



Position Title: Curiosity Collaborators (*Education Focus*)

Department: Education and Experiences

Reports to: Manager, Program Delivery

FLSA Classification: Part time (minimum 12 hours per week) OR Full time, hourly, non-exempt

Salary Range: \$15.00 – \$18.00 pending experience and skills

Job Summary:

Do you like the creativity and curiosity of science? Are you enthusiastic about engaging with others and facilitating their learning and exploration? The Museum of Science and Curiosity is looking to build a diverse team of Curiosity Collaborators to bring our museum to life by animating content and delivering programs. You will inspire guests on their learning journey and exploration throughout the museum, and collaborate with them to achieve the learning, activation, and participation goals for MOSAC. Collaborators are responsible for providing interactive experiences of science, technology, and creativity, enhancing visitor engagement with exhibits, presenting stage and planetarium shows, presenting Academies and School Lab programs, and facilitating during special events. Our guests are all ages and knowledge levels - help them unlock their curiosity, creativity, and problem-solving skills. This role contributes to the overall mission of MOSAC as a fun, active, and knowledgeable representative. *At this time MOSAC is looking for Collaborators who will focus on school programming.*

Skills & Talents:

- **Classroom experience in K-12 settings with classroom management, timing, and presentation preferred**
- Experience teaching in a formal or informal setting or recreation environment preferred, including following a lesson or activity program or script
- Experienced and effective talking to members of the public and staff of all ages, backgrounds, and abilities in one-on-one conversations or large group presentations
- Ability to work well with children of all ages, experience with children of diverse backgrounds and abilities preferred
- Understanding of the role of play and inquiry in learning
- Excellent personal communication skills, uses humor and is seen as accessible and can adjust communication styles easily and quickly based on visitor need
- Ability to work well and communicate within a diverse team

Duties/Responsibilities:

- Collaborators are responsible for leading and facilitating all daily exhibit and program experiences inside and on the grounds of the museum
- Follow and enforce any related Pandemic Safety protocols, or general safety protocols, as trained by the MOSAC team following State and County health guidelines
- Stimulating children's curiosity and questioning, problem-solving and creativity, and active participation of all knowledge levels
- Balancing the changing conditions of a multi-learner environment with safety, daily scheduling, and group/individual needs.

Education and Experience:

- Classroom or informal teaching experience
- High school diploma or equivalent
- Experience or education in science, education, or child development at the college or jr. college level
- Two years of college is an asset
- Understanding of early childhood learning, in an informal learning environment is an asset
- Formal Diversity, Inclusion, Equity and Accessibility training is an asset

Physical Requirements:

- May require standing and walking 75-100% of the time, lifting up to a maximum of 15 pounds, and other physical actions that include stooping, kneeling, bending, standing
- Work may involve outdoor activities in addition to programs within the facility
- Physical demands and work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee encounters while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions of this position.

In order to protect our team members, volunteers, students, and guests, MOSAC requires that all employees be fully vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccination series approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or the World Health Organization (WHO). Reasonable accommodation will be made for a qualified disability or sincerely held religious belief.

This position is at-will, hourly, full time or part time. Full-time employees (32 hours or more) are eligible for benefits.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

A complete job profile is available upon request.

Please submit a cover letter, CV or resume addressing your qualifications as they align with the job description, and names with contact information of two to three references by email to khensley@visitmosac.org No phone calls will be taken for this application.