Announcing... LAGUARDIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE MUSEUM EDUCATION FELLOWSHIP AT BARD GRADUATE CENTER GALLERY

For Academic Year 2020-21 Applications Due Oct. 19, 2020

About

Bard Graduate Center [bgc.bard.edu] is devoted to the study of decorative arts, design history, and material culture through research, advanced degrees, exhibitions, publications, and events. At Bard Graduate Center, we study the human past through its material traces. We study objects—from those created for obvious aesthetic value to the ordinary things that are part of everyday life. Learning is what Bard Graduate Center is all about. Our accomplished faculty inspire students to strive for excellence, knowing that this will prepare them for the intellectual and professional rigors of careers in academia, in museums, and in the private sector. This high standard is equally the hallmark of the Gallery's acclaimed exhibitions and related public programs.

The Center's campus comprises a state-of-the-art academic programs building at 38 West 86th Street, the Gallery at 18 West 86th Street, and a residence hall at 410 West 58th Street. Founded by Dr. Susan Weber in 1993, Bard Graduate Center is an academic unit of Bard College through which it is accredited and a member of the Association of Research Institutes in Art History (ARIAH).

Dates

Fall Semester: October 23, 2020 - December 18, 2020

Spring: January 29 - May 14, 2020

Stipend

Fall Semester: \$1000.00 Spring Semester: \$1500.00

Hours

Approximately 6-8 hours a week

During the Fall Semester Education Fellows must be free on Fridays from 12 - 1:30 pm to attend professional development workshops.

Additional hours to be determined by the Education Fellow.

Expectations

During the fall semester Museum Education Fellows will attend a series of professional development workshops and tour planning sessions for our Spring exhibition, <u>Majolica Mania [bgc.bard.edu]</u>.

During the spring semester Museum Education Fellows will lead approximately eight 60 minute K-12 tours on Zoom Tuesday - Saturday - times and days of the week will be determined by the Fellow. In addition, Fellows will participate in additional professional development workshops.

Upon completion Fellows turn in a creative reflection and evaluation.

Who can apply

Students enrolled at LaGuardia Community, CUNY in any major. We are particularly reaching out to students in Fine Arts, Humanities, Social Science, and those students interested in exploring museum, arts, communications, and cultural careers, and all majors are welcome. There is no GPA requirement. Applicants should be able to commit to all the dates listed for the academic year 2020-21. For more information on LaGuardia's existing collaboration with Bard Graduate Center, please see Connecting Threads: Fashioning Identity in a Global World virtual exhibition http://bgcxlaguardia.bgcdml.net/

How to Apply: Due Date Oct. 19, 2020

To apply, please submit the following materials electronically via email to carla.repice@bgc.bard.edu: (1) cover letter explaining why you want to be an museum education fellow at Bard Graduate Center; (2) CV or resume; (4) names and contact information for two references (your references can be LaGuardia professors or other professional or academic references). All materials must be received by October 19, 2020.