

# GRADUATE ASSISTANTSHIPS

## MFA PROGRAM

#### STAFF:

CHAIR | Jeff Beekman
ASSOCIATE CHAIR | Liz DiDonna
ART OFFICE | Celeste Ivory
ART OFFICE | Tori Cole
GRADUATE ADVISOR | Tenee' Hart

#### **AREA HEADS**:

CERAMICS
Holly Hanessian
PAINTING + DRAWING
Judy Rushin
PHOTO + MOVING IMAGE
Clint Sleeper
PRINTMAKING + BOOKARTS
Daniel Luedtke
SCULPTURE + EXPANDED MEDIA
Kevin Curry
FOUNDATIONS
Anne Stagg

#### **DIRECTORS:**

MFA | Rob Duarte BFA | Denise Bookwalter BA | Liz DiDonna MoFA | Meredith Lynn

### **LAB MANAGERS:**

CERAMICS LAB | Gregg Matthews FAB LAB | Alex Adkinson PAINTING LAB | Nick Geshwiler PHOTO LAB | Jabari Townsend PRINTMAKING LAB | Amy Fleming SCULPTURE LAB | Chris Rivera

STUDIO MANAGER: MFA + BFA | April Webb **Ceramics GA** | Maintain the area, fire kilns, manage the facilities, mix glazes, assist the Ceramics Lab Manager

**Painting GA** | Maintain the area, keep studios clear, clean and functioning, refresh paint materials, lab monitor, generally assist the Painting Lab Manager and faculty.

**Photo GA** | Serves as a monitor in the digital and analog photographic labs and/or lighting studio. This includes regular supply refills(chemicals, ink, misc supplies), student assistance, and regular facility upkeep, in collaboration with the Photo Lab Manager.

**Printmaking GA** | Assists with all regular daily maintenance of the Printmaking shops including, letterpress, book arts, screen print, relief and, etching, lab monitors during open lab times and assist with special projects in the Printmaking Area including, organization, promotion of special events, and building projects. GAs work closely with the Print Lab Manager.

**Sculpture GA** | Maintain the area, keep workshops clear and functioning, lab monitor, generally assist the Sculpture Lab Manager. Learning about the machines and tools to help troubleshoot for students.

**Equipment Checkout GA** | Maintain open hours for booking in and out of equipment, maintain working order of equipment including battery re-charging, learn and use the FileMaker booking system software, notify Art Office on noreturns, notify Techs when equipment needs repair or replacement.

**Digital Media/FabLab GA** | Maintain the area, keep lab clear and functioning, lab monitor, generally assist the Digital Media Lab Manager. Learning about the 3D printers, vinyl plotters, and laser cutting tools to help troubleshoot the machines for students.

**Foundations GA** | This position supports the Foundations area and the Foundations Director. Responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- a. Weekly inspections and clean-up of Foundations classrooms
- b. Overseeing the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor display case calendar
- c. Photographing and editing images of Foundations student artwork and events
- d. Foundations exhibition point person

**MoFA GA** | Under the guidance of MoFA's Directors; would work closely with museum staff during exhibition installs/de-installs, assist with organization and documentation of events/exhibitions; assist with management of social media, etc.

**Assisting BFA or BA Director** | Research assistant; assist with organization and documentation of events/exhibitions; assist with management of social media.

**MFA Lab Assistant** | Maintain and keep workshops clear, clean and functioning, assist with special projects, work closely and generally assist the MFA Studio Manager.