



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY |

Story Theatre is inviting applications for **TWO Arts Positions**

These are Canada Summer Jobs grant positions. The Requirements:

- * be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment
- * be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act for the duration of the employment
- * have a valid Social Insurance Number and be legally entitled to work in Canada

1. Administrative Assistant

Are you an emerging Arts Administrator? Interested in early career professional experience? We are looking for an energetic, engaged, and organized individual to work with us over the next couple of months. You must be flexible, self-motivated, and interested in Theatre for Young Audiences.

Duties will include general administrative and production work at a busy time in our season. This is including, but not limited to: production planning, tour marketing and promotion, sponsorship negotiations, fundraising planning, grant applications, financial planning, board liaisons and policy research all under the guidance of the General Manager. The position will also work closely with the Communications Coordinator and the Artistic Director, offering a well-rounded experience in Arts Management.

30 hours a week for 8 weeks

2. Teaching Artist

Do you love to work with children? Are you a performing artist who wants to specialize in Theatre for Young Audiences? We are looking for a dynamic artist with a great independent and collaborative work ethic to join our summer troupe and lead local outreach activities. You must be a motivated, confident, and fun representative of our company.

Duties will include planning and performing in our summer outreach activities and productions. This is including, but not limited to: production planning, leading storytelling workshops, marketing and promotion, sponsorship negotiations, fundraising planning, grant applications,



financial planning, board liaisons and policy research all under the guidance of the General Manager. You will receive first-rate teacher training and work closely with our Artistic Director and Communication Coordinator, offering a well-rounded professional development opportunity.

30 hours a week for 14 weeks

A Little Bit about Us:

Story Theatre is a Victoria-based company that tours across British Columbia, Canada and occasionally internationally. The Company performs Theatre for Young Audiences and Family Friendly shows using original scripts that are presented with elements of the Story Theatre technique, a specific narrative style. Our performances are staged mostly in learning environments such as schools, community libraries, and museums: the company's mandate is to create productions for young people that enhance and complement learning experiences. We use the familiar content and style of folk tales, fables, and classic literature, as theatrical vehicles to promote literacy and social responsibility. The company's mainstage season currently consists of two shows, one of which is written by the Artistic Director and a second production which is commissioned by the company and endeavours to support diverse voices and varied perspectives. Additional productions are based on projects that the company undertakes that support our vision and mandate.

Story Theatre is committed to working with emerging artists on developing and expanding their Artistic Practices and giving them a professional experience at the beginning of their theatrical careers. Since 1981 the company has developed a reputation for the highest Artistic Standards in its performances and is nationally recognized as a leader in the world of Theatre for Young Audiences.

How to Apply:

Please send a resume and cover letter **no later than May 6, 2019** via email to: erica@storytheatre.ca

Anticipated Start Date: May 20, 2019. Exact date to be determined dependent on the successful candidate.

Remuneration:

\$14.00/hour