



**Vision:** *A stronger country through the experience and values of the peoples of the North.*

**Mission:** *Together, to inspire, enable and celebrate the strengths and achievements of the peoples of the North.*

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Invitation to the **City of Yellowknife** to renew its  
support of the AIP as a Prize Partner  
with a 2024 investment of \$10,000

# UPTO \$3.7 MILLION AWARDED ANNUALLY

**\$1 MILLION**  
— FOR —  
**1 TEAM**

**UP TO**  
**\$500,000 EACH**  
— FOR UP TO —  
**4 TEAMS**

**UP TO**  
**\$100,000 EACH**  
— FOR UP TO —  
**7 YOUTH TEAMS**

The Arctic Inspiration Prize is by the North, for the North, with the unconditional support of the South.

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# “By the North, for the North with the unconditional support of the South”

- The AIP is led and owned by its Co-Owners, the Indigenous corporations and/or governments from all six northern regions: Yukon, NWT, ISR, Nunavut, Nunatsiavut, and Nunavik.
- All three Regional Selection Committees, and a large majority of the National Selection Committee, are composed of people who live and work in the North.
- 100% of all Prize Partner investments go directly to the northern AIP Laureates.
- A significant part of prize funding and project sustainability funding – as well as 100% of operational funding – comes from the South.

*“As Co-Owners, we have invested in the AIP, the Laureates, and our communities. We are proud to be AIP’s ownership, its leadership and its future.”*

*- Andy Moorhouse*

# AIP Co-Owners

- Are indigenous corporations and/or governments from all six northern regions
- Are the leaders & owners of the AIP
- Hold the majority in the AIP Charitable Trust Board
- Are invested in the AIP with core prize funds



**WALLY SCHUMANN**, Chair, Northwest Territories



**BLAIR HOGAN**, Yukon



**REANNA JOHNSTON**, Nunavut



**ANDY MOORHOUSE**, Nunavik



**JENNA GILBRIDE**, Vice Chair, Nunatsiavut





# AIP Laureates



Building panels for  
Artspace, NWT  
2020 AIP Laureate

## OVER THE PAST 11 YEARS, THE ARCTIC INSPIRATION PRIZE:

- Has inspired and enabled **56 laureate teams** in making their dreams come true.
- Has awarded seed money of **\$23 million** in prize funds, for a total of \$50 million in overall laureate project investments.
- Has enabled all the laureates together to currently have a cumulative financial impact of approximately **\$15 million** each year.

*“This prize isn’t about telling Northerners what to do,  
this prize is about supporting Northerners who  
already have solutions.”*

- Kluane Adamek, Yukon Regional Chief, Assembly of First Nations

# AIP Laureates with impact in NWT communities

Year	Laureate	AIP Prize	Total Project
2022	Lessons from Our Elders	\$450,000	\$600,000
2022	Northern Games Youth Collaboration "Inuvialuit Piuyausiq"	\$100,000	\$148,000
2021	Fish Camp at Happy's Landing	\$95,000	\$134,339
2021	Hope House	\$495,000	\$938,700
2021	Indigenous Youth River Guide Training	\$100,000	\$129,962
2021	Supporting Wellbeing	\$500,000	\$997,164
2021	Treaty Talks	\$100,000	\$100,000
2021	Tuktoyaktuk Community Climate Resiliency Project	\$500,000	\$960,000
2020	Artspace	\$100,000	\$208,425
2020	Western Arctic Youth Collective	\$97,000	\$884,250
2020	Youth Training in Ethical Knowledge Sharing and Co-production	\$500,000	\$1,000,000
2019	Dehcho: River Journeys	\$370,000	\$572,770
2019	Northern Compass	\$1,000,000	\$1,527,800
2019	Trades of Tradition	\$100,000	\$97,500
2018	Traditional Techniques Tweaked to Galvanize Indigenous Northern Artisans	\$500,000	\$800,000
2017	Arctic Indigenous Wellness Project	\$1,000,000	\$1,686,044
2017	Dene Heroes Publication Project	\$100,000	\$165,000
2015	Tri-Territorial Recreation Training (TRT) Project	\$600,000	\$1,277,900
2014	FOXY (Fostering Open Expression Among Youth)	\$1,000,000	\$2,240,304
2012	The Thaidene Nene Initiative	\$100,000	\$1,284,100
		<b>\$7,807,000</b>	<b>\$15,752,258</b>

# Prize Partners

- Top-up the seed funding from the Co-Owners and the AIP Trust for the laureates
- Support the communities they work with
- Might be part of nominated teams
- Share good news stories about the Prize and Laureates
- Celebrate the Laureates!



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