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### **Koch Cultural Trust announces grants to Kansas artists, Fall 2014**

Elizabeth B. Koch, president of the Koch Cultural Trust, is honored to announce this quarter's enabling grants to Kansas artists. KCT awards these quarterly grants through the Fred and Mary Koch Charitable Foundation. Award winners are:

**Lewis Cooper, Los Angeles, CA**

\$3,000 grant for partial underwriting to produce film "Sitting Still on Radio Hill"

**Lily Guerrero, Wichita**

\$4,000 grant to attend the Chautauqua Summer Program

**Natalia Korenchuk, Wichita**

\$5,000 grant to purchase new violin

**Tara Kopp, Brooklyn, NY**

\$3,000 grant for artists supplies and promotional materials

**Jeremy Schrag, Wichita**

\$4,000 grant to purchase a set of Buffet clarinets

**Lauren White, Wichita**

\$2,500 grant to attend Goodspeed Musical Theatre Institute Workshop

**Molly Williams, Wichita**

\$3,500 grant for mural creation and installation project



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*Elizabeth B. Koch founded the Koch Cultural Trust in 1986 to help visual and performing artists overcome financial obstacles. Grants are funded quarterly by the Fred and Mary Koch Foundation. Applications are available by calling 316-706-7805 or at [www.kochculturaltrust.org](http://www.kochculturaltrust.org). E-mails may be sent to [kochculturaltrust@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kochculturaltrust@sbcglobal.net). Deadlines are Feb. 1, May 1, Aug. 1 and Nov. 1 of each calendar year.*

*The Koch Cultural Trust Chairman is Elizabeth B. Koch. Executive Director is Howard W. Ellington. Additional Selection Committee Members include Wayne Bryan, Producing Artistic Director Music Theater Wichita; Cecil Riney, Professor Emeritus in Music, Stan Rogers, Associate Professor and Director of Ballet Friends University and Dr. Jay Decker, Professor Emeritus of Music.*