

Visitor Experience Associate Job Description

Date: February 2025 **Reporting Supervisor(s):** Visitor Experience Director Status: Non-exempt

Position Overview:

The Visitor Experience Associate is a seasonal employee of Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens hired by the President & Executive Director upon recommendation of the Visitor Experience Director. They are responsible for assisting in the day-to-day front-line activity. The position encompasses a broad range of customer service skills facilitating visitor activity in admissions, outdoor guest service areas and café, and during special events.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- 1. Maintain a professional attitude and demonstrate a superior level of hospitality skills when working with the public, volunteers and staff.
- 2. Work closely with the Lead Hospitality Coordinator and other Hospitality Coordinators to maintain the highest level of hospitality skills in all front-line areas.
- 3. Must be willing to be cross trained in all front-line positions including Retail and Café Services.
- 4. Assist the Group Sales, Rental Services, Public Programs and Tour Services departments with all groups, events or special needs.
- 5. Must have knowledge of Stan Hywet's tours, rentals, public programs, café menu, and membership opportunities.
- 6. Assist with the greeting and transporting of guests and monitor cross walks, *Playgarden*, and parking lot activity including parking of buses as needed.
- 7. Ability to drive a tram and certification required.
- 8. Must be familiar with Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens safety and security policies including being able to complete accident reports.
- 9. Assist in carrying out day-to-day operations in hospitality areas including helping with trash, ice, packages, etc. as needed.
- 10. Operate point of sale system and conduct sales transactions.
- 11. Maintain a clean, safe, enjoyable and helpful atmosphere for visitors and staff.
- 12. Assist in outdoor events including sales of food and beverages during special events throughout the property as needed.
- 13. Prepare menu items as required following all food safety requirements.
- 14. Keep dining areas (inside and outside), kitchen area and sales area clean and stocked at all times.
- 15. Assist in inventory when requested.
- 16. Other duties as assigned.



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Qualifications:

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skills, and/or abilities required. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

- 1. Must have a valid Ohio Driver's License.
- 2. Ability to interact effectively, professionally, and courteously with guest, staff, and volunteers.
- 3. Ability to relate to persons of all ages and of diverse backgrounds, skills and abilities.
- 4. Must be able to handle multiple projects or tasks.
- 5. Ability to conduct error-free monetary transactions.
- 6. Flexible work schedule.

Education and/or Experience:

- 1. A minimum of a High School diploma, or equivalent, is highly desirable.
- 2. Previous food service, hospitality or customer service experience a plus.
- 3. Basic first aid and CPR training is highly desirable.

Usual and Customary Expectations:

- 1. Should expect constant bending, stooping, kneeling, and crouching; and requires full extension of arms, and grasping, holding and pulling in all these positions.
- 2. Should be able to lift and carry approximately 50 70 pounds.
- 3. Ability to work in a standing position 95% of the day.
- 4. Non-traditional hours required.

Acknowledgement:

Employee's Signature

Date

Authorized Signature

Date