

Position Available - Lead House Manager

POSITION DESCRIPTION:

The House Manager for the Broadway Theatre Center is responsible that all front-of-house operations are conducted in a safe, courteous, and professional manner. The House Manager schedules, trains, recruits and supervises the Assistant House Managers and volunteer usher corps.

SUMMARY OF RESPONSIBILITIES:

The House Manager will successfully:

- 1. Recruit, schedule and train Assistant House Managers.
- 2. Develop and maintain a master calendar for front-of-house supervision.
- 3. Maintain an up-to-date schedule of ushers for all performances of Skylight Music Theatre, Milwaukee Chamber Theatre, and any other performances. Ensure that the appropriate number of ushers are scheduled for each performance.
- 4. Provide annual and ongoing usher training and recruitment. Communicate as needed with ushers for scheduling, training and recruitment.
- 5. House Manager will schedule themselves on a regularly distributed basis. During this time most of the administrative work would be accomplished.

REPORTING RELATIONSHIPS:

The House Manager reports to the Director of Marketing

QUALIFICATIONS:

Candidates should have excellent people skills, a sense of humor, energy and drive.

- > Experience in dealing with a wide variety of people in a multitude of situations in a polite yet direct fashion.
- Strong oral and written communication skills.
- Strong attention to detail.
- > Superior strategic thinking and planning skills are required.
- An ability to prioritize and excel at many different tasks in a fast-paced environment.
- Familiarity with the breadth of performing arts management is a plus.

PART TIME POSITION:

- Each performance shift is approximately 4 hours, and compensation is on an hourly basis.
- This position is expected to also spend an average of 5 hours a week doing administrative tasks related to House Management (answering emails, setting up events in Volunteerhub/SignUpGenius, etc.)
- Events include theatre and cabaret performances (for Skylight Music Theatre and Milwaukee Chamber Theatre), rentals, weddings and daytime student matinees.

Start Date: August/September 2024

Interested individuals should submit by email a cover letter with resume to:

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