

Resident Advisor

Resident Advisors play an integral role in the quality of YoungArts Week and the mentorship of our YoungArts finalists. For that reason, YoungArts has developed a critical selection process designed to identify qualified individuals.

The selection process will provide applicants with valuable interview and application experience as well as provide an opportunity to share with us your qualifications for the Resident Advisor position. It takes exceptional people to fulfill the many roles of a Resident Advisor and therefore, we take special care in selecting individuals with potential to develop leadership skills and grow within the YoungArts community.

The Application Process

Completed applications are due by 5 p.m. on Friday, August 1, 2011 via email to alumni@youngarts.org.

Applications must include:

- Questionnaire (completed)
- Resume
- Bio
- Headshot (with the photo credit; for use on our website if you are chosen)
- References
- Signed Statement of Truth

Candidates that prefer to mail their application are advised to do so early, as late applications will not be accepted.

Submission of the questionnaire should be no longer than two (2) pages written in Times New Roman 12 point font.

If you have any questions, please contact the Alumni Relations Manager at 305.377.1140 or alumni@youngarts.org.

Eligibility

You MUST be a YoungArts Alumni.

You MUST be out of the YoungArts program for two years (i.e. Class of 2010 can apply for 2012).

Compensation

It is understood that a Resident Advisor position cannot easily be translated into hours worked per day because of the unique nature of responsibilities and circumstances. The position requires a genuine personal commitment, flexibility, and good understanding of the unpredictable nature of the actual time involved. To compensate the Resident Advisor for this time and dedication, YoungArts provides Resident Advisors with a stipend. Compensation amount will be discussed during final selection.

Resident Advisor Application

At the top of each page of your application, please include:

First and Last Name

Year and Discipline of YoungArts award

Current Address

Current Phone Number

Current Email Address

Please respond to the following questions on additional sheets of paper:

What skills, qualities and traits do you have that would contribute to being a good Resident Advisor?

How has your YoungArts experience (both positive and negative) influenced your decision to apply for the Resident Advisor position?

Please tell us about any previous jobs or leadership roles that would be helpful in evaluating your eligibility as a Resident Advisor, and how these experiences relate to the Resident Advisor position.

Why are you applying for the Resident Advisor position?

What do you think the objective and outcome of being a Mentor is? How do you see yourself building and contributing to such a relationship?

What is your most significant experience, if any, in which you have engaged in/with a diverse setting?

Describe your strengths and how they may apply to this position.

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References and Statement of Truth

References

Please provide three references.

Name: _____ Position/Relationship: _____

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Statement of Truth

I certify that the information on the accompanying application is true and complete. I understand that any misrepresentation or omission of facts may be considered cause of rejection of my application or termination of employment. I understand that nothing contained in this application or in the granting of an interview is intended to create and employment contract between YoungArts and myself for either employment or the provision of any benefit. No promises of employment have been made to me. I understand that YoungArts retains the right to terminate my employment based on my performance of the position and/or failure to adhere to the terms and conditions as stated in the job description and from my supervisor upon the start of my contract period.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____