



Forming Your For-Profit Arts Business

This workshop provides valuable information about starting an arts-related business. Covered issues also include: For vs. Non-Profit incorporation, fiscal sponsorship, selecting and protecting business names; the legal and tax characteristics of LLCs, partnerships, and type C and S corporations; choice of jurisdiction; financing your business; employees and independent contracts; and insurance.

Please see reverse side for dates, times, and location.

To register, please complete this registration form. **All registration fees are non-refundable.** Please note, you are not registered until full payment is received. You will receive a confirmation e-mail approximately one week prior to the class. For more information, please call VLA at 212.319.2787 x1.

<p>Registration Fees: (There is an additional \$10 fee if you register the day of the class)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Arts Professional VLA Member: \$75</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Arts Professional Non-Member: \$100</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Full-Time Student: \$20 (must bring valid student I.D. to class)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Legal Professional VLA Member: \$125</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Legal Professional Non-Member: \$175</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Additional individuals from the same start-up organization may register for an additional \$25 each</p>	<p>Recommended Books for Further Reading (Some books are available for sale through VLA bookstore)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Form Your Own LLC (w/cd) 2. How to Form Your Own NY Corporation (w/cd) 3. Legal Guide For Starting & Running a Small Business 4. Wow! I'm in Business: A Crash Course in Business Basics
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Date of the workshop you would like to attend (dates on back): _____

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Forming Your For-Profit Arts Business Incorporating and Organizing Your Arts Business

Upcoming 2011/2012 Workshop Dates:

Thursday, October 6, 2011, 4-6pm*
Thursday, December 1, 2011, 4-6pm
Thursday, February 9, 2012, 4-6pm
Thursday, April 12, 2012, 4-6pm
Thursday, June 7, 2012, 4-6pm

***2.0 CLE credits: 2 Professional Practice
(Approved for Non-Transitional and Transitional Attorneys)**

Instructor:

Elena M. Paul, Esq.
VLA Executive Director

Location:

VLA Auditorium, 1 East 53rd Street, New York, NY, 10022

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