

Volunteer Position Description

Name of Organization/Program:

Hardy Girls

Mission/Overview:

Hardy Girls takes girls and nonbinary youth seriously and puts the power in their hands to challenge a society that ignores their brilliance. We dare adult allies to join us.

Our vision is girls and nonbinary youth causing a ruckus!

Volunteer Position Title:

Muse

Volunteer Role Description:

Co-lead six-week *Coalition Groups* in local elementary and middle schools, helping girls and gender-expansive youth challenge stereotypes and create change. Open to undergraduates who identify as women or nonbinary; no experience required—training provided. Stipend included - \$22.00/per hour.

Time Commitment: *Please select the length of the volunteer commitment and include any helpful details about how many hours volunteers should be available to serve weekly/monthly.*

☐ Limited Time/When Project is Complete ☐ Ongoing at Flexible Times ☒ Ongoing at Specific/Set Times

Details About Time Commitment *(Please include the number of hours you would like students to serve in this role each week as well as any set dates/times if applicable):*

Commitment is 5 hours/week. About 40 hours per semester including 10 hours of training.

Number of Volunteer Positions Available: 8

If you may have other volunteer positions at your organization with different responsibilities or expectations, please complete a separate form for each unique role. Please include the number of volunteers you would like to serve in this specific role.

Volunteer Responsibilities/Expectations:



- Co-lead a Coalition Group in a local school for a six-week session each semester
- Attend Muse training (online) before starting
- Commit to 5 hours per week, including prep, group facilitation, and check-ins
- Participate in ongoing support sessions with Hardy Girls staff and weekly progress reports on your group

Desired Qualifications/Skills:

- Receive a stipend for your time and commitment (\$22/hour)
- Gain leadership and facilitation experience
- Build meaningful connections with peers, youth, and community partners
- Contribute to gender equity and youth empowerment in Maine
- Explore and deepen your own career interests through hands-on experience

Volunteer Coordinator/Volunteer Supervisor at Organization

Name: Title:

Kathy Paradis	Program Director
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Email: Telephone:

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Preferred Communication Method of Volunteer Supervisor:

☐ Email ☐ Telephone ☒ **No Preference/Both**

Volunteer Resources:

Please list any technology, software, digital platforms, or other resources that volunteers will need in this position

List of Resources/Tools:

- Google tools
- Canva
- Insta and other social media sites

Does this volunteer position involve interaction with minors or other vulnerable populations? Yes!

If yes, please provide further details:

Muses will interact with middle school students.



Are there any screenings, background checks, training, or other safety measures that volunteers need to complete before beginning their service?

X Yes

If yes, please provide further details:

Background check paid for by Hardy Girls.

Additional Information: By becoming a Muse, you'll not only gain leadership and facilitation experience, you'll also join a movement of young leaders building a more just, equitable world. You'll make a real difference in the lives of youth, grow your own confidence and skills, and be part of a supportive community that believes in the power of girls and gender-expansive youth to create lasting change.

The patriarchy isn't going to smash itself. We need your help! Feel free to email or text with any questions!