

ASSISTANT SCENIC ARTIST

August 08, 2022

Position Type: Full-Time Seasonal Contract from September to May (30 – 35 weeks)

The Royal Manitoba Theatre Centre exists to celebrate the widest spectrum of theatre art. Deeply rooted in the province of Manitoba, which gave it life and provides for its growth, Royal MTC aspires to both reflect and engage the community it serves. Canada's oldest regional theatre, Royal MTC produces ten plays at two venues, the Winnipeg Fringe Theatre Festival, extensive engagement, outreach and educational activities, and an annual Regional Tour each season. RoyalMTC.ca

The Assistant Scenic Artist plays a key role in helping bring to life Royal MTC productions. Working under the direction of the Head Scenic Artist, this position is responsible for assisting with all aspects of scenic painting and sculpting. At times working independently on assigned projects with a high degree of independence. In addition, this position will support the Head Scenic Artist in providing guidance and supervision to casual paint crews.

Must be available throughout the Royal MTC building season and able to work some night and weekend shifts as required.

Qualifications:

- A background in fine arts or interior design is an asset
- Minimum two years' experience in theatrical scenic art
- Ability to read theatrical ground plans and estimate paint time
- Knowledge of various paint and art forms
- Drawing and sculpting skills required
- Good physical condition (able to climb ladders)
- Comfortable with heights
- Able to assist in moving scenic elements as required for painting

Salary Range

Starting salary will be commensurate with qualifications and experience. The range for this position is \$23.00 - \$26.00 Hourly.

Position includes benefits and organizational matching RRSP that starts after qualifying period.

Interested candidates are asked to submit their resume and cover letter to Russell Martin at rmartin@royalmtc.ca by **Friday, September 9th, 2022.**

We thank all candidates for their interest; however only candidates selected for further consideration will be contacted.

Commitment

As demonstrated by our Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Anti-Racism Commitment to Action, Royal MTC is on a deliberate and strategic path to creating an inclusive environment for all employees, and to becoming an anti-racist organization. We desire to attract a workforce that reflects and shares these values. Recognizing the history of underrepresentation of Indigenous, Black, and people of colour (IBPOC) leadership positions in our company, we will prioritize qualified individuals who self-identify as IBPOC.

Royal MTC is committed to accommodating applicants with disabilities throughout the hiring process and will work with all applicants requesting accommodation at any stage of our process. If you require additional accommodations or have any questions about this role, please email hr@royalmtc.ca

COVID-19 Protocols

In order to ensure appropriate health and safety, all Royal MTC staff are required to show proof of COVID-19 vaccination prior to starting employment, and expected to comply with current policies for indoor masking requirements, which may evolve at any time.