

Theatre Technician for Shakespeare-in-the-Park

Timeframe: June 13-August 6, 2022 (8 weeks) Location: Montreal, in-person Salary: \$14.25/hour, 40 hours per week Application Deadline: May 20 at 5pm \*Candidate must be eligible for Canada Summer Jobs program\*

Founded in 1988, Montreal's Repercussion Theatre is best known for its annual Shakespeare-in-the-Park summer tour. As a professional theatre company and non-profit arts organization, our core values are artistic excellence, social relevance and accessibility. Repercussion Theatre is committed to equity and diversity in its exploration of classical theatre in today's world, and so we encourage applicants from all cultural backgrounds, abilities and gender identities to apply. This role will support the 2022 Shakespeare-in-the-Park tour, running from July 14 to August 6.

The Theatre Technician is a member of our Production Team and a vital part of our tour's success. They help to build the set, setup and tear down the stage and equipment for each show, and act as backstage crew for each show. They work on site with the Technical Director, Production Manager and Artistic Director, as well as all other members of the team, and learn a tremendous amount about putting on a full-scale production from start to finish. The Technician's tasks include:

- Attending production meetings to understand their role as a contributing member of the production team and to understand critical paths for completing assignments according to specifications.
- Assisting in the construction, rigging, set up and strike of the stage and related technical equipment during pre-production, performances and post-production.
- Assisting in the maintenance of the stage, lighting, sound, props, and tents to ensure that all equipment stays in good working order and meets municipal and union safety standards.
- Assist in the transportation of the set, sound and lighting equipment.

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Preferred Profile and Abilities

- Experience in theatre production and/or relevant studies
- Ability to work outdoors and lift heavy objects
- Ability to work as part of a team
- Strong English level (spoken and written) required; basic French level (spoken and written) an asset
- Driver's license is considered an asset

## <u>Eligibility</u>

Please note that applicants must be eligible for the Canada Summer Jobs program by meeting all of the following criteria:

- be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment
- be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* for the duration of the employment; *and*
- have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations.

(Les candidats bilingues (anglais et français) seront considérés prioritairement.)

Please email a cover letter and resume to Linnea Jimison, General Manager at <u>hr@repercussiontheatre.com</u> by May 20 at 5pm. We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only candidates selected for an interview will be contacted.