

GROUNDSWELL SEEKS SUMMER INTERN

Seeking: Responsible, independent, studio art, art education and/or arts management college-level student or recent graduate.

Must have:

- 1) Strong organizational and communication skills
- 2) Interest in working with inner-city communities and youth
- 3) Interest in how art can work in civic and community development

Position:

Unpaid Internship. We can verify hours for college credit where applicable. Metrocards are provided.

Schedule:

Start Date: June.

End Date: Late August or Early September

We request at least two days a week commitment, 9am-5pm.

Responsibilities:

- 1) Assisting with coordination of the logistics involved in organizing multiple large-scale murals at sites across the city.
- 2) Assist with the ordering, delivery and site drop-off of all paint and supplies for each mural.
- 4) Assist with collection of evaluation data.
- 5) Assist with photo-documentation of projects.
- 6) Assist with fabrication of current murals and touch-ups of existing murals.
- 7) Basic data entry.

This position offers the opportunity to participate in creating community murals that bring together artists, youth and communities in visually renewing city neighborhoods and to gain unique insight to how art transforms public space and engages community in civic activity and dialogue.

About Groundswell:

For 19 years, Groundswell has been transforming neighborhoods with dynamic public art that delights, inspires, and invigorates thousands of New Yorkers each day. These projects—strong collaborations among underserved youth, professional artists, and community organizations—not only enhance neighborhoods: they create a visible and enduring platform for the perspectives of

communities whose voices are rarely central to the public dialogue about issues that affect their lives and well-being.

To apply, please email a cover letter and resume to resume@groundswell.nyc (Project Manager in subject line).

No faxes, phone calls or in-person deliveries, please. We regret that we cannot respond to every application; only potential candidates will be contacted.

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