

Researcher / Archivist (Part-time)

About the post

Reporting to the Director of Textile Programmes and the Curator, the Researcher / Archivist will assist in researching topics on textile industry heritage and history and maintaining records of objects in permanent collection. He/she will also support in organizing and producing diverse CHAT's curatorial programmes including contemporary art and design exhibitions, symposiums and seminars that are related to the textile theme and textile heritage history of Hong Kong.

Main Duties

The Researcher / Curatorial assistant will be expected to:

- Update the research on the subject of Hong Kong textile industrial heritage and history.
- Update the research on our existing collection objects – including videos, archives, objects.
- Handle ongoing memory bank and oral history collation/organization with visitors and members of public.
- Facilitate public enquiries and coordination on this subject matter
- Assist in research to support curatorial programme (exhibitions, learning programmes, workshops) in terms of heritage/object content fact-finding.
- Maintain the collections database – including preserve, interpret and/or display objects of existing collection, and also responsibility for carrying out and/or documenting object entry, acquisition and disposal and collection care in general.
- General ideas and participate in curatorial discussions in updating exhibitions in coming years.

You should have/be

- Master's Degree in history, sociology, curatorial studies, history, museology, cultural or visual arts studies or related discipline.
- Minimum 1-2 years of relevant experience in cultural sectors.
- Strong interest in Hong Kong's heritage and industrial history.
- Passionate about working for an arts and cultural organization to realize your research ideas into dynamic exhibitions and learning content.
- Enthusiastic individual with creative energy and self-initiative
- People oriented and strong team player.
- Flexible and willing to work overtime and weekends at times, especially during peak seasons in preparation for exhibition openings.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills in both English and Cantonese

TO APPLY FOR THIS POSITION

Qualified candidates should email their cover letter, CV, expected salary and names of 2 references with contact information to hr@mill6.org.hk

*The information provided will be kept confidential and used for recruitment purposes only. Applicants not contacted within **six weeks** may consider their applications unsuccessful.*