

About The Name

Artscape Youngplace is operated by Artscape and named in recognition of a generous lead gift from The Michael Young Family Foundation.

Who's Here

Artscape Youngplace is the new professional home for individual artists working in a variety of artistic disciplines (painting, photography, papermaking, fashion, music, multi-arts, music, dance and more), as well as over one dozen outstanding organizations. You can find a directory to the building on our website. Look for our **Who's Here** page.



About Artscape

Artscape is responsible for ensuring Artscape Youngplace continues in the vision of the community.

Artscape is a not-for-profit urban development organization that makes space for creativity and transforms communities, established in 1986. Find us online at artscape.ca.



ARTSCAPE EQUINOX

A Community Open House

Celebrate Spring with Us!

Please join us for a Community Open House on March 20 from 6:00pm to 10:00pm. Explore the building and meet everyone here in this family-friendly event. We'll have lots of creative things to see and do in celebration of the Spring Equinox. Visit an open studio, watch or participate in a creative class, tour our gallery exhibitions, browse the arts and crafts market, learn about upcoming programs, and most importantly, mix and mingle with artists and friends.

- 6:00pm** Drop-in programming begins! Discover the building and explore an array of artistic offerings
- 6:30pm** Join exhibition curator Heather Nicol for a special talk and tour of the Hallway Galleries
- 8:00pm to 10:00pm** Neighbourhood mixer with spring cocktails (cash bar) in the Flex Studios hosted by the Artscape Youngplace Community Advisory, featuring tunes, treats and more

We encourage you to RSVP to Natasha Mytnowych at natasha@torontoartscape.on.ca

WANT TO HEAR MORE...

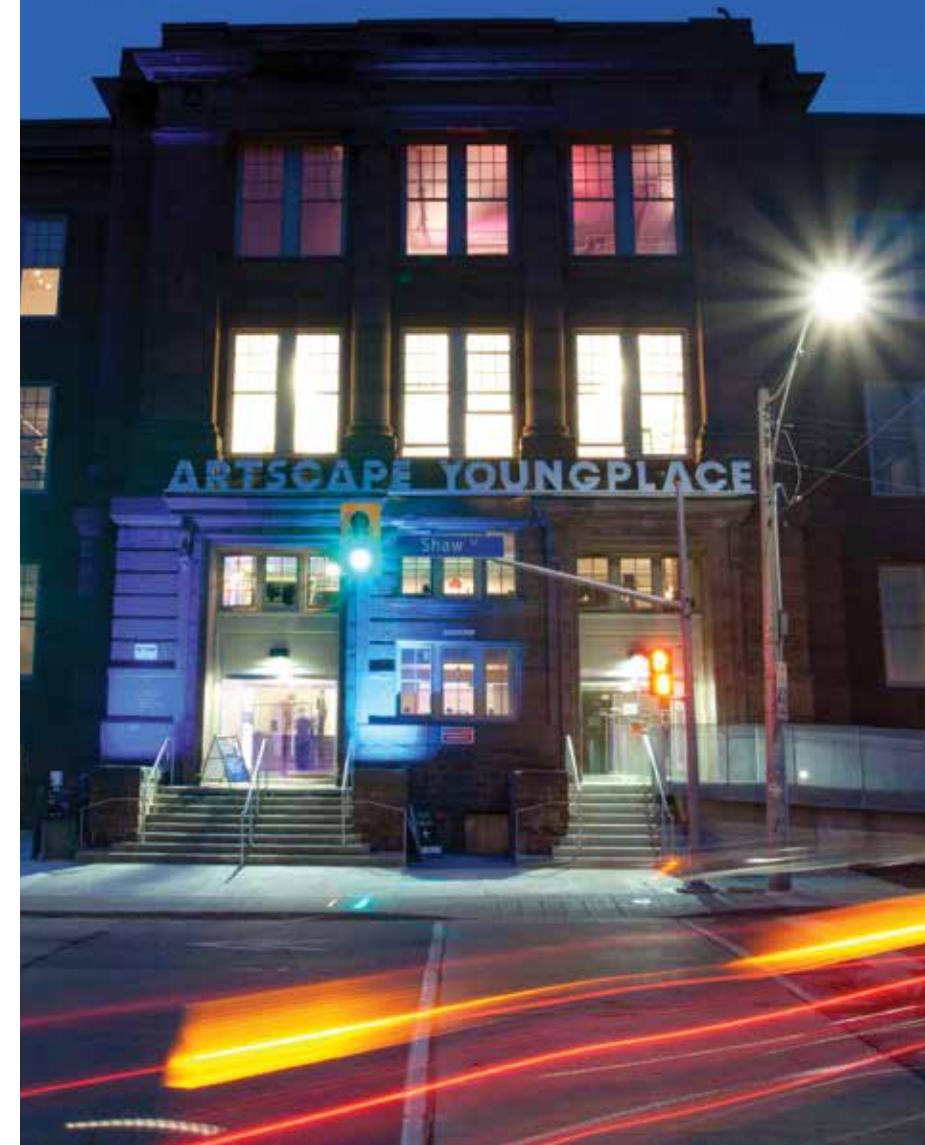
about our other events & opportunities to get creative?

