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Seeing Spartanburg in a New Light - Call for Docent Volunteers

What is a docent? A docent is a specially trained volunteer who serves as a knowledgeable guide to visitors providing tours through a museum or exhibition. Seeing Spartanburg in a New Light needs docents to help lead tours and offer information about each project. We are seeking people from each neighborhood to serve as docents to school and adult groups once the lights come on October 4. Each neighborhood is recommended to have at least 3-5 docent volunteers that are able to commit to the training schedule and the education programming schedule through April 2017.

SSNL docents will receive training (approximately 6 hours before Oct. 4 and 12 hours through April 2017) from Elizabeth Goddard, Executive Director of Spartanburg Art Museum and Associate Curator for SSNL. Training includes defining media arts, learning about its history and the interdisciplinary practices and approaches needed to create it.

Training Schedule

Deadline to apply	August 5
First Training at SAM	August 26 - 2 hours, 10am-12pm
Second Training at SAM	September 9 - 2 hours, 10am-12pm
Third Training on Site	Month of September (exact schedule TBD)

How to Apply

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Which Neighborhood do you represent? _____

Explain why you want to be a SSNL Docent for your neighborhood? _____





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List any previous or current volunteer experience. _____

Are you able to commit to the training schedule and education/tour schedule (TDB - no more than 2 hours per week) Y or N

All volunteers working with children under the age of 18 are required to undergo a South Carolina SLED background check.

Acknowledged SLED check requirement (small box to check)

Please email completed applications to
Elizabeth Goddard, Executive Director of the Spartanburg Art Museum
egoddard@spartanarts.org.

Or mail:

Spartanburg Art Museum
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