TANG STUDENT ADVISORY COUNCIL 2021-22 Information and Application

Frances Young Tang Teaching Museum and Art Gallery at Skidmore College

*Applications are **due by 5 pm, Monday, February 7**. Please email it to Tom Yoshikami at tyoshika@skidmore.edu.*

Be a part of the Tang Museum's Student Advisory Council and take on a leadership role within the museum! This is a volunteer position that includes biweekly meetings. Applications accepted until Monday, February 7 at 5:00 pm.

Mission

The Student Advisory Council serves as an important voice for the Skidmore student body within the Tang Museum with the goal of fostering and strengthening the museum's relationship with students. Members will:

- Serve as representatives of the student body to the Tang staff and advise staff on its relationship with Skidmore students
- Serve as ambassadors of the Tang's mission, exhibitions, and programs to Skidmore students and advocate for the museum among friends, peers, and the Skidmore community
- Learn about the inner workings of the museum, its staff and mission
- Have the opportunity to develop public programs in collaboration with museum staff, Skidmore student groups, and community organizations

Commitment

Members of the Student Advisory Council will meet bi-weekly every other Monday night throughout the fall.

Important Dates

Bi-weekly Meetings (Tentatively Scheduled) on Mondays, from 5-6:30pm on: February 7, 21; March 7, 21; April 4, 18; May 2

Join

The Tang is seeking students from various class years, with different majors and interests, with the shared goal of making the Tang an integral space for student engagement at Skidmore. The position may especially appeal to students with interests in student leadership, community engagement, the arts, social justice, education, museum practice, and/or history. Prior knowledge of art or museums is not required.

To apply, fill out this application and return it via email to Tom Yoshikami at tyoshika@skidmore.edy by 5:00 pm **Monday, February 7.** We will contact all applicants by **Wednesday, February 9**.

If you would like more information, please contact Assistant Director for Engagement, Tom Yoshikami, at tyoshika@skidmore.edu or 518-580-5066.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Please contact Tom Yoshikami at 518-580-5066 or tyoshika@skidmore.edu with any questions.

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All information will be kept strictly confidential.

Name:_____ Year:_____ Major:_____

Email:_____ Phone:_____

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

1. Why would you like to be a member of the Student Advisory Council?

2. What are you studying at Skidmore and why does it interest you?

3. What activities are you involved in outside of the classroom – work, volunteer, sports, hobbies – and why do they interest you?

5. Describe any relevant experience you have had collaborating with a group of people.

6. What types of events would you like to put on at the Tang and why?

7. How did you hear about the Student Advisory Council?

8. Anything else would you like us to know?

I have read and understand the requirements stated in the application, and to the best of my knowledge, my answers are correct and true.

Signature of Applicant _____Date _____

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