Sign up for our email newsletter at artscapeyoungplace.ca

Community Update
SPRING 2014

ARTSCAPE YOUNGPLACE

180 Shaw Street



Our Doors Are Open!

A Message from the Managing Director

Artscape Youngplace opened just a few months ago and already the building is buzzing with activity. This community cultural hub is yours to explore—so get involved in all the great things happening! As the Managing Director of this wonderful place, it has been exciting to see everything start to take off. On behalf of Artscape and everyone here, I am happy to welcome the entire community to 180 Shaw Street.



There are many ways for you to access Artscape Youngplace. On our main floor you'll find a café and a comfortable lounge where you can meet with friends or work for as long as you like. In our hallways and stairwells are three floors of art gallery space to discover. The Artscape Youngplace Teachers in Residence have put together dozens of classes open to the public and many of the artists and organizations of Artscape Youngplace offer public programs, events and exhibitions to enjoy.

Visit our website often to read our news and find out about new things to see and do—don't forget to check out the event calendar too. And if you're looking for space to use, our Flex Studios are perfect for meetings, retreats, workshops, classes, art creation, writing, rehearsals, crafts...you name it. Make sure to take advantage of these inspiring spaces.

The Artscape office is just inside the Shaw Street doors; please drop by and say hello. I'd love to learn more about what you'd like to do at Artscape Youngplace and to work with you to make it happen.

Yours in creativity,



Natasha Mytnowych / natasha@torontoartscape.on.ca



Visit, Participate, Explore

What can you do at Artscape Youngplace? A lot!

Artscape Youngplace is fully accessible and open to everyone. You can:

- Take part in **classes, programs and events**—see our website for a full calendar
- Grab a latté (and more) at the **Youngplace Coffee Pub** on the mezzanine
- Hang out in the **Urban Living Lounge** with free WiFi—a great space for meet-ups or solo study
- Roam the extensive **Hallway Galleries**— three floors of art, free of charge
- Use the **Flex Studios** for your next business or social event—or become a member and join our co-working community

Don't Miss a Thing — Connect with Us Online

- Visit artscapeyoungplace.ca
- Follow [@YoungplaceTO](https://twitter.com/YoungplaceTO) on Twitter
- Like **Artscape Youngplace** on Facebook
- Sign up for our **email newsletter** (look for the form in our website footer)

Flex Studios

Pay-As-You-Go Creative Workspace

Flex Studios is a membership-based service that offers artists pay-as-you-go access to creative workspace at Artscape Youngplace. Members can book space quickly and easily online—24 hours a day, seven days a week. Contact Program Coordinator Ginger Scott at ginger@torontoartscape.on.ca for more information.

- **Flex Workspaces:** individual workstations and semi-private spaces in a bright open-concept studio for artists looking for dynamic co-working space
- **Flex Meeting Room:** a fully-enclosed private room that's perfect for meetings of up to four people—and it's only \$5/hour
- **Flex Studios Gold & Silver:** 1,000-square foot classroom studios that can be used for classes, workshops, rehearsals, performances, meetings, screenings, fundraisers, parties & more



Flex50 Pass

We're also excited to introduce the new **Flex50 Pass**, which gives members access to 50 hours of Flex Workspace for \$50, usable within any 30-day period. You can book your studio time by the hour in whatever blocks of time you need.

Non-Member / Community Rentals

Looking for a space to rent for an hour, an afternoon, an evening? The Flex Studios can be rented by the community at non-member rates.