GROUP 1

AnneMarie Martins
Agency Name: SRO Artists, Inc.
Organization Website: www.sroartists.com
WAA Exhibit #: 811
Artist Name Being Pitched: The Small Glories
Project Name Pitched: The Small Glories
Artist or Project Website: www.sroartists.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Veteran singer-songwriters Cara Luft (Formerly of the Wailin' Jennies) and JD Edwards are THE SMALL GLORIES - a roots powerhouse duo from the Winnipeg prairies of Canada. A Small Glories concert is welcoming in terms of subject, folk-pop melody and instrumentation — songs of love, loss, and environment, delivered with soaring, interwoven vocals on various combinations of stomping clawhammer banjo, guitar and harmonica. Their new album is out on Compass Records. PASTE magazine calls them "Folk Artists you need to know in 2019". www.TheSmallGlories.com

Ray Li
Agency Name:
Organization Website: www.veserium.com
WAA Exhibit #: 219
Artist Name Being Pitched: Veserium
Project Name Pitched: Veserium
Artist or Project Website: www.veserium.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: We are are a new performing arts act that's pioneering a new wave of electronic music performance. Using technology we created ourselves, we control sound in thin air with just our motions and gestures. Our show also included LED suits and reactive visuals.
Michael Grofsorean
**Agency Name:** Musica Extraordinaria  
**Organization Website:** www.musica-extraordinaria.com  
**WAA Exhibit #:** 318  
**Artist Name Being Pitched:** Marcus Tardelli  
**Project Name Pitched:** Marcus Tardelli - an orchestral approach to solo guitar  
**Artist or Project Website:** www.musica-extraordinaria.com  
**Fee Range:** Under $5K

**Description:** Marcus Tardelli is one of Brazil's most remarkable guitarists. From a very young age, he was deeply interested in orchestral music. The guitar, however, was the only instrument available to him, so he developed ways to play the orchestral harmonies he loved, ultimately creating a new school of guitar technique.

Nat Hulskamp
**Agency Name:** Seffarine  
**Organization Website:** www.seffarine.com  
**WAA Exhibit #:** 411  
**Artist Name Being Pitched:** Seffarine  
**Project Name Pitched:** Seffarine  
**Artist or Project Website:** www.seffarine.com  
**Fee Range:** $5K-$10K

**Description:** WAA Launchpad artist Seffarine features soulful Moroccan singer Lamiae Naki. Their international blend of sounds embraces Naki's rich heritage, spanning from Moorish Spain to the Sahara. Arabic, Persian and flamenco music and dance form an intoxicating blend of ancient and modern that Bass Player Magazine describes as a “gorgeous intersection.”
GROUP 2

Lynn McConnell
Agency Name: World Artists
Organization Website: www.lynnmcconnell.com
WAA Exhibit #: 707
Artist Name Being Pitched: Firebird Balalaika Quintet
Project Name Pitched: Music from Russia, Ukraine, and Eastern Europe
Artist or Project Website: www.lynnmcconnell.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Winners of the 2016 and 2018 Beverly Hills National Auditions, Firebird Balalaika Quintet has built a reputation as a unique and dynamic group, adding vocalists and dancers to their program. Performing on the round-bodied domra, triangular-shaped balalaikas, and the bayan/accordion, Firebird’s repertoire ranges from traditional Russian, Ukrainian, and Eastern European songs to well-known classics and original compositions. “Firebird is musically superb!” Los Angeles Times

Thea Hopkins
Agency Name: 
Organization Website: www.theahopkins.com
WAA Exhibit #: 709/711
Artist Name Being Pitched: Thea Hopkins
Project Name Pitched: The Melody Of Evident Truth
Artist or Project Website: www.theahopkins.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Thea Hopkins’ music can be categorized as folk, but with a decade studying voice with a top opera-singer and 20 years of growth on guitar, her emotionally evocative music is an elegant adventure. Though this Wampanoag tribal member has written a song recorded by Peter, Paul & Mary, Thea isn't your grandmother's folk music.
Mike Green
Agency Name: Mike Green & Associates
Organization Website: www.mikegreenassociates.com
WAA Exhibit #: 103
Artist Name Being Pitched: Alasdair Fraser & Natalie Haas
Project Name Pitched: Alasdair Fraser & Natalie Haas
Artist or Project Website: www.mikegreenassociates.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: The music of Scottish fiddler Alasdair Fraser and cellist Natalie Haas spans the spectrum between intimate chamber music and ecstatic dance energy. They thrill audiences internationally with their virtuosic playing and joyful spontaneity. They also motivate generations of string players through teaching at workshops and fiddle camps across the globe.

Alfredo Rolando Ortiz
Agency Name: Alfredo Rolando Ortiz
Organization Website: www.AlfredoHarp.com
WAA Exhibit #: 209
Artist Name Being Pitched: Alfredo Rolando Ortiz- South American Harp
Project Name Pitched: South American Fire and Romance
Artist or Project Website: www.AlfredoHarp.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Exciting, emotional and unforgettable music experience by the internationally renown harpist and composer, featuring spectacular and romantic music from several countries, Latin favorites and original compositions, interspersed by fascinating commentaries about his “real life adventures with his harp,” like playing in the delivery room during the birth of his daughter.
GROUP 3

Barbara Collin  
Agency Name: Collin Artists  
Organization Website: guitarsfromspain.us  
WAA Exhibit #: 115  
Artist Name Being Pitched: Jose Antonio Rodriguez and Twanguero  
Project Name Pitched: Guitars From Spain  
Artist or Project Website: guitarsfromspain.us  
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: GUITARS FROM SPAIN is not just a concert, its a trip to the heart of music, in the hands of two great artists. Contemporary flamenco player JOSE ANTONIO RODRIGUEZ joins forces with acclaimed Mediterranean guitarist, Latin Grammy winner, TWANGUERO. An unforgettable experience for lovers of culture, talent and Latin music.

