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Applying for Arts Fellowships

The Bronx Writers' Center invites talented local writers to apply for its 2009-2010 "Literary Arts Fellowship and Residency."

Two nine-month fellowships are granted yearly, along with a \$5,000 award, to fiction writers, poets, playwrights and screenwriters alike. Completion of a community service project is required as part of the residency program.

Applications are due by 5 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 14. There is no entry fee. There will be an information session, for those interested, on Tuesday, Aug. 4, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Longwood Art Gallery, at Hostos Community College.

The Bronx Writers' Center is committed to supporting and promoting the writing community, and audience, in the Bronx. The center hosts a reading series, free creative writing workshops, seminars, fellowships and competitions, as well as the Bronx WritersCorp program.

For more information, for an application or to RSVP for the information session, call 718-931-9500, e-mail maria@bronxarts.org, or go to www.bronxarts.org. ■