



Position: Art Model

Reports to: Visual Arts Program Director

Location: Telluride, CO

AH HAA SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS

For over 30 years, Ah Haa School for the Arts (Ah Haa) has been inspiring people of all ages to discover, nurture and celebrate their creative possibilities. Ah Haa School for the Arts has been a place of inspiration, creativity, and curiosity for people of all ages in Telluride and the surrounding Colorado communities. In 2021, Ah Haa moved into downtown's arts district in the Silver Jack building, a 10,000 square-foot, purpose-built community center with enhanced studios and thoughtfully designed classrooms that spark expanded opportunities for participation. Ah Haa is also home to the prestigious American Academy of Bookbinding (AAB) located at the nearby historic Stone Building.

What We Are Looking For

As an Art Model at the Ah Haa School for the Arts, you will enable students to draw the human body by posing nude, or clothed, for class participants. The ideal candidate should be able to hold poses for varying lengths of time, from 30 seconds to the duration of the class period. Models are given a short break after maintaining the same pose for 20 minutes.

Physical ability is not a requirement for this position; however, body awareness and the ability to provide a full range of body gestures and poses is required. Models of all genders, ages, and body types are encouraged to apply. The work is performed in an indoor studio setting under the supervision of the class instructor/monitor during class hours. Work hours are typically scheduled in 2 or 3-hour blocks.

Qualifications:

- Models must be capable of holding a variety of standing and/or sitting poses, from 30 seconds to as long as 20 minutes of continuous modeling time
- Ability to provide a full range of traditional and creative life drawing poses and gestures
- Comfortable posing nude
- Reliability, punctuality, and professionalism
- Must be 18 years of age or older

Benefits:

- Free admission to one *Open Studio Figure Drawing* session per season

SALARY RANGE: \$25.00 - \$35.00/hr. depending on experience

In compliance with Colorado's Equal Pay for Equal Work Act (EPEWA) we are disclosing the compensation for this position. Factors that may be used to determine your actual salary may include your specific skills, years of experience in this field

and in comparison, to other employees already in this role. A potential new employee's salary history will not be used in a compensation decision.

Interested candidates, please email cover letter and resume to Ah Haa School for the Arts (natalie@ahhaa.org). No phone calls please.

NOTE: This job description is not intended to be all-inclusive. Employees may perform other related duties as established to meet the ongoing needs of the business. AH HAA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS is an "at-will" employer.

AH HAA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy), sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability, marital status, or status as a U.S. Veteran.

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