Manuel Prestamo  
Agency Name: PMI: Performance Management International  
Organization Website: www.pmiarts.com  
WAA Exhibit #: 204  
Artist Name Being Pitched: vocaldente  
Project Name Pitched: VOCALDENTE - Germany's Top A Cappella Export  
Artist or Project Website: www.pmiarts.com  
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: The press is unanimous, vocaldente's singing technique is professional, verve is phenomenal, they’re sparkling with imagination, offer a high level in singing performance, with their funny spoken interludes and imaginative, passionate choreography – they’re known for being witty and fresh, charming and simply harmonic, funny and good with refreshing naturalness.
Karen Fischer
Agency Name: Pasifika Artists Network
Organization Website: https://pasifika-artists.com
WAA Exhibit #: 505
Artist Name Being Pitched: Waipuna
Project Name Pitched: Waipuna
Artist or Project Website: https://pasifika-artists.com
Fee Range: $5K-$10K

Description: The gorgeous vocal harmonies and eclectic musical tastes of Kale Hannahs, bass, Matt Sproat, guitar, and David Kamakahi, 'ukulele, each from a renowned cultural and musical lineage, create a fresh innovative sound that honors tradition and renews contemporary Hawaiian music. They are celebrated for dramatic musical arrangements and passionate performances.

Sundeep Morrison
Agency Name: Sundeep Morrison
Organization Website: http://sundeepmorrison.com
WAA Exhibit #: 723
Artist Name Being Pitched: Sundeep Morrison
Project Name Pitched: RAG HEAD An American Story
Artist or Project Website: http://sundeepmorrison.com
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Since 9/11 there has been an alarming increase in hate crimes committed against immigrant communities. On August 5, 2012 a white supremacist entered a Sikh temple in Oak Creek, Wisconsin and murdered six people during a prayer service. With their turbans and long beards, Sikhs have become an easy target. Inspired by actual events, RAG HEAD addresses hate, hope and American identity as Sundeep Morrison portrays seven inextricably linked characters whose lives are forever changed by one desperate action.
GROUP 4

**Llysa Holland**

**Agency Name:** theater simple  
**Organization Website:** www.theatersimple.org  
**WAA Exhibit #:** 506  
**Artist Name Being Pitched:** theater simple  
**Project Name Pitched:** THE FEVER by Wallace Shawn  
**Artist or Project Website:** www.theatersimple.org  
**Fee Range:** Under $5K

**Description:** Busting the ‘traditional theater’ expectation, guests and actress enjoy an informal chat before sitting down to this blistering, humorous and compassionate monologue. In recounting this physical and emotional meltdown in a third-world hotel, The FEVER can facilitate community in conversation. ★★★★★ “gloriously written – superbly performed” Adelaide Advertiser (Australia)

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**Ron DeStefano**

**Agency Name:** EPIC Arts Management, LLC  
**Organization Website:** www.epicartsmanagement.com  
**WAA Exhibit #:** 114  
**Project Name Pitched:** A Band Called Honalee, Judy Carmichael, America’s Sweethearts  
**Artist or Project Website:** www.epicartsmanagement.com  
**Fee Range:** Under $5K

**Description:** A Band Called Honalee: This Peter, Paul & Mary tribute creates a high-quality, authentic folk experience (showcasing). Judy Carmichael: Grammy-nominated stride pianist touring WAA area frequently w/solo or small combo  America’s Sweethearts: Female vocal trio celebrating history with music from The Andrews Sisters, Broadway, the 50s girl-groups, and the USO.
Kim Gumbel
Agency Name: Vespertine Works
Organization Website: vespertineworks.com.
WAA Exhibit #: 409
Artist Name Being Pitched: Darrell Grant/Edna Vazquez
Project Name Pitched: 21 Cartas
Artist or Project Website: vespertineworks.com.
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Jazz pianist/composer Darrell Grant and singer-songwriter Edna Vazquez perform a bilingual song cycle based on the letters of mothers detained at an immigrant detention center. Their songs are interwoven with evocative film shorts representing the brave journey, search for justice, and power of love common to all immigrant stories.

Ken Waldman
Agency Name: Ken Waldman, Nomadic Productions
Organization Website: https://kenwaldman.com/ken-waldman-willi-carlisle
WAA Exhibit #: 305
Artist Name Being Pitched: Ken Waldman
Project Name Pitched: Ken Waldman & The Wild Men, featuring Willi Carlisle
Artist or Project Website: https://kenwaldman.com/ken-waldman-willi-carlisle
Fee Range: Under $5K

Description: Ken Waldman plays Appalachian-style fiddle, writes smart poems, tells Alaska-set stories. Willi Carlisle plays banjo, guitar, fiddle, accordion, harmonica, bones, and has a stage presence honed on the North American fringe circuit. Together, Ken Waldman and Willi Carlisle, as a duo, or with accompanists, offer a fun, inspiring, interdisciplinary show.