

Chicago Collaborative Storytelling Project Agreement

Grant Recipient: Rocío Santos

Total Amount of Grant: \$1, 600

Award Date: June 7, 2017

The Media Consortium has received restricted funds from the Chicago Community Trust to re-grant to community media platforms based in Chicago participating in our Chicago Collaborative Storytelling project. The purpose of this project is to foster new relationships among media outlets that serve different communities in Chicago; to support development of a local media network for collaborative storytelling that provides more complete stories of Chicago's neighborhoods; and to expand the civic conversation nurtured at On the Table by helping to communicate the impact of those conversations in specific communities and neighborhoods.

This grant is awarded by the Media Consortium subject to the following terms and conditions:

- A. Grantee will design an editorial collaboration that meets the purposes of the project. Please provide a 140 character description of the content of the collaboration here:**

El BeiSMAN & Repensar Films will be profiling four to five Trans Latinx women of color in Chicago whose voices will be revealed through an in-depth investigative article (Spanish/English) and a bilingual audio story that will expose trans women who have overcome the odds and injustices of racial and structural inequities, and their contributions to society. Some of the topics to be discussed will include the following: Economic Hardship and Instability; Stigma and Discrimination on medical, mental and sexual health; Educational Opportunities; Housing Discrimination; Harassment and Violence.

- B. Grantee will collaborate with at least one community media outlet. Please provide a list of the outlets that Grantee will collaborate with as part of this project:**

1. El Beisman
2. Repensar Films

- C. Grantee will create at least one piece of original work. How many original pieces of work will be created by Grantee as part of this collaboration? (please circle)**

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**D. All content created through this Agreement will carry the following acknowledgement:
This report was made possible by a generous grant from the Chicago Community Trust.**

E. Upon publication/production of the collaboration, Grantee will provide the Media Consortium with the url of the collaboration as well as copies of any print or other physical materials produced.

F. Work shall be completed on the collaboration by July 20, 2017.

G. Grantee may not use any Media Consortium grant funds to lobby or otherwise attempt to influence legislation, to influence the outcome of any public election, or to carry out any voter registration drive. This grant must be used in the project identified above. Grantee accepts responsibility for complying with this agreements' terms and conditions and will exercise full control over the grant and the expenditure of grant funds.

E. The Media Consortium reserves the right to discontinue, modify, or withhold any payments to be made under this grant or to require a total or partial refund of any grant funds if, in the Media Consortium's sole discretion, such action is necessary (1) because Granteee has not fully complied with the terms and conditions of this grant; (2) to protect the purpose and objectives of the grant or any other charitable activities of the Media Consortium or its parent, the Foundation for National Progress; or (3) to comply with any laws or regulations applicable to the Grantee, to the Media Consortium or to this grant.

Grantees' deposit or endorsement of the check Grantee receives will constitute agreement with the terms and conditions set forth above. However, for the Media Consortium's files, please sign this agreement and return a pdf to the Media Consortium.

On behalf of Grantee, I understand and agree to the foregoing terms and conditions of the Media Consortium's grant, and hereby certify my authority to execute this agreement on Grantee's behalf.



Grant Recipient Signature

7/21/17

Date

Rocio Santos

Print Name

Journalist/Repensar Films

Title/ Outlet