

# Studio Fellowship

## Work/Trade Position

### November 2016 - May 2017



Our Fellowship Program is our flagship opportunity for young artists, emerging artists, artists in a transitional point in their career, and artists who are unable to utilize our fee-based Studio Access Programs to gain unrestricted access to our studios.

This is a seven-month program that provides support for young artists through full studio access and professional development opportunities. Fellows will acquire leadership skills and Studio Assistance experience through monitoring a weekly open studio session. Fellows will also work closely with each other and staff to develop and lead Community Workshops at Spudnik Press.

The program creates accountability for each Fellow as they set personal goals, create healthy studio habits, and continue to develop their portfolio. Staff will also support the personal projects of fellows through leading group critiques and offering support as needed as they seek exhibition opportunities.

This program is geared towards recent graduates and other artists in a similar transitional period. Current students are encouraged to apply to our Internship Program. Artists seeking technical training are encouraged to apply to our Screenprinting Apprentice Program. Four positions are available per term. Studio Fellows report to the Studio Manager.

### Skills & Qualifications:

- Regular availability during our Open Studio Hours (Mon & Thu 6-10pm, Fri & Sat 1-5pm)
- Scheduling flexibility for additional hours.
- Intermediate screen printing experience and familiarity with additional printing processes.
- Intermediate knowledge of additional printing processes are an advantage.
- A committed personal project to develop over the following seven months.
- Strong communication and leadership skills.
- Dependability and consistency.

### Responsibilities:

- Attend orientation and training sessions through out November 2016.
- Monitor one Open Studio session per week (5 hrs) December 2016 through May 2017.
- Commit 25+ hours per month at the studio for personal projects, meetings, teaching assistance and to develop and lead a community workshop.
- As knowledgeable representatives of Spudnik Press, Fellows are encouraged to participate in special events and outreach events.

### Benefits:

- Complimentary Keyholder Access November 2016 through May 2017.
- Complimentary one-year Annual Membership beginning November 2016.
- Professional Studio Assistant and Teaching Artist experience.
- One flat file drawer for personal storage.
- Monthly critique opportunities.
- General support for personal projects from Spudnik Press staff and constituents.