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What's Your Engagement Title	STE(A)M Activator	FLSA Class	Exempt
Traditional Job Title	N/A	Туре	Full-Time
Reports to	Planetarium & Live Theater Mgr AND Visitor Learning & Engagement Mgr	Travel	As Needed
Department	Education and Engagement	Note	Flexibility to work evenings, weekends and/or holidays



OUTCOME ACCOUNTABILITY: EMBODY MISCI AS A SPARK, HUB & NEIGHBOR FOR OUR GUESTS, OUR PARTNERS AND OUR FELLOW TEAM MEMBERS. YOU ARE A SOURCE FOR PROVIDING THE ULTIMATE EXPERIENCE TO AN AUDIENCE OF ALL AGES THAT WILL LEAVE THEM CURIOUS ABOUT THE WORLD OF STE(A)M. WE VALUE AND CREATE SPARKS OF IMAGINATION AND CREATIVITY WITH STEM; WE VALUE OUR ROLE AS A HUB AND FOR HANDS-ON, TRANSFORMATIVE EXPERIENCES THAT INSPIRE CONFIDENCE AND DISCOVERY AND WE ARE A MAGNET FOR STEM EXPLORERS, KID AND ADULT. WE VALUE OUR ROLE AS A NEIGHBOR TO OUR VISITORS AND TO EACH OTHER, CREATING AN ENVIRONMENT OF WELCOME, SUPPORT, AND DYNAMIC CREATIVITY. \*

DISPLAY PASSION AND ENTHUSIASM WHEN IMPLEMENTING STUDENT PROGRAMS AND ENHANCING STUDENT

### ENGAGEMENT AS YOU PERFORM THESE CORE ROLES:

- Provide high energy, entertaining and educational live, lab, floor, and classroom presentations to a wide variety of audiences
- Assist in evaluating all programs and performances utilizing surveys and recommending areas of improvement
- Assist in training and supporting part-time staff to conduct their daily activities
- Execute processes and procedures in daily opening, activities' prep, and daily closing
- Engage visitors on floor and within exhibit spaces at MiSci with experiences and interactions that spark curiosity and a better understanding of our world through STE(A)M
- Guide visitor and student learning in STE(A)M
- Support Planetarium & Live Theater Manager and Visitor Learning & Engagement Manager in development of exhibit and program curriculum and design

# **QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Knowledgeable and curious about physical sciences, life sciences, space sciences, engineering and/or technology
- Knowledgeable and comfortable in public presentations for large and small groups, as well as one-on-one interactions
- STE(A)M education background or strong content knowledge within a STE(A)M field, a plus
- Acting and/or Improv background and experience, a plus
- Must be able to learn new information (STE(A)M-based/relevant) in short amount of time and communicate with accuracy
- Must be comfortable and capable working with audiences of diverse age, gender, socio-economic and ethnic background
- Must not have legal restrictions on working with children

### **PREFERRED SKILLS AND EXPERIENCES:**

- Ability to explain new concepts in a friendly and enthusiastic way to audiences with various backgrounds
- Ability to thrive in a dynamic environment
- Experience working with children, a plus
- Excellent interpersonal, written and oral communication skills
- Arabic and/or Spanish conversational proficiency, a plus
- Ability to work independently and in a team environment

# PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

MUST BE ABLE TO WALK ~3 MILES/DAY THROUGHOUT SCIENCE CENTER, LIFT UP TO 25LBS OCCASIONALLY. WE HAVE A HANDICAPPED-ACCESSIBLE FACILITY WITH ELEVATORS AND RAMPS AND WILL ACCOMMODATE AS NEEDED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT. WE ARE AN EQUAL-OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

# \*HOW DO YOU CREATE MOMENTS TO IGNITE A SPARK, BUILD ATTRACTION TO OUR HUB, AND BE A NEIGHBOR FOR MISCI:

- You ignite SPARKs when you create the "WOW" experience for the audience
- You attract people to our HUB when you professionally and effectively represent MiSci during presentations

You act as a NEIGHBOR when you develop curiosity

Application deadline & instructions:	Send your cover letter and resume to applications@mi-sci.org and visit	
Until suitable candidate is found.	http://www.misci.org/employment/ for more information about this job others, and	
	us.	

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This is a list of the general duties, hours, and expectations for the stated position. The associate who fills this role may be asked to perform other duties as assigned. At all times, associates are expected to help our guests be surprised, discover highlights of the museum and Midtown, be curious about offerings of the Science Center, experience new items in a positive way, and love the wonder that is Detroit. Creativity is valued and reliability is prized; we are in a guest-relations business and we represent a welcoming, tolerant, educational, and fun environment.