint & Plate, 817 West Peachtree Street
El Viñedo Local, 730 Peachtree Street
Mary Mac's, 224 Ponce De Leon Avenue
Publik Draft House, 654 Peachtree Street
Taste of Greece, 715 Peachtree Street
The Varsity, 61 North Avenue