

FURCATION RECRUITMENT

Role: Theming Crew Member



Overview:

We are seeking new Theming Crew Members. The ideal candidate will possess passion for building an immersive setting based on the conventions theme, have some practical skills around the usage of common tools and materials, have good problem-solving skills, good communication and teamwork skills. As a Theming Crew Member, you will be working with the rest of the Theming and Creative teams to build and set up/dismantle a high quality environment for convention attendees.

This role will require you to attend the full length of the convention, including early and late days as well as an additional early staff day due to the bulk of the on-site work taking place before and after the convention.

Responsibilities:

1. Practical Skills:

- To be able to use a variety of basic tools to assist in creating theming objects. For example, marking out and sawing plywood to shape, assembling framing using nuts and bolts, creating theming items from recycled items using hot glue and a variety of materials, painting the completed theming items to complete the finish etc.
- To be able to follow the instructions given and work as a team towards a larger goal within a restricted time period.

2. Work Ethic & Problem Solving:

- To be able to come up with ideas for how best to create and assemble themed prop items, both in advance of the convention as well as during setup at the event.
- To work with others to discuss and move forward with the best potential solution when any issues are encountered.
- To be available at the start and end of the convention as these are particularly busy periods for the team and will need all hands on deck.

3. Creative Input:

- To help shape the theme at the convention by sharing inspiration and ideas for items that would suit the conventions theme.
- To understand that the theme has to be suitable for a wide audience at the convention and be achievable within a limited time, budget and space and therefore ideas must seek to balance this with the overall impact on the convention experience.

Experience:

Some basic practical skills that relate to prop creation/stage building, for example this may include, but not be limited to, some of the following:

- Woodworking
- Model Making
- Engineering Skills
- Painting and Decorating Skills
- Art & Craft Skills
- Electrical Skills

How to Apply

Please go to the website <https://support.furcation.org.uk/open.php> and choose "recruitment" from the drop-down menu then fill out the application form adding in "Theming Crew Member".

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We are happy to hear from you!