

Asst. Technical Director Opera in the Ozarks at Inspiration Point Summer 2019

PROFILE

Opera in the Ozarks at Inspiration Point (www.opera.org), is a training program for aspiring opera singers in beautiful Eureka Springs, Arkansas. Now preparing for its 69th season, the company runs three main stage productions in repertory (7-8 performances each) and a smaller, traveling studio artist production for a one-month season, mid-June to mid-July. The company comprises 45 vocal artists supported by an artistic/administrative staff of 25 and a paid orchestra of 25. 2019 productions: Puccini's *La bohème*, Mozart's *Abduction from the Seraglio* and Mark Adamo's *Little Women*. The Studio Artist program's production is TBA.

JOB DESCRIPTION

Opera in the Ozarks at Inspiration Point is seeking an Assistant Technical Director for its summer season Mid-May (TBA) through July 20, 2019. Responsibilities include assisting the Scenic Designer /Technical Director in the construction of scenery, running scene shifts during show performances, runout performances, nightly changeovers, supervising student/artist and volunteer workers, and other duties as needed. The successful applicant will be a creative, reliable, talented problem solver with experience with typical power and pneumatic tools used in a scene shop, stage carpentry, rigging, and running shows backstage.

Compensation will be \$3000 paid in four installments, a semi-private air-conditioned room and meals 6.5 days/week for the period of the contract.

Review of applications will begin December 1 and continue until the position is filled. Interviews will be conducted by telephone and possibly in March at USITT 2019 in Louisville if still available.

Application procedure:

Please send the following as PDF attachments to Thomas Cockrell, artistic director, artisticdirector@opera.org

1. Letter of application outlining qualifications for the position
2. Curriculum vitae or résumé detailing experience
3. List of three references, including email addresses and phone numbers