



## **Kala Art Institute Printmaking Studio Internship**

An internship at Kala Art Institute offers hands on experience working in a creative and lively environment in West Berkeley. ***Kala's mission is to help artists sustain their creative work over time through its artist residencies and to engage the community through exhibitions, public programs, and education.*** Interns receive training in many aspects of running a printmaking studio: including maintenance of equipment, safety procedures, and more. Intern tasks vary on any given day from cleaning, filling solvents, calibrating presses, assisting editioning and more.

The skills acquired in this internship may be applicable to other teaching, studio, and master printer professions. Although this position is unpaid, interns completing 100 hours of work will receive free enrollment in a Kala class of his/her choice. Check out the current Kala classes at <http://www.kala.org/education/>

Duration of Internship:  
9 months or other duration as appropriate

### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

#### Studio

- Assist Studio Manager in running and maintenance of large printmaking facility
- Maintain cordial and professional relationships with resident artists
- Assist workshop teachers when needed

### **REQUIREMENTS**

Interns should have any or all of the following:

- Desire to work in a large, communal printmaking workshop/studio
- Ability to lift 40 pounds
- A background in printmaking
- Availability for 4-hour shifts

### **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Cover letter detailing why you want this internship
- Resume
- Must have 2-3 years experience working in a Printmaking Studio

Please email materials with "Printmaking Studio Program Internship" in the subject line to Ben Engle, [ben@kala.org](mailto:ben@kala.org)

Interviews are by appointment only with selected candidates.

Thank you!