

MMI WORKS

APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL INFORMATION					
First Name:	Last Name:	Middle Initial:	High School:		
Are you currently enrolled in a music or performing arts class? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Current Grade:	E-mail Address (print legibly):	Your Birth date: (MM/DD/YYYY) / /	Age:	Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer <input type="checkbox"/> F
What type of music or fine art class(es) are you currently taking: _____					
Street address:		Cell phone number: ()		Home phone/Alternate # ()	
City:		State:		ZIP Code:	
Parent/Guardian Name:		Parent/Guardian Email Address:		Parent/Guardian phone # ()	
How did you learn about this opportunity:					
<input type="checkbox"/> MMI Fellow <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher <input type="checkbox"/> Student <input type="checkbox"/> Facebook <input type="checkbox"/> Media Broadcast (News / Radio) <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media <input type="checkbox"/> MMI Works Intern (name) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Community Organization (name) _____					
Do you currently have a state issued ID? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					
INTEREST AND CAREER INFORMATION (please read carefully)					
Please rate using 1 - 8 your interest in the following art-related careers. (1 is the lowest ranking, and 8 is the highest, every field should be numbered)					
_____ Concert/Stage Management	_____ Tech Development/Training (video, light, sound, set design, music production)				
_____ Archives/Research/Data/Evaluation	_____ Ticket Box Office/Sales/Advertisement				
_____ Social Media/Marketing	_____ Music Camp Assistant/Clerical				
_____ Visual Art/Photography	_____ Spoken Word/Poetry/Theatre/Performance				
Please list any relevant experiences you've had with any arts-related genre from the list above:					
List two to three special skills you are good at doing:					

(More questions/ information on reverse side)

COVID-19 RELATED QUESTIONS:

Memphis Music Initiative requests your feedback on the following questions to help inform our planning for Summer 2021. The following questions are intended to survey potential participants about their plans for summer, so that we can ensure our programs meet student needs. Please note that your responses will have no impact on your ability to participate in MMI Works.

MMI takes the safety of our youth program participants very seriously. We follow all federal, state, and local guidelines regarding the COVID-19 pandemic and strive to exceed standards for safety protocols. We welcome participation by all youth grades 10-12 regardless of vaccination status. We cannot make claims for any third parties including participating worksites but will keep all participants informed of any policies or practices that apply to their participation in the MMI Works program.

1. Given the current state of the pandemic and your personal comfort levels, what format would you prefer for this summer's internship?
 - Completely Online
 - Hybrid (a mix of online and in-person)
 - Completely in-person
2. What would need to be true in order for you to be comfortable with a hybrid model? (Multiple choice)
 - All in-person personnel are fully vaccinated (facilitators and interns)
 - Social distancing protocols enforced
 - Personal Protection Equipment (PPE - masks, hand-sanitizer, temperature check)
 - Other: _____
3. How do you think your parents feel about you attending any in-person programming?
 - Very comfortable
 - Somewhat comfortable
 - Not comfortable
4. If our summer program was solely online, would you still attend, or would you opt for a program that has in-person activities?
 - Yes, I'd still attend online programming
 - No, I'd opt for a program that has in-person activities
5. If a vaccine becomes available to you, do you plan to get vaccinated?
 - Yes
 - No

For the following section, please answer all questions in essay form (total 500 word response) on a separate sheet of paper and attach your typed or legibly written responses with the application.

1. Why are you interested in working with an arts-based organization?
2. What do you hope to learn during your experience this year?

Completing this application does not guarantee employment. It only places you in our database for consideration of employment for the summer of 2021.

Signature

Date

(More questions/ information on reverse side)

Applications for MMI Works must be submitted by 5:00 pm on Friday, March 26, 2021. You can submit your application via our website, through postal mail to the Memphis Music Initiative office, or scan and submit your application by email to apply@memphisismusic.org. Applications can be delivered via postal mail to the following address:

**Memphis Music Initiative
Attn: MMI Works
P.O. Box 1926
Memphis, TN 38101**

If granted an interview, you will receive information on location and time the week of April 26th. Notifications will be sent via email. Please provide an active email account in order to receive communications from MMI Works. The 2021 summer program will run from late June to early August.

If you have any questions about the application, please contact Iris Hollister at iris@memphisismusic.org or Brittney Bullock at brittney@memphisismusic.org.

Thank you for applying! We look forward to receiving your application.

The Memphis Music Initiative (MMI) invests in youth, local communities and Memphis' musical legacy by broadening and strengthening existing music and arts engagement offerings in and out of schools and supporting youth-centered, community-based music programs. Our approach is three tiered. Through various unique interventions, MMI seeks to: 1) sustain existing in- school music engagement and expand instruction through partnerships with local musicians; 2) expand high-quality, out-of-school time school programs to reach more youth and remove barriers to youth engagement and participation; 3) support organizations that are providing music engagement enhance their sustainability and scale high quality programming.

MMI Works creates paid summer opportunities for youth to work at music and arts organizations and equitable access to career training and professional/personal development. We employed 60 youth in 20 organizations in 2019, totaling over 32,000 hours of youth work and professional development since our 2016 pilot. Our professional/personal development series covers activities that teach youth life skills and critical problem solving, gives them the chance to continue to uncover their inherent self-worth, and supports them from where they are to where they want to be.

Find out more about MMI at <http://memphismusicinitiative.org>.