



The McCord Museum celebrates our past and present lives – Our history, our people, and our stories. A museum that mirrors a city open to the world, the McCord is an intelligent Museum that connects individuals with cultures and communities, offering a current take on today's issues. Contemporary and interactive, the McCord encourages us to reflect upon the past while engaging with the present.

The McCord Museum is seeking a
Technician, Exhibitions (short term contract)
Reference # 201702E

The Museum's Exhibition program has a strong tradition of offering quality exhibitions on a wide array of subjects that provide visitors with a unique historical experience. The Museum also relies upon a solid network of collaborators, including exhibition professionals, suppliers, and research, creation, design and production experts. **The incumbent will participate in the preparation, installation and maintenance of exhibitions, in collaboration with the Museum's exhibition team.**

Duties and responsibilities of the incumbent, under the supervision of the Chief Technician:

- Prepare, install, maintain and dismantle exhibitions and special projects
- Plan, design and produce mounts for all objects from the collection or loaned objects for exhibitions
- Build crates, pack objects and help with the transport of objects
- Install lighting and soundscapes for exhibitions and events
- Move collection objects, showcases and related equipment for exhibitions
- Provide technical assistance to other departments, if required

Employment conditions:

- Temporary position. 35 hours per week. Occasional work in evenings and on weekends
- Salary commensurate with experience
- Bank of candidates on call

Qualifications and profile required:

- A completed college degree as technician in Museum Studies
- 2 to 5 years relevant experience, including the use of workshop tools to work different materials (wood, plexi, metal, etc.)
- Ability to remain standing for an extended period and lift heavy and bulky objects
- Great manual dexterity, characterized by precision and attention to detail and a strong sense of spatial organization
- Ability to drive a light truck, an asset
- Ability to read plans
- Versatility, ability to plan, autonomous, shows initiative
- Ability to solve various problems in a creative manner while respecting the rules and museological standards
- Awareness of work health and safety regulations and best practices in the profession
- Communicates effectively and has team spirit

Application Instructions

Applications for the position will be accepted until **Monday, February 6, 2017**. Qualified candidates are encouraged to apply by email with a letter of intent and curriculum vitae. A mention of reference **#201701E** should be included in the subject header. Forward to Geneviève Lafrance, Head, Expositions, at rh.mccord@mccord-stewart.ca or at 2175 Victoria St., Montreal, QC H3A 2A3

For details on the McCord Museum, please consult the McCord website: www.mccord-museum.qc.ca
Although we thank all applicants for their interest, only selected candidates will be called for an interview.