

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES IN THE DEPARTMENT OF THEATRE AND FILM

Every year the Department of Theatre and Film produces a season of plays for public performance ranging from studio exercises to fully-mounted, professional-level productions. We also mount a full-scale Film Festival. These activities form an integral part of our program and involve graded class participation for a variety of performance, film, design, production, and management students. As well as training students to be actors and filmmakers, we feel strongly that a well-rounded theatre/film student needs to be involved in background production as well as the "business" of theatre and film, even at introductory levels, and that it is essential that students have as broad a perspective of these art forms as possible.

Students registered in THFM-2101 Acting Theory and Practice (2nd-Year Acting) are required to participate in these production but we welcome volunteers from all areas of the department.

General List of Activities Available for the 2018/19 Academic Year (subject to change):

SHOW DETAILS	TASKS / APPROX WORK PERIOD (varies by task)	
Show #1 – TBA at this time At the Gas Station Arts Centre Nov 27 – Dec 1	Costume or Props Preparation Postering Costume or Props Assistance Backstage Ushering during performances	Mid-Oct to Mid-Nov Mid Nov Late Nov Late Nov
Show #2 - TBA at this time At the Asper Centre Theatre Feb 12 – 16	Costume or Props Preparation Postering Costume or Props Assistance Backstage Ushering during performances	Early Jan to Mid-Feb Early Feb Mid-Feb Late Nov
Show #3 - TBA at this time At the Gas Station Arts Centre Apr 2 - 6	Costume or Props Preparation Postering Costume or Props Assistance Backstage Ushering during performances	Late Feb to Late Mar Mid Mar Early Apr Early Apr

Throughout the year a number of additional opportunities to volunteer arise. Please check the bulletin boards on the concourse level and by Room 3T03 regularly.

Some examples of these types of opportunity may include:

- ⌘ Assisting in various rehearsals as an Assistant Stage Manager
- ⌘ Auditioning to fill supporting roles in our shows or student scenes/films
- ⌘ Acting in scenes directed by our directing students
- ⌘ Workshopping scripts written by our playwriting or screenwriting students
- ⌘ Acting in film students' class projects
- ⌘ Assisting senior students with film shoots (acting, carrying equipment, etc.)
- ⌘ A variety of other activities, as they arise

**PLEASE SEE MELINDA IN ROOM 3T03 (204-786-9955)
TO SIGN UP FOR ANY OF THESE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES.**

She will keep your name on file and call you if/when jobs become available.

All of this work is suitable for résumés when applying ANY kind of work but of course especially for film and theatre-related opportunities.

. . . and we are grateful for any assistance you can provide.