

Now Hiring: STE(A)M Instructor - Teen Apprenticeship **Type**: Part-time (In-Person) **Locations**: Red Hook and Governor's Island

About Beam Center

At Beam we work together to construct spectacular projects - big and small - that highlight the magic of creative cooperation. We are a community of individuals who are adaptable, problem-solving, curious, independent and collaborative. We are artists, performers, teachers, fabricators, activists, engineers and more. Our staff includes more than 30 adults with a wide range of educational experiences, united by our passion for making things, collaboration, equity, and community. We work in-person in a variety of settings, including classrooms, fabrication labs and public spaces throughout New York City. More than 96% of the young people we serve identify as youth of color and/or newly immigrated. Check out our <u>Staff Spotlight series</u> to learn more about the talented people who work at Beam Center.

Responsibilities:

STE(A)M Instructor's will develop and lead hands-on learning experiences for youth 14-22 who will be participating in Beam Center's Summer Apprenticeship. They have a passion for learning new skills and for sharing their knowledge, skill, and insight with their collaborators and students.

- Design creative hands-on projects that synthesize different skills and ideas in collaboration with artists, teachers, youth and Beam Center Staff
- Create detailed instructions, order materials and maintain a project schedule
- Co-teach projects alongside program facilitators across two cohorts of youth
- Manage a complex schedule with multiple sites across the five boroughs
- Maintain communication with various teams or partners
- Work as part of a team to maintain the shop and studio

Qualifications of strong candidates:

- A creative practice and technical expertise in one or more of the following: Printmaking, Electronics, Physical Computing, Engineering, Fabrication (Digital and non-digital), Woodworking, Textiles
- Experience teaching or working with youth, especially Spanish Speaking English Language Learners.
- Highly collaborative, able to ask questions, offer insight, professional opinions, and celebrate teamwork
- Highly independent, able to set and manage personal goals, expectations, and schedule
- Detail oriented with experience managing multi-faceted projects while meeting deadlines
- Imaginative, able to be flexible and resourceful, in the midst of change, uncertainty, and growth
- Curious, life-long learner

Schedule & Compensation

Hours: 4 days/week ~9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (20-30 hrs/week) Dates: June 24- August 18th 2024 Compensation: \$27/hr

How to Apply

- 1. Familiarize yourself with our organization by checking out our <u>website</u>, <u>Instagram</u>, and <u>Youtube</u>. Email <u>jobs@beamcenter.org</u> with any questions.
- When you're ready to submit your application please <u>organize the following documents as a single PDF</u>: Cover Letter (<300 words), Resume and Work samples (photos, curriculum, link to website, etc). Applications can be emailed to jobs@beamcenter.org