



Our purpose at Compass Point Bible Church (CPBC) is to align lives to the way of Jesus. As members of CPBC staff we work collectively and individually to see this purpose become a reality. To accomplish this purpose, we want to inspire, resource, and train people to Encounter God Together, Embrace a Rule of Life, and Embody Jesus Everywhere.

Position: Creative Arts Intern	Department: Encounter God Together
Weeks/Hours/Schedule:* Duration: up to 16-weeks, May 11 – Aug 28 Hours: 280 total Schedule: Determined in consultation w/ supervisor	Reports To: Executive Pastor of Weekend Experience & Creative Arts

Position Overview:

The Creative Arts Intern will work as a part of the CPBC staff team to bring creativity, beauty, wonder, and excellence to our worship experiences and church community. They will work collaboratively to apply their unique artistic skills to our services, events, communication, and décor by creating visuals, moments, and experiences that serve our church.

As a church, we believe the arts can help align lives to the way of Jesus. What we experience through our senses can compel us to think, reflect, and experience our humanity in relationship to God and each other in unique ways. As we encounter God together, the things we learn can be enhanced by artists offering us new perspectives through what we experience. There will be a variety of projects that will serve different areas of our ministry, and can be tailored to the unique artistic gifts and passions of the applicant. There will be opportunities to connect with other artists in our congregation, and develop an ongoing team for artistic contributions. This opportunity will allow the successful applicant to gain practical ministry and artistic experience, to work in an atmosphere of personal and professional guidance and support, and to develop spiritually and theologically.

Responsibilities:

Creative Planning

- *Work with the Weekend Experience team on brainstorming and planning creative service elements*
- *Equip and inspire others to grow their creative potential and use their gifts to serve the church in new and innovative ways as related to creative contributions.*

Set Design

- *Work with our worship, live production, and teaching teams to brainstorm and execute set designs for our gatherings and services*
- *Work with our Compass Point Kids team and curriculum to brainstorm and execute set designs for our spaces*

Ministry Support

- *Offer administrative and organizational support to ministries and events as needed*
- *Offer creative support for ministries and events – possibility for design, communication, music, visual, video, or other creative contributions*
- *Train and equip staff and volunteers to use creativity and the arts to help people welcome and respond to Jesus*

Professional Development

- *Develop practical skills in different forms of media and creativity*
- *Grow in a theological understanding of arts within the church*



Ideal Qualifications, Experience, & Education

- Expertise in one or more discipline in the creative arts (visual art, music, digital media, etc.)
- Experience in interdisciplinary and collaborative artistic endeavours
- Experience assets include set design, layout and graphic design, building, painting, event planning, and creative writing
- Currently pursuing education in an area related to creativity and the arts
- An ability to work well in a team environment
- A passion for thinking theologically about technology and media
- A committed follower of Jesus Christ - authentic lifestyle demonstrating consistent character and spiritual growth
- In full agreement with CPBC's Mission, Vision, Values and Beliefs
- Must be between the ages of 15 and 30 at the start of employment and be authorized to work in Canada

Next Steps:

Interested candidates should forward their resume to Dave Siverns at dsiverns@compasspointbc.com and indicate the position title in the subject of the email. Applications will be received until Friday, April 24 or until suitable applicant is found. Please note that this role is partially dependant on funding and timelines outside of our control. Clarity around these issues will be communicated to those who proceed forward in the selection process.

We thank all applicants for showing an interest in this position. Please be advised that only those selected to proceed in the selection process will be contacted.

** NOTE: This position is being funded by that Canada Summer Jobs program, and is contingent on approval. The overall number of hours available is fixed at 280, but how these hours/weeks are spread out might be flexed in order to meet event deadlines, accommodate vacation times, and ensure that the fixed number of hours is not exceeded. Details will be negotiated with one's direct supervisor as needed.*