



Woodinville

GENERAL INFORMATION

Position Title: Costume Craftsperson & millinery (Craft Master, Costume Properties Artisan)

Pay Status: Non-Exempt

Job Status: Full-Time

Reports To: Costume Shop Manager, Designer, Lead Cutter/Draper & First Hand

Employer: TZZ LCC

Start Date: ASAP

Last Revision Date: 4/12/2019

POSITION SUMMARY:

The craftsperson will work on a variety of costume accessories, millinery and embellishments for both performers and staff. The Costume Craftsperson is the theatre artist who creates all accessory or special costume projects as designated by the Costume Designer.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Interprets and implements costume crafts project as designated by the Costume Designer. These items may include, but are not limited to: hats, jewelry, footwear, armor, foam structures, mechanical costumes, puppets, masks, belts, fans, and purses.
- Fabricates the patterns for items through sculpting, drafting or draping.
- Fits items on actors as necessary.
- Manages time in an effective manner.
- Manages personal safety.
- Performs other duties as assigned by Costume Director.

MEASURABLE STANDARDS:

Solid knowledge of construction and sewing techniques for jewelry, ornamentation, crafts and millinery.

Knowledge of various sewing machine use and best practices for costume ornamentation.

Planning and production excellence.

Seeks direction when appropriate to best achieve design intent.

Able to be on time and reliable.

Able to provide timely completion of duties at a high level of quality.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Demonstrated theatrical millinery, ornamentation and crafts making experience with a variety of materials, including, but not limited to: fabric and fibers, paint, jewelry components, leather, adhesives, celastic (and non-toxic substitutes), metal work.
- Strong stitching, machine work as well as hand finishing will be required.
- Demonstrated ability to use power tools including, but not limited to: drills, sanders, band saws.
- Knowledge of respirator use and basic safety procedures.
- Demonstrated ability in mold-making techniques.
- Basic knowledge of painting and dyeing techniques for the stage.

- Good interpersonal and communication skills.
- Good organizational skills: manages time effectively on each project, maintains personal work area, including sewing machines as necessary to keep work moving effectively, communicates with other team member to address problems and their possible solutions.
- The Craftsperson will work under a tight time schedule and help problem solve sewing and costume finishing issues. Performs other duties as assigned by your team leader.
- A portfolio is required as well as three or more references from theatre employers.

SHOW SUMMARY:

Teatro ZinZanni Woodinville presents a full evening of entertainment, combining cirque artists, European cabaret, contortionists, jugglers and illusionists with live music and a gourmet multi-course meal. Set in an antique jewel box tent imported from Belgium, our newest show “Hollywood and Vine” is now showing at our new location in Woodinville.

WORKING SCHEDULE/ENVIRONMENT

Primary schedule is Monday through Friday 9:30am – 6:00 p.m. Schedule may vary according to tech and fitting schedules & holidays.

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