



POSITION: Summer Interpreter
SUPERVISOR: Senior Manager, Education
CLASSIFICATION: Support

The Art Gallery of Hamilton, the oldest and largest art museum in Southern Ontario, is looking for a part-time Interpreter to join our team on a 15-week contract, beginning May 15. The role is expected to be between 8 –15 hours per week.

Founded in 1914, the Art Gallery of Hamilton is the oldest and largest art museum in Southern Ontario with a permanent collection that is recognized as one of the finest in Canada. Embracing Canadian historical, international and contemporary art, the collection consists of more than 10,000 works. The AGH is renowned for presenting outstanding exhibitions and complementary programming for visitors of all ages. In addition to AGH Tours and AGH Talks, the Gallery offers studios for adults and kids, family activities, school programs, film programming, performances and more, all online and in person.

As a key member of the Programs and Education team, the Summer Interpreter will be responsible for the development, production and delivery of tours and activities directly related to exhibitions currently installed within the Gallery, primarily the exhibition, *To Play in the Face of Certain Defeat* by Esmaa Mohamoud. These activities will be delivered throughout the summer with a focus on Thursday evenings, Sunday family programming, youth activities, and special events. Tours will be delivered on-site and/or digitally in accordance to social distancing protocols.

The ideal candidate is a strong verbal communicator who is skilled at engaging others in dialog about important issues of social justice. An understanding of contemporary art is key, as is an interest in gallery education. The successful candidate must demonstrate an interest in public programming, visual art and/or culture, and must be comfortable engaging with audiences of all ages. They will possess excellent digital skills including delivery of presentations on MS Teams and Zoom. Ideally, they will be pursuing work in the arts, art history, or education, and will have knowledge of and enthusiasm for the obligations on museum to be safer, more inclusive, more welcoming spaces. They will also need to be flexible with availability as evenings and weekends are required on occasion.

The AGH is organizationally committed to improving equity both within our institution and across our sector. We encourage applicants from all equity-seeking communities to apply, with priority given to Black, Indigenous, and people of colour, recognizing that both lived and learned experiences will inform the success of this role.

Interested applicants can email a complete resume to hr@artgalleryofhamilton.com prior to the application deadline of April 23, 2021. We encourage applications from all qualified individuals; however, only those under consideration will be contacted

As an equal opportunity employer, we are committed to establishing a qualified workforce that is reflective of the diverse population we serve. The Art Gallery of Hamilton is committed to providing accommodations throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodation, please notify us and we will work with you to meet your needs.