2022 A Journey to What Matters Project Grant
Pre-program Artist Evaluation Survey

Please take some time to complete this brief survey. The information collected in this survey is requested by The CIRI Foundation (TCF) and a national arts funding organization. It will be used to assess the diversity of art practices in Alaska and funding needs within the state. Your responses are voluntary. If participants are minors please do not use name.

Artist name: ____________________________
Age: ____________________________
Current zip code: ____________________________
Home community: ____________________________
Cultural affiliation: ____________________________
Artistic skills: ____________________________

1. How do you think your peers and community would rate your level of artistic skill?
   O Novice
   O Beginner
   O Intermediate
   O Advanced
   O Expert

2. How do you think your peers and community would rate your knowledge of cultural arts?
   O Novice
   O Beginner
   O Intermediate
   O Advanced
   O Expert

3. Do you make arts and crafts as a form of income?
   O Yes
   O No

   a. If you answered yes to question 3 which of the following is more accurate for you?
      O Sales of arts and crafts are a supplement to other forms of income
      O Sales of arts and crafts are a primary so
      O Source of income

   b. If you answered no, are you interested in gaining tools to help you make an income from your work?
      O Yes
      O No
4. How satisfied are you with the arts and crafts market?
   - Very satisfied
   - Somewhat satisfied
   - Neutral
   - Somewhat unsatisfied
   - Very unsatisfied

5. Level of business and marketing skills
   - Novice
   - Beginner
   - Intermediate
   - Advanced
   - Expert

6. Do you make Alaska Native arts and crafts to use within your community and/or family?
   - Yes
   - No

7. From the list below, please mark all of the reasons why you engage in your artistic practice:
   - Recreational/personal enjoyment
   - Kinship
   - Community development
   - Cultural preservation
   - Cultural identity
   - Cultural revitalization
   - Other__________________________

Chiqinik! Bas’ee! Hai!’! Mahsi’! Chinan! Qagaasakung! Quyana! Quyanaq! Háw’aa! Way dankoo! Dogedinh! Tsin’aen! 'Awa'ahdah! Gunalchéesh! Thank you!