Music Education Internship / Residency

Springville Center for the Arts (SCA) is a growing multi-arts center located in a rural community in Western New York State. Our programming includes theater, concerts, gallery exhibits, workshops and more based out of an 1869 former church. We are seeking college aged interns for a summer residency program that involves a wide range of disciplines and experiences. Springville Center for the Arts seeks a Music Education Intern with experience in accompaniment for a summer-long residency program in Children’s Theater.

Participants will:

* Craft a touring theater program for elementary age children. Participants may perform in a theatrical role or solely as accompanist.
* Teach/direct a variety of workshops during our 6-week summer children’s program including musical theater for grades 4-8, choir, ukulele, Pre-K sessions and more. Class topics are based on the skillset of the applicants.
* Accompany, conduct the pit and/or provide musical direction on a larger scale musical production starring local high school and college students.
* Work with a team of music, education, technical, media, and visual arts interns

The program begins immediately after the Spring semester and ends mid-August (13 weeks).

Housing is provided in the parsonage house adjacent to Springville Center for the arts and will be shared with other interns. A stipend of $150 per week is provided.

**Requirements**

* Strong piano skills for accompaniment
* Ability to perform for/with children
* Because of legal requirements, you must be seeking a degree in an arts or education related field: Music Education, Theater, Musical Theater, Music Performance, etc.
* Comfortable working with, teaching, and/or leading children in a workshop setting
* Self-initiative. Participants work with staff to create programs.

For more information about this or our other theater, visual arts, media, technical and admin internships, please contact Kingsley Kolek at scakingsley@gmail.com, 716-592-9038, or visit our website at SpringvilleArts.org

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Are you currently enrolled as a student? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Level of study in Fall 2020:

☐ Freshman ☐ Soph. ☐ Junior ☐ Senior ☐ Grad

How did you hear about this internship? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Please include the following with your application:**

* Two letters of recommendation
* Resume of your related experience - Explain your interest in this internship and why this opportunity is right for you
* Personal statement of 500 words or less
* Video: 32 bars of piano accompaniment from a musical theater piece of your choice

**Please mail or e-mail (preferred) application materials to:**

Kingsley Kolek, Programs Coordinator – scakingsley@gmail.com

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