

Culture Days is looking for community reporters to cover the festival!

Are you a journalist, blogger or writer looking for fun new opportunities to reach a wider audience across Canada and beyond? [Culture Days](#) is the chance you've been waiting for! The fourth annual Culture Days weekend will take place September 27, 28 and 29, 2013. The annual event is quickly becoming a mainstay on the cultural calendar and will feature thousands of free, hands-on, interactive activities in hundreds of cities and towns that welcome the public to go "behind-the-scenes" to discover the world of artists, creators, historians, architects, curators, designers and other creative people in their communities.

Be a special Culture Days reporter for the duration of the festival and deliver your Culture Days story about all the action during the weekend in your region, city or town!

Who can apply?

Culture Days is looking for experienced writers in all provinces and territories, from small towns to big urban centres, who are available to attend a minimum of 5 diverse Culture Days activities and write about their experience and Culture Days' impact on the hosting artists and organizations, participants and the community that the activities are taking place in.

What type of report would be required?

A maximum 1,000 word report with complementary high-resolution photos or video footage from Culture Days events. The report has to provide a well-written overview of your experience of the Culture Days activities you attended. You are encouraged to interview the participants and activity organizers during the event (including video interviews), as well as take note of outstanding and memorable moments. If accepted, your report will be published and promoted on Canada's leading Culture blog, [culture365](#).

How to apply

Please submit a maximum one-page proposal and a sample of your writing by **Thursday, September 12th** to stories@culturedays.ca (with subject line CULTURE DAYS REPORTER 2013). Your proposal should include a working title, a short summary of how you will approach the report, what neighbourhood(s), community(ies), region(s), city(ies) or town(s) you will focus on, and a list of activities that you plan to attend. Be creative! You can search for activities in the areas you are interested in [here](#).

Accepted applicants will be notified by **Wednesday, September 18** if they have been selected to submit their story.

Remuneration

Culture Days will pay an honourarium of \$150 to all submitters whose proposals are accepted and whose report is published on [culture365](http://culture365.com). All reports with photos and videos must be submitted **no later than Sunday, October 6th, 2013** to stories@culturedays.ca.

Editorial Guidelines

All proposals and submissions must take into consideration and adhere to the relevant parts of the Culture Days [Editorial](#) and [Privacy Policies](#). Culture Days reserves the right to request edits of submitted reports or to edit the submissions as its Editorial Team sees fit.