



## SAMPLE APPRENTICE PROGRAM APPLICATION : SHORT TERM TRADE SHOW

The purpose of the Apprentice Program is to provide an opportunity for selected applicants to spend four days with a craftsman, musician, or dancer during the (XX.) It provides the opportunity for the master crafts persons to share their talents and experiences with the selected apprentice. All apprentice are required to assist the master craftsman in the set-up and dismantling of the exhibit space and to attend the Exhibitors meeting the evening of set-up. A materials fee of \$30 will be charged to all selected apprentice.

Room and board for the week will be provided by the (XX Exhibition.) Two dorm rooms (male & female) will be reserved at XXX for apprentices. We are requesting each apprentice to donate up to one (1) hour per day to the Exhibition Staff. Duties would include messenger service, light office work, etc. This will help the staff and enable the apprentice to broaden their experience in the craft world.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

County \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

1st choice \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice \_\_\_\_\_

Master craftsman preferred: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you apprenticed before at the Exhibition? \_\_\_\_\_

When? \_\_\_\_\_

Each applicant should have two letters of recommendation from (non-family) teachers, co-workers, or other professionals in the craft requested. Please list the names of those from whom you are seeking recommendations.

1) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Relationship Telephone

2) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Relationship Telephone

All applicants must submit a short paragraph giving their reasons for applying to be an apprentice. Applicants are encouraged to submit photos of work they have done

indicating their involvement in the arts or crafts.

I desire to participate in the apprentice program for the four days of the Fair, and agree to adhere to the rules and guidelines of the program and the Fair.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of applicant (must be 18 years or older)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*Return application, recommendations, and personal statements to (address here)*