OPPORTUNITY FOR CURRENT COLLEGE STUDENTS
INTERNSHIPS IN THE MEMORIAL ART GALLERY’S CREATIVE WORKSHOP
AVAILABLE FOR WINTER 2017/2018 AND SPRING 2018 AND SUMMER 2018

FACTSHEET

The Creative Workshop at the Memorial Art Gallery is looking for three volunteer interns, ideally currently enrolled in an art, art education, art history, museum studies or art-related local college program. Interns work between 5-15 hours a week (flexible hours, often Saturdays, sometimes evenings) to help promote, organize, design, install and de-install student art exhibits in the Lucy Burne Gallery. Our latest brochure is here http://mag.rochester.edu/creativeworkshop

These internship experiences offer motivated interns the opportunity to make curatorial decisions and learn proper hanging methods while working within a busy, collaborative and highly creative museum environment. Shows scheduled for the 2017/2018 academic year include: several adult student shows, several children’s shows and a Faculty show in Summer of 2018.

The Creative Workshop is a vivid part of the Marketing and Engagement division of the MAG and projects may include special events, Open Houses, and media promotions.

Interns also work directly with classes gaining valuable experience in art educational settings.

While designed as non-credit internships, students in the past have earned credit for similar experiences. I, Rachael Baldanza, supervise interns, keeping a keen eye on balancing the educational goals and needs of the student with our busy program, and working to introduce them to new ideas, people and projects when appropriate.

WINTER APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED UNTIL NOVEMBER 10, 2017
We hope to have one or two Winter interns identified by November 18, 2017. Again, this internship is somewhat flexible, but should begin around early January and last until March or April 2018.

SPRING APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED UNTIL FEBRUARY 10, 2018
We hope to have a Spring intern identified by February 23, 2018. Again, this internship is somewhat flexible, but should begin early March and last until June 2018.

In the past interns have written blog entries as part of their exhibitions, these are a great way to see what has been learned. One example, Summer intern Melis Schildkraut (Cornell University student), co-curated The Summer 2014 Adult student show and blogged about it here: http://blogs.rochester.edu/MAG/?p=11332

Interested students should fill out the attached internship application and return it (as soon as possible) to r baldanza@mag.rochester.edu attention Burne Gallery Intern. Applications can also be sent to Mary Ann Monley, m monley@mag.rochester.edu

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