

EYEBEAM

CURATORIAL & ENGAGEMENT FELLOWSHIP

Eyebeam, an arts non-profit with a nearly 20 year history of excellence at the intersection of technology, science, and society, seeks a two-year Curatorial and Engagement Fellow to work with the team in its new space in Bushwick, Brooklyn. The Fellow will play a key role in supporting new initiatives, developed in partnership with REFRESH: a collective platform with a focus on creating a more inclusive vision of our cultural relationship to science and technology through art. These new initiatives will support the work of women and women-identified artists, especially women of color, LGBTQ artists, and artists with disabilities. Our hope is to foster the creation of more diverse work in the field of art and technology, and activate its potential for societal learning around the potential and perils of AI, through artistic engagement.

Roles and Responsibilities

- The Curatorial and Engagement Fellow will report to Eyebeam's Director of Programs, work closely with the Production and Access Coordinator as well as the Program Manager.
- The fellow will also work with REFRESH curators and advisors to develop a series of major public programs in New York City, as well as outreach and engagement strategies for the broader REFRESH platform.
- The Fellow will conduct comprehensive research on potential contributors and specific topics for Eyebeam's programs developed in the lead up to the launch of REFRESH, as well as identify possible community partners in Bushwick, Brooklyn and throughout the US.
- The Fellow will conceptualize and work with Eyebeam's website designers to create open source platforms and tool kits to share with a network of national and international partners for future growth and expanded impact of REFRESH programs.
- Additionally, the fellow will work with Eyebeam's archive of over 450 artists and 20 years of programming, as well as propose and draft new entries for an ongoing web-based archival and database project.

Ideal Candidate will have

- Strong knowledge and passion for contemporary politically engaged art, technology, and social justice
- Experience organizing professional exhibitions and public programs
- Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal
- Strong research, writing, and editing skills
- Completed a masters degree in Curatorial Studies, Art History, Social Justice related disciplines, or equivalent professional experience
- Shared commitment to Eyebeam's three core values: *Openness, Invention, and Justice*

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- A warm and welcoming personality, a good sense of humor, and ability to relate well to people of all ages and backgrounds
- Highly-organized with attention to detail and follow-through, and the ability to manage multiple projects
- Working knowledge of Wordpress preferred

Requirements

- Candidate is available to work at Eyebeam's headquarters in Bushwick, Brooklyn full time, Monday - Friday 10am-6pm for the full duration of the two year fellowship. Occasional off-site work may be required.
- Candidate is able to work occasional nights and weekends pending programs schedule. Time worked outside of office hours will be compensated with the equivalent time off during regularly scheduled hours. Flexible hours considered on a case by case basis

Compensation and start date

\$40,000 annually plus generous benefits

Deadline for applications: Wednesday, February 14, 12pm EST

Ideal start date: March 15

Eyebeam aims to create a hub for conversation and practice-sharing that is aware and responsive to systemic inequities and invests in the meaningful inclusion of historically marginalized groups and voices. Eyebeam is committed to and values diversity in its organization and programming as defined by gender, race, ethnicity, disability-status, age, sexual orientation, immigrant status, and socio-economic status. People of all backgrounds are encouraged to apply. International candidates welcome. For accessibility information please visit: <https://www.eyebeam.org/about/>

Applications should be a CV and cover letter in one document titled "CURATORIAL FELLOWSHIP_YOUR NAME". Accepted by email with subject title 'Curatorial Fellowship' to info@eyebeam.org.