

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-1010 Introduction to Filmmaking and THFM-2101 Acting Theory and Practice (2nd-Year Acting) are required to perform this work but occasionally we have additional jobs available as well and we welcome volunteers from all areas of the department.

General List of Activities Available for the 2016/17 Academic Year (subject to change):

SHOW DETAILS	APPROX WORK PERIOD (varies by job)	ASSISTANCE REQUIRED WITH:
Show #1: Acting IV: Honours <i>The Balcony</i> GSAC, 445 River Ave Tues, Nov 29 – Fri, Dec 2 – 8:00 pm & Sat, Dec 3 – 1:30 (TBC) & 7:00 pm	Mon, Oct 24-Wed, Dec 7, 2016	postering, prop building and acquisition, props runners, costume building and acquisition, costume runners, 3 Ushers per performance
Show # 2: Acting III: Honours <i>TBA</i> Theatre 1T15, ACTF Fri Feb 10-Sun Feb 12 – 8:00 pm & Wed, Feb 15-Thurs Feb 16 – 8:00 pm & Fri, Feb 17 – 7:00 pm	Wed, Jan 4-Wed, Feb 22, 2017 (Note: end date falls within Reading Week)	postering, props building and acquisition, props runners, costume building and acquisition, costume runners, running crew, lighting crew, light walkers, 3 Ushers per performance
Show #3: Acting IV: Honours <i>The Heidi Chronicles</i> GSAC, 445 River Ave Tues, Apr 4-Fri Apr 7 – 8:00 pm & Sat, Apr 8 - 7:00 pm	Mon, Feb 27-Wed, Apr 12, 2017	postering, prop building and acquisition, props runners, costume building and acquisition, costume runners, 3 Ushers per performance

Throughout the year a number of additional opportunities to volunteer arise. Please check the bulletin board in the Concourse Lounge and by Room 3T03 regularly. Some examples of this type of opportunity may include:

- 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 PATTY 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 for film and theatre-related work.
. . . and we are grateful for any assistance you give us.