

Launchpad Facilitator Part-Time Position

Under the supervision of the Launchpad Coordinator, the Facilitator's main responsibilities include guest experience enhancement and educational activity facilitation of the Launchpad exhibit through engagement around the exhibit, hands-on activities, and technology demonstrations including virtual reality (VR) and augmented reality (AR).

Basic Function and Responsibilities including but not limited to:

- Learn exhibit content and activities that are based in STEAM (**S**cience, **T**echnology, **E**ngineering, **A**rt & Design, and **M**ath) and history to share them in exciting and creative ways with diverse audiences
- Comfortable with technology within the exhibit such as VR, AR, digital theater, touch screens, etc. to help engage guest interaction and troubleshoot any problems that may occur.
- Learn and retain knowledge for interpretation of objects.
- Proactively seek out guests and initiate conversations to provide exceptional guest experience.
- Support full time staff through opening and closing of the exhibit gallery, safety and emergency procedures, programming, guest interaction, and SQS appearance of the exhibit.
- Participate in both team meetings and training in professional development.
- Professionally represent the museum and its mission to guests.
- Be a fun, creative, and active member of Launchpad and contribute positively to its team culture.

Qualifications:

- A strong background/interest in science, history, theatre or related field preferred.
- Teaching and/or theatrical/public speaking experience strongly preferred.
- Comfortable learning a wide variety of content both in the work space and independently, including but not limited to: science, history, technology, engineering, art, and design.
- Confident interacting with diverse groups of all sizes, including varying ages, backgrounds, knowledge levels, learning styles, and special needs.
- Ability to positively meet challenges in an ever-changing environment with creativity and flexibility.
- Can work independently to identify jobs that needs to be done and follow through with little direction, while being able to adapt to working cooperatively with other team members.
- Fluency in multiple languages a plus (Spanish preferred).
- Proven ability to respond and make good decisions under pressure
- Ability to be active for extended periods of time, as well as frequent bending, standing, reaching, pushing, pulling, and lifting.
- Candidates must also possess the ability to lift up to 20 pounds.
- Ability to work varied shifts, including evenings, weekends and holidays. Hours may vary by the needs of the museum and seasonally

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