



The Creative Industries in IL State House District 112

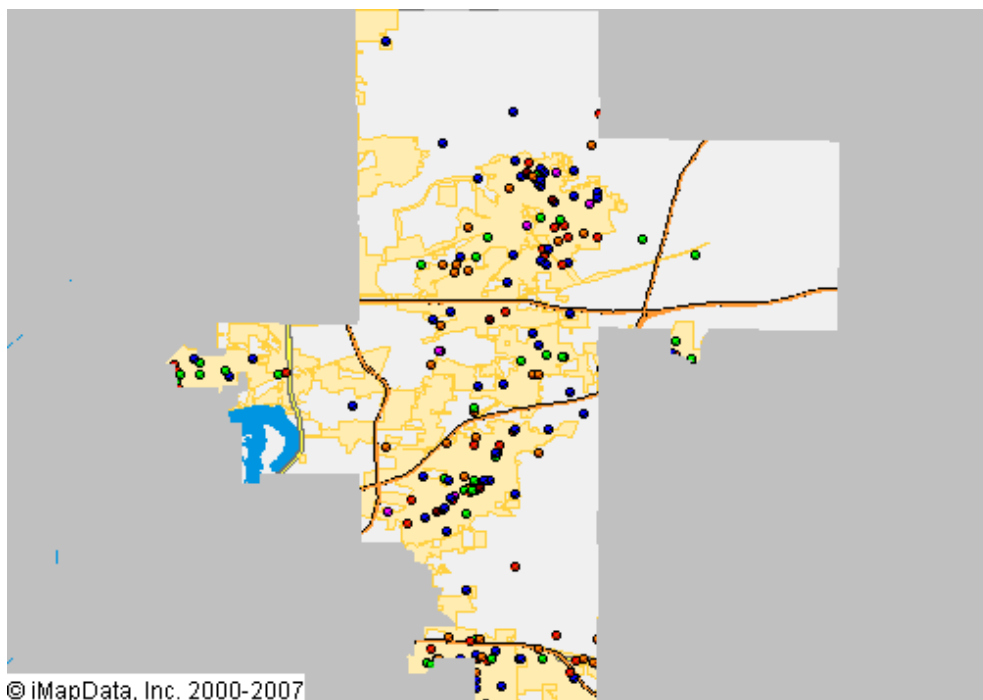
This *Creative Industries* report offers a research-based approach to understanding the scope and economic importance of the arts in **IL State House District 112**. The creative industries are composed of arts-centric businesses that range from nonprofit museums, symphonies, and theaters to for-profit film, architecture, and advertising companies. The creative industries are the high-octane fuel that drives the "information economy," the fastest growing segment of the nation's economy.

Nationally, there are 612,095 businesses in the U.S. involved in the creation or distribution of the arts that employ 2.98 million people, which is 4.3 percent of all businesses and 2.2 percent of all employees. Between 2007 and 2008, the number of arts businesses and employees grew 12 percent. The source for these data is Dun & Bradstreet, the most comprehensive and trusted source for business information in the U.S. Growth of the businesses that comprise the creative industries was greater than the increase among the 14.3 million businesses tracked by Dun & Bradstreet.

As of January 2008, IL State House District 112 is home to 181 arts-related businesses that employ 696 people. These arts-centric businesses play an important role in building and sustaining economic vibrancy. They employ people, spend money locally, generate government revenue, and are a cornerstone of tourism and economic development. The map below provides a clear picture of the creative industries in **IL State House District 112**, with each dot representing an arts-centric business.

181 Arts-Related Businesses in IL State House District 112 Employ 696 People

- Arts-Related Business**
- Museum/Collections
 - Performing Arts
 - Visual/Photography
 - Film, Radio, TV
 - Design/Publishing
 - Arts Schools/Services





Arts-Related Business and Employment in IL State House District 112 January 2008

CATEGORY	BUSINESSES	EMPLOYEES
Museums and Collections	6	15
Museums	6	15
Performing Arts	40	137
Music	21	76
Services & Facilities	6	40
Performers	13	21
Visual Arts/Photography	71	205
Crafts	9	26
Visual Arts	6	17
Photography	46	127
Services	10	35
Film, Radio and TV	27	143
Motion Pictures	20	134
Radio	7	9
Design and Publishing	30	149
Architecture	9	105
Design	14	25
Advertising	7	19
Arts Schools and Services	7	47
Arts Schools and Instruction	6	46
Agents	1	1
GRAND TOTAL	181	696

Note: As the source of these data is based solely on businesses that have registered with Dun & Bradstreet, our analyses indicate an under-representation of nonprofit arts organizations and individual artists. Therefore, this Creative Industries report should be considered a conservative estimate. For more information, maps, and to make sure you are included in our Creative Industries research, visit www.AmericansForTheArts.org/CreativeIndustries

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Arts-Related Business and Employment in IL State House District 112 2007 to 2008

CATEGORY	BUSINESSES			EMPLOYEES		
	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change
Museums and Collections	6	6	0.00%	15	15	0.00%
Museums	6	6	0.00%	15	15	0.00%
Performing Arts	34	40	17.65%	137	137	0.00%
Music	19	21	10.53%	80	76	-5.00%
Services & Facilities	6	6	0.00%	40	40	0.00%
Performers	9	13	44.44%	17	21	23.53%
Visual Arts/Photography	64	71	10.94%	187	205	9.63%
Crafts	7	9	28.57%	22	26	18.18%
Visual Arts	5	6	20.00%	15	17	13.33%
Photography	41	46	12.20%	115	127	10.43%
Services	11	10	-9.09%	35	35	0.00%
Film, Radio and TV	25	27	8.00%	140	143	2.14%
Motion Pictures	19	20	5.26%	132	134	1.52%
Radio	6	7	16.67%	8	9	12.50%
Design and Publishing	32	30	-6.25%	181	149	-17.68%
Architecture	10	9	-10.00%	94	105	11.70%
Design	11	14	27.27%	20	25	25.00%
Advertising	11	7	-36.36%	67	19	-71.64%
Arts Schools and Services	6	7	16.67%	120	47	-60.83%
Arts Schools and Instruction	6	6	0.00%	120	46	-61.67%
Agents	0	1	100.00%	0	1	100.00%
GRAND TOTAL	167	181	8.38%	780	696	-10.77%

Data Source: D&B January 2008 & January 2007

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