

A few of the most popular Music and Music Education placements available through The Philadelphia Center:

Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts; Marketing Intern: Kimmel Center, Inc., a charitable, not-for-profit organization, owns, manages, supports and maintains The Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts, which includes Verizon Hall, Perelman Theater, Innovation Studio and the Merck Arts Education Center. Kimmel Center, Inc. also manages the Academy of Music, owned by the Philadelphia Orchestra Association. The Kimmel Center for the Performing Arts and the Academy of Music serve as home to eight Resident Company performing arts organizations, including The Philadelphia Orchestra, Opera Company of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Ballet, Chamber Orchestra of Philadelphia, American Theater Arts for Youth, PHILADANCO, Philadelphia Chamber Music Society and Peter Nero and the Philly Pops®. Kimmel Center, Inc.'s mission also includes arts in education, community outreach and a rich diversity of programming through its Kimmel Center Presents and Citizens Bank Broadway at the Academy series of performances. Marketing Intern will assist with Marketing Department duties including writing press releases, preparing and mailing press kits, and interacting with all areas of media.

Philadelphia City Paper; Music and Listings Editorial Intern: The Philadelphia City Paper is the city's leading alternative weekly newspaper with listings and feature articles in music, arts, movies, and news. The Philadelphia City Paper was founded in November of 1981 and has the largest readership of any weekly newspaper in Philadelphia, covering the eight counties in the Philadelphia region. Our award-winning news, arts and entertainment coverage has also helped to establish City Paper as Philadelphia's leading weekly newspaper. City Paper is a controlled-circulation newspaper, distributed free every Thursday morning to over 2,000 locations. Editorial Intern will work closely with the Music and Listings Editors. Interns will have the opportunity to communicate with media and artists' representatives, do fact-checking, copy editing, writing, and publication work. Additional opportunities in other departments.

Philadelphia School; Music Department Intern: The Philadelphia School, a nonsectarian, independent Center City school in the progressive tradition, serves children from preschool through eighth grade. Our educational program addresses how a child grows intellectually, creatively, emotionally, socially, morally, and physically. With a student population of 350 and a student-teacher ratio of 10 to 1, the Philadelphia School provides a supportive academic environment that fosters love of learning, critical thinking, intellectual inquiry, and creativity. The music program at The Philadelphia School is designed to give students the tools to understand and critically appreciate all types of music. It is based on the belief that all children can create and perform music. Opportunities to sing and play musical instruments abound. Student serves as an assistant music teacher in the school.

Philadelphia Singers; Assistant to the Artistic Director: The Philadelphia Singers, America's premier professional chorus, is a unique group of professional singers who excel in solo as well as ensemble work. Founded in 1972 and under the leadership of Music Director David Hayes, The Philadelphia Singers is a versatile ensemble composed of 24 of the area's finest vocal musicians. For 30

years, The Singers has maintained its mission to present choral music of the highest caliber, offer challenging performance opportunities to professional singers and promote a knowledge and appreciation of the choral art to people of all ages. Praised for its "all-star quality," The Philadelphia Singers performs regularly with leading national and local performing arts organizations including: The Philadelphia Orchestra, The New York Philharmonic, The Pennsylvania Ballet, The Curtis Institute of Music, The Philadelphia Chamber Music Society, the Chamber Orchestra of Philadelphia (formerly Concerto Soloists) and Astral Artistic Services. Members of the ensemble have trained at some of the best music schools in the country including The Curtis Institute of Music, Academy of Vocal Arts, Esther Boyer School of Music, Juilliard School, Peabody Conservatory, Westminster Choir College, Eastman School of Music, Indiana University School of Music and Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music, as well as vocal institutes in Austria, Italy and Switzerland. Each year, The Singers concerts reach a live audience of over 40,000. Assistant to Artistic Director will help with general office tasks. Excellent opportunity for person with an interest in arts or non-profit management. Responsibilities will include work on marketing, development, and administrative projects.

Settlement Music School; Early Childhood Intern: Settlement's mission is to provide children and adults in the Philadelphia region with high quality instruction and activity in music and the related arts. Settlement's programs help students achieve artistic, educational and social goals. Early Childhood Intern has an opportunity to work in the Kaleidoscope Preschool Arts Enrichment Program -- a model program in early childhood arts education serving Headstart preschool children and parents. Other responsibilities include assisting teachers in early childhood studio arts classes with planning and implementing curriculum.

WXPB World Café Live; Programming Intern: WXPB-FM is the non-commercial public radio service of the University of Pennsylvania and the premier radio showcase for contemporary music that spans the progressive edges of rock, folk, rhythm and blues, and American roots. The Programming Assistant team members work with National Public Radio's World Café & XPN programming staff on a broad range of tasks and projects including: Artist Hospitality & Talent Relations & Bookings: Coordinating hospitality for weekly Free at Noon concerts. Escorting artists onsite, loading bands in and out, taking pictures for web posting. Developing prep files for the World Café Editorial team that contain extensive research about artists booked to perform. This requires online research for reviews, bios, and lyrics. The intern may also work with music industry contacts to request CDs and press kits, obtain legal releases for performances, distribute info about upcoming broadcasts; research forthcoming books, movies, and other media related to music; format World Café scripts and show info for affiliates; organize and research World Café Play List info; maintain several online calendars including World Café booking & broadcasts; and will assist with the ongoing development of Music History calendars. Other duties as needed include: general clerical duties and working at XPN special events, photography of artists and other tasks as assigned.