Media Assistant Internship (Photography)
Frequency Festival 2019

About the Internship
Internships at Frequency Festival are part of the RADAR Creative Graduate Scheme and are open to University of Lincoln College of Arts graduates from within the last three years (graduation years 2017, 2018 and 2019).

The RADAR Creative Graduate Scheme offers paid internship placements and mentorship for creative graduates looking to gain hands-on experience within the creative sector and a head start after University.

About the Festival
Frequency Festival is an international festival of digital creativity, showcasing innovative works by emerging and established artists, creative technologists and performers.

This year the festival is taking place in Lincoln from 24-27 October 2019, with a jam-packed programme across four days.

Since it’s inception in 2011, Frequency has hosted over 450 local, national and international artists, exhibiting their work to over 60,000 visitors across four festival editions. Frequency draws the city’s residents and its visitors off their intended path to discover a world of digital, electronic and hybrid art in unusual spaces; mainly the city’s heritage spaces and its shopping precincts, and into its venues, museums and galleries.

Frequency Festival is produced by Threshold Studios, in partnership with the University of Lincoln and supported using public funding by the National Lottery through Arts Council England.

Find out more about the festival on our website: www.frequency.org.uk

The Team
Threshold Studios are Festival Directors of Frequency Festival, and have been Producers of Frequency ever since establishing the festival in 2011.

Threshold Studios is a social enterprise with a strong track record of working with new and emerging technologies; specialising in the production of exhibition of digital, moving image and public realm works.

Threshold has been delivering industry-facing training linked to production schemes for 21 years and have delivered 49 paid internships since 2011.

The Role
The Media Assistant (Photography) will work closely with a media production mentor to document key moments and events for the festival.

They will also work closely with the Festival Directors and Marketing Manager to identify which events, talks and shows will be documented and agree outputs and format.

This development opportunity will suit individuals looking to develop their media production experience especially within a live setting.
Key Duties

- Capturing an overview of the festival to produce photo assets after the festival closes
- Capturing events and talks to be made available during the festival period online
- To capture outdoor events and spectacle moments
- To complete edits to a high standard in line with agreed briefs
- Produce edited assets for future festivals and marketing materials

Personal Requirements

Essential

- Qualified to Degree Level - Graduate of University of Lincoln College of Arts (any subject) from within the last three years (graduation years 2017, 2018 and 2019)
- Solid media production skills in photography
- Solid knowledge and track record in photo editing
- Ability to capture live events and produce high quality photographs
- Ability to work to deadline
- Ability to work well under pressure
- Organised
- Knowledge of editing software

Desirable

- Clean driving license and transport

Key Dates

Application closing date: 31 July 2019
Interview date: 21 or 22 August 2019
Start date: 23 September 2019

Internship will be throughout October with an induction in September.
Exact start date and internship timetable and development sessions will be agreed with the successful candidate on appointment.

Throughout the month of October the internship is full time hours in the lead up to and during the festival period. Some evening and weekend work will be required.

Salary

National Minimum Wage of £7.70 per hour for approximately 160 hours.

How to Apply

To apply for one of our internship roles, please email your CV and cover letter (no more than one page) to hattie@thresholdstudios.tv. Please include the name of the internship role you are applying for in the subject header.