

Internship Opportunity with SUONI PER IL POPOLO (Festival Intern) Summer 2024

POSITION:	Festival Intern- promotion and production
LOCATION:	Montreal, QC. In-person: intern is expected to intern at the host organization office location.
DESCRIPTION OF HOST ORGANIZATION:	<p>Montreal's Suoni Per Il Popolo music festival derives its name from the Italian, Sounds For the People, and is dedicated to presenting exploratory forms of music and sound featuring an eclectic mixture of genres including New Music, Musique Actuelle, Free Jazz, Free Improv, Electronic, Folk, Out World, Sound Art and Avant Rock performed by artists who hail from down the block to around the world. The festival believes this eclectic approach is the best way to provide audiences with a compelling, inspiring and creative overview of the contemporary music scene.</p> <p>The festival was established in 2001, an exciting period in Montreal which saw the city's local independent music scene become a globally recognized phenomenon. It was mandated to program diverse experimental music featuring local, national, and international artists in an informal, relaxed atmosphere designed to appeal to audiences.</p> <p>The Suoni Per Il Popolo is based in Montreal's Mile End, an incredibly vibrant and active neighborhood which is home to a diverse linguistic and cultural group. The festival is part of a broad international effort undertaken by critics, academics, audiences, presenters, and artists to redefine understanding of contemporary avant-garde music away from a strictly European based avant-garde classical approach to a more plural one that fully acknowledges that experimental creative activity takes place within a variety of cultural, ethnic and economic contexts which should receive fair access to training, funding, support and recognition.</p>
INTERN'S DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The student will be working with the promotion and production teams of the festival. - Organizing the front of house at concerts. <p><i>Interns' duties and projects may not be as listed. These will depend on the needs of the host organization.</i></p>
HOST ORGANIZATION REQUIREMENTS:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Comfortable with multi-tasking and would enjoy working in our office's busy and informal atmosphere. - Comfortable with computers, and basic excel programs. - Preferably but not necessarily bilingual. - Interested in seeing how a large music event comes together and is organized. - Likes to work in an environment with a lot of autonomy and a chance to develop your skills and experience.
HOURS:	20 hours a week
DATES:	11 weeks between May 6 to July 19, 2024. (Dates to be finalized with host organization)
RENUMERATION:	\$ 3,520 CAD issued to the intern through a Faculty of Arts Internship Award.
HOW TO APPLY:	Students must complete the online Arts Internship Application Form available on the AIO website: https://www.mcgill.ca/arts-internships/internships/postings
APPLICATION DEADLINE:	February 11, 2024

ELIGIBILITY:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Full time McGill Faculty of Arts students (B.A., B.A & Sc., BSW, B.Th., M.A., MSW, MIS) - Minimum CGPA of 2.7* - Returning to McGill in the same program in the fall semester following the internship - Fulfill Faculty of Arts requirements as outlined in the Interns Handbook https://www.mcgill.ca/arts-internships/resources - Provide proof of medical insurance for duration of internship
COSTS:	The intern is responsible for all costs associated with the internship including transportation, accommodations, etc.
ACCOMMODATIONS:	Finding suitable lodging during the internship is the responsibility of the intern.
TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS:	Pre-Departure Orientation is mandatory for students applying to internships that require travel outside of Canada. You will be required to download the certificate of completion in your application.
TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS:	Preparing travel arrangements to and from the internship host organization is the responsibility of the intern.
ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:	<p>Interns are responsible for informing themselves of what entry requirements are required to visit and work as an intern in the internship host country. These may include a visa, work permit, passport valid for at least 6 months after entry, and proof of certain vaccinations.</p> <p>The intern is responsible for acquiring all necessary documents in time for the beginning of their internship.</p>

Please Note:

**If you feel you have experienced barriers which have had an impact on your academic performance and wish to highlight these to the selection committee, the documents/comments will be taken into consideration.*

We will get back to you shortly after the deadline if you are selected for an interview. The Arts Internship Office will then transmit the selected applications to the host organization, which will ultimately be responsible for the selection of the candidate(s). Students who do not receive offers will be notified on a rolling basis as decisions are made.