Call for Interns

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About MoHA

The Museum of Human Achievement is a multi-disciplinary event space & arts organization in east Austin. MoHAs mission is to cultivate forward thinking new work, community, and vibe. We provide radically affordable arts space to support artists and audiences in the creation of new ideas.. In addition to gallery shows and event, MoHA hosts an artist residency, a tech studio, an experimental arcade, and 18 artist studios.

Dates and Time Commitment

Applications accepted until positions are filled.

Internships to begin mid-September 2019 and end mid-March 2020 with the option to continue through the spring or for the full year. Time commitment is 6-10 hours per week.

Intern perks include

Free entry to all MoHA shows, events, and workshops, 24 hour access to tools and space, and letter of recommendation.

Application Instructions

Upload your cover letter, resume, and contact information on our form at https://form.jotform.com/63555188490162.
Arcade Assistant Internship

Role

Assist with an experimental arcade in partnership with Juegos Rancheros, as well as tech related installs at MoHA

About IRL & The Museum of Human Amusement

IRL is MoHA’s brand new tech studio. IRL serves as a space for tech-based artists and is outfitted with virtual reality, motion tracking, video projection, and other new media equipment. Additionally, IRL hosts tech-based or futurist-themed art shows and a monthly salon for digital artists to meet and talk about their work.

The Museum of Human Amusement is a small arcade inside of MoHA that opens during certain events and is outfitted with 3-4 custom cabinets with art-games commissioned from Fantastic Arcade.

Responsibilities

◊ General arcade maintenance
◊ Help promote and design future arcade oriented events
◊ Assist with installation and troubleshooting of featured VR and other tech-based artworks, as well as the ability to show and talk about them with visitors.
◊ Document and archive Arcade and IRL shows and events.

Qualifications

An interest in new and emerging media, including VR and browser-based art. Good with computers and people. Experience with web design, coding, or DIY electronics are preferred but not necessary. Some physical labor and troubleshooting of installation needs may be involved.
Design Hero

Role
Assist with design needs pertaining to openings, gallery cards, promotion, proposals etc.

Responsibilities
◊ Design print and online material for upcoming openings and traveling shows.
◊ Communicate with director of aesthetics, director of development and exec director on all design assets and proposals.
◊ Uphold the vibe.

Qualifications
◊ Comfortable in adobe suite of programs
◊ Get along with others
◊ Into art stuff
Development Hero Internship

Role
Grant writing, research, and partnership development.

Responsibilities
◊ Research and write grants for various MoHA projects under the supervision and guidance of staff at MoHA and using past library of grant applications.
◊ Develop new partnerships with local businesses and organizations.

Qualifications
Interest in nonprofit growth and development, strong writing skills, basic computer skills. Past grant writing experience is a plus, but not necessary.
IRL Virtual Assistant Internship

Role

Assist with IRL @ MoHA operations, Assistant to Director of Speculative Futures

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Responsibilities

◊ Design and updating the IRL website.
◊ Assist with installation and troubleshooting of featured VR and other tech-based artworks, as well as the ability to show and talk about them with visitors.
◊ Assist with organizing and promoting monthly IRL digital artist meet-ups.
◊ Document and archive IRL shows and events.

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Media Master Internship

Role

Using the current MoHA archive of 7 years of events, create and design photo galleries and videos to highlight certain events and the whole of all programming for a future fundraising drive.

Responsibilities

Create presentable documentation of MoHA events, possibly including photo slideshows, edited video, or curated collections within the digital archives.

Qualifications

Strong organizational skills, experience in live videography or photography, familiarity with Adobe Creative Suite or other photo/video editing software. Ability to attend some MoHA events, often during evenings and weekends.
Gallery Champion Internship

Role
Assistant to Executive Director and Gallery Director

Responsibilities
◊ Help with installation of art works for exhibitions and tech set-up for events.
◊ Day to day maintenance of artworks.
◊ General upkeep of site and organization of production supplies and tools.

Qualifications
Experience and interest in live production, organizational skills, art preparator or installation skills.
The Mall

Role
Assistant at The Mall

Qualifications
Experience and interest in art and retail

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About The Mall
The Mall is a small art gallery in Austin, TX. We help artists make a living, with a particular interest in uplifting women artists, queer artists, and artists of color whose voices are more often marginalized, and to create an exciting and beautiful platform and context for their work. A majority of our gallery features works from Austin artists, and is exemplary of the unique culture of Austin. Beyond a space for exhibition, The Mall also actively facilitates education and community via four workshops annually, and the creation of new art via commissions of editioned work.

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Responsibilities:

◊ Assist with visual merchandising and displays, guided by Mall Workers Union Local 42069 (co-founders Lindsay Eyth & Zac Traeger)
◊ Research potential new artists to stock, focusing on artists of color, women & queer artists
◊ Visit other Austin area shops to research visual display ideas
◊ Help maintain a fresh and compelling social media presence
◊ Learn and share artist background/process/stories with Mall visitors
◊ Assist with Mall e-commerce order fulfillment
◊ Assist with inventory management
◊ May assist with correspondence with Mall artists/vendors

Skills needed:

◊ A strong interest in building skills in art, design and retail environments.
◊ A desire to build curatorial sensibilities in the fields of fashion, small sculpture, editioned goods, jewelry, music, small press, and other artist made products
◊ Strong attention to detail
◊ Experience with OR desire to learn platforms and applications including Shopify, Shipstation, Google Sheets, and Photoshop
◊ Excellent oral & written communication skills
◊ Being down with punching Nazis