

Docent Training Program Application

Harn Museum of Art

We welcome your application to the Harn Museum Docent Program. Volunteer Docents at the Harn serve a range of museum audiences including children, adults and students through a variety of tour programs. The rigorous and ongoing training makes this a long-term volunteer commitment of at least 3 years. Completing the New Docent Training Program and passing a final tour assignment – all with the support of Staff and Docent Mentors – are required for participation as an Active Docent.

Applications are accepted based on space availability and the ability to meet the program requirements.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Mailing Address: _____

Do you regularly spend a portion of the year living in Gainesville? Yes _____ No _____

Email Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

Education: _____ **Area of Study:** _____

Professional background: _____

Volunteer experience: _____

Why you are interested in the Harn's Docent Program? _____

What experiences do you have working with children? _____

What experiences do you have working with the public? _____

List two references:

Name/Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

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Criminal History: Have you ever been convicted of a crime, pled guilty or no contest to a crime, had adjudication withheld and/or prosecution deferred for driving under the influence, driving while intoxicated or other traffic convictions? If no, please enter N/A. If yes, please give exact dates and details:

I certify that all statements made on this application are true and to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Tell Us About Yourself

Do you anticipate participating in the program for at least the next 3 years? Yes _____ No _____

Are you available Monday mornings (9 am - 12 pm) to attend Docent Training? Yes _____ No _____

Indicate which days and times you anticipate being available to participate in a tour or program event:

Monday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____
Tuesday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____
Wednesday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____
Thursday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____
Friday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____
Saturday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____
Sunday:	8:00am-noon _____	noon-5pm _____	5pm-8pm _____

What type of artwork interests you most, and why? _____

How often do you visit the Harn Museum of Art? _____

What Harn exhibition has been interesting or memorable to you, and why? _____

Do you enjoy visiting other museums? If so, which ones? _____

Do you follow Docent Tours when you visit museums? _____

What are some of your other interests? _____

Are you proficient in multiple languages? If yes, then which languages? _____

Are you comfortable with using Zoom video conferencing? _____

Do you have access to a computer? _____

Do you have an email account that you check daily? _____

Tell us more about yourself - interests, experiences and skills - that you feel could contribute to your success as a Docent.

