



## DOCUMENTARY INTERNSHIP

Filmmakers Tracy Heather Strain and Randy MacLowry, principals of The Film Posse, seek interns for research assistance and administration on a variety of documentary and non-fiction projects. Based in Fort Point Channel, the producers create high-quality and innovative documentaries primarily for national public television broadcast. The company recently completed an episode for *NOVA*, public television's premiere science strand, about the nature of time. For *American Experience*, the award-winning PBS history series, productions include "The Gold Rush," a two-hour episode on the California gold rush; "Building the Alaska Highway," the story of the Army constructing the 1,500-mile Alaska Highway in 1942; and "A Brilliant Madness," the story of Nobel Prize winning mathematician John Nash. Other projects include an episode for the 2009 Dupont-Columbia award winning PBS series *Unnatural Causes* on health disparities, an episode for the three-part public television series *RACE: The Power of an Illusion*, and short videos for museums and other clients. Our current project is the first feature-length documentary on the late playwright Lorraine Hansberry, best known for the groundbreaking play *A Raisin in the Sun*.

We seek responsible, versatile, and resourceful students, especially those studying in the fields of American studies, history or government; African American studies; women's studies; and theatre history to assist in researching and developing our current productions. Candidates must be detail-oriented with strong interpersonal, organizational, analytical, writing, and research skills. Requirements include: library, telephone and Internet research skills along with a basic knowledge of Macintosh computers and word processing software. A familiarity with Filemaker Pro database software application, web-based software applications, scanners and Adobe Photoshop is a plus. The time commitment is 8-16 hours per week; hours are flexible. This is a non-paid internship. The internship can be completed for academic credit, but it is not required.

Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter\* by website upload via [www.thefilmposse.com](http://www.thefilmposse.com), email or post only.

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\* This cover letter will also serve as a writing sample.