SQIFF 2018

Job title: Guest Coordinator

Contract details: Freelance, 100 hours, 22nd October to 17th December 2018

Fee: £1000 (100 hours @ £10/hour)
Reports to: Festival Coordinator

Role description

Context

Scottish Queer International Film Festival (SQIFF) provides audiences in Scotland with an indepth and inclusive opportunity to engage with LGBTQ+ cinema and related art forms. Our priorities are a community focus and removal of barriers differing audiences face in accessing film culture. SQIFF 2018 takes place 5th to 9th December in Glasgow with offshoot events in other locations around Scotland.

Purpose of role

The Guest Coordinator will work with the Festival Coordinator to organise the travel, accommodation, and schedules of Festival guests, and ensure guests have an excellent experience of SQIFF.

Responsibilities

- 1) Liaise with Festival guests to find the most suitable travel arrangements and accommodation for them, working with the Festival Coordinator to make bookings and ensure staying within budget;
- 2) Act as a point of contact for guest queries in the lead up to and during the Festival;
- 3) Work with the Festival Coordinator to plan guest hospitality during the Festival;
- 4) Create and send guest schedules, ensuring guests have all required information for their trip;
- 5) Liaise with the Festival team and SQIFF committee to ensure guests are always looked after and have everything they need during the Festival;
- 6) Liaise with the Administrative & Events Assistant to ensure guests receive their passes alongside information about guest tickets;
- Manage a small cash budget for reimbursing guest expenses during the Festival, updating the Festival Coordinator on expenditure as required;
- 8) Devise and deliver evaluation of guest experiences after the Festival;
- 9) Report on progress at Festival team meetings, feeding into the overall Festival planning process;
- 10) Attend a post-Festival debrief session, providing constructive feedback and suggestions for improvement.