

The Creative Industries in MD State House District 19

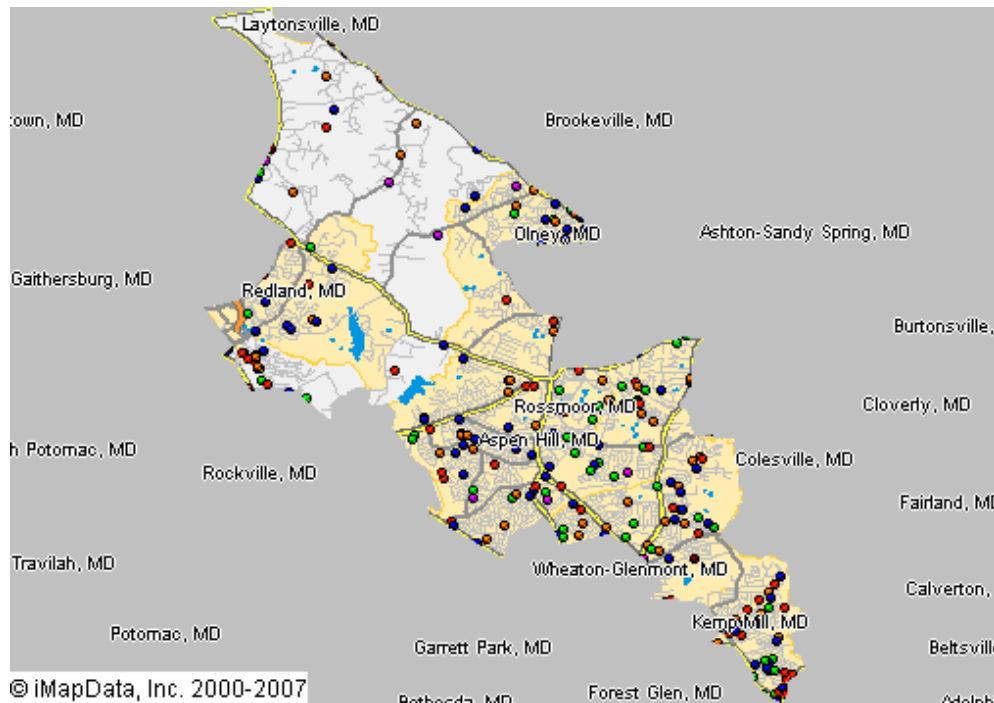
This *Creative Industries* report offers a research-based approach to understanding the scope and economic importance of the arts in **MD State House District 19**. The creative industries are composed of arts-centric businesses that range from nonprofit museums, symphonies, and theaters to for-profit 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, MD State House District 19 is home to 226 arts-related businesses that employ 702 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 **MD State House District 19**, with each dot representing an arts-centric business.

226 Arts-Related Businesses in MD State House District 19 Employ 702 People

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





Arts-Related Business and Employment in MD State House District 19 January 2008

CATEGORY	BUSINESSES	EMPLOYEES
Museums and Collections	2	2
Museums	1	2
Zoos and Botanical	1	0
Performing Arts	49	172
Music	29	104
Services & Facilities	3	4
Performers	17	64
Visual Arts/Photography	72	172
Crafts	5	9
Visual Arts	7	7
Photography	47	94
Services	13	62
Film, Radio and TV	41	203
Motion Pictures	32	143
Television	3	54
Radio	6	6
Design and Publishing	51	125
Architecture	9	16
Design	25	69
Publishing	2	3
Advertising	15	37
Arts Schools and Services	11	28
Arts Schools and Instruction	10	27
Agents	1	1
GRAND TOTAL	226	702

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



Arts-Related Business and Employment in MD State House District 19 2007 to 2008

CATEGORY	BUSINESSES			EMPLOYEES		
	2007	2008	% Change	2007	2008	% Change
Museums and Collections	1	2	100.00%	2	2	0.00%
Museums	1	1	0.00%	2	2	0.00%
Zoos and Botanical	0	1	100.00%	0	0	0.00%
Performing Arts	41	49	19.51%	213	172	-19.25%
Music	22	29	31.82%	122	104	-14.75%
Services & Facilities	2	3	50.00%	2	4	100.00%
Performers	17	17	0.00%	89	64	-28.09%
Visual Arts/Photography	67	72	7.46%	164	172	4.88%
Crafts	6	5	-16.67%	9	9	0.00%
Visual Arts	6	7	16.67%	7	7	0.00%
Photography	48	47	-2.08%	102	94	-7.84%
Services	7	13	85.71%	46	62	34.78%
Film, Radio and TV	38	41	7.89%	122	203	66.39%
Motion Pictures	29	32	10.34%	107	143	33.64%
Television	3	3	0.00%	9	54	500.00%
Radio	6	6	0.00%	6	6	0.00%
Design and Publishing	41	51	24.39%	110	125	13.64%
Architecture	7	9	28.57%	16	16	0.00%
Design	22	25	13.64%	67	69	2.99%
Publishing	2	2	0.00%	3	3	0.00%
Advertising	10	15	50.00%	24	37	54.17%
Arts Schools and Services	9	11	22.22%	13	28	115.38%
Arts Schools and Instruction	9	10	11.11%	13	27	107.69%
Agents	0	1	100.00%	0	1	100.00%
GRAND TOTAL	197	226	14.72%	624	702	12.50%

Data Source: D&B January 2008 & January 2007

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