Part-Time Security Guard

The Hudson River Museum in Yonkers, NY has an immediate opening for a part-time hourly Security Guard. As a public-facing staff member of the museum, the Security Guard is highly visible and must maintain a decorous environment at all times. Key responsibilities include ensuring the safety and security of all visitors and staff as well as all objects throughout the buildings. All security guards must maintain a valid security guard license from the New York State Division of Licensing Services.

This position reports to the Assistant Director, Facilities and Operations through the Security Supervisor.

Specific responsibilities include:

- Opening/Closing and unlocking/locking of museum facilities, and arming/disarming of security systems
- Staffing the Front Desk during public business hours
- Guarding galleries during public business hours
- Facilitating attendance of visitors to Planetarium shows and museum programs
- Assisting with logistics of group visits, including school groups, as well as internal and outside events
- Attending weekly training/information meetings
- Following the policies & procedures detailed in the HRM Security Procedures Manual
- Such other tasks as may be assigned from time to time
- Willingness to train for fire safety, CPR and AED

Schedule:
- Wednesday 10:00 am to 6:00 pm
- Saturday 9:30 am to 5:30 pm
- Sunday 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Compensation: $15.00 per hour
Requirements for Security Guard candidates:

- Previous security experience
- Valid New York State Security Guard License
- High school diploma
- Candidates must successfully pass ALL pre-employment screenings
- Physical and Mental - Must be in good physical condition, capable of assisting in the lifting of a visitor if circumstances warrant.
- Ability to sit, stand for extended periods of time, walk, stoop, bend, lift and climb stairs.
- Ability to make quick decisions, follow established policies and procedures.
- Ability to communicate both verbally and in writing.
- Flexibility to work additional hours as requested during after-hours Museum events.

Staff members receive an HRM ID card, which entitles the holder to free admission to numerous museums and cultural institutions.

To apply: Send cover letter and resume to employment@hrm.org. Include “Security Guard” in the subject line. Applications without a cover letter will not be considered.

The Hudson River Museum is a preeminent cultural institution in Westchester County and the New York Metropolitan area. Situated on the banks of the Hudson River in Yonkers, New York, the HRM’s mission is to engage, inspire, and connect diverse communities through the power of the arts, sciences, and history.

The Museum offers engaging experiences for nearly every age and interest, with an ever-growing collection of American art; dynamic exhibitions that range from notable nineteenth-century paintings to contemporary art installations; Glenview, an 1877 house on the National Register of Historic Places; a state-of-the-art Planetarium; an environmental teaching gallery; and an outdoor Amphitheater. The Museum is dedicated to collecting, preserving, exhibiting, and interpreting these multidisciplinary offerings, which are complemented by an array of public programs that encourage creative expression, collaboration, and artistic and scientific discovery.

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