

Shrewsbury International School Bangkok, Riverside

Job Opportunity

Position / Job

Graduate Intern (Music)

Specification:

Posting Date: 14th January 2020

Closing Date: Interested candidates are suggested to apply immediately.

(Applications will be considered as they arrive.)

Department: Music Department

Benefits: An excellent international package of benefits including:

Excellent accommodation in Central Bangkok;

Flights at the beginning and end of contract;

Monthly allowance;

Medical insurance with Aetna (Thailand).

Position
Summary:

Music is an integral part of Shrewsbury International School's identity and reputation. A large team of academic music staff provide curricular music lessons to all year groups. The department also has a very large and prestigious extra-curricular music programme. There is a plethora of ensembles including a full-sized orchestra, eight choirs, three string orchestras, big band, wind band, as well as numerous smaller informal groups. The department hosts prestige events such as the annual 'Last Night of the Proms', and has innovative and ambitious choir school and class band programmes woven into its curriculum. There is also a very large and well-established tuition programme, with over 1000 instrumental/vocal lessons each week delivered by 30 highly skilled professional

musicians and teachers. A number of our students are also highly successful international performers.

General:

Shrewsbury is one of South East Asia's outstanding international schools, with enrolment of 1730 students from Early Years to Sixth Form, exceptional examination results and particular strengths in the creative arts, design and sport. The school itself enjoys a delightful and spectacular setting, right on the banks of the Chao Phraya River in the heart of Bangkok. The school is readily accessed by road and boats, which provide an easy and quick link to Bangkok's Skytrain and the city centre. The link with Shrewsbury School UK (www.shrewsbury.org.uk) is taken very seriously and, year-on-year, develops into a world-class educational partnership.

Candidate Profile:

Successful candidates must:

- possess a music or music-related degree at university level;
- be a highly accomplished musician on their main instrument or voice; (piano skills would be an advantage)
- speak, read and write English fluently.

Ideal candidates will be:

- confident and knowledgeable;
- enthusiastic and motivated:
- conscientious and reliable:
- flexible and work well with others.

Key Responsibilities:

The Graduate Intern (Music) reports directly to the Director of Music and is primarily responsible for supporting curricular music lessons and organising and preparing for department events. In particular, the Graduate Intern (Music) will be expected to;

- help organise the department's weekly recital programme;
- participate in the school's main ensembles as performer and instructor;
- manage and maintain music resources, including ensemble libraries and musical equipment stocks;
- encourage, and assist informal music-making in the

department;

- support music teachers in the delivery of curriculum music lessons across all year groups;
- if suitably skilled, accompany in rehearsals, concerts and exams;
- oversee key elements of the department's media profile and communications;
- play an active part in all music events;
- teach individual instrumental/vocal lessons:
- be occasionally required to work outside normal hours at the request of the Director of Music with reasonable notice.

Child Safeguarding: Shrewsbury International School is committed to Safeguarding and Child Protection promoting the welfare of children. The successful candidate will be required to

- attend in-house Child Safeguarding programmes
- promote and safeguard the welfare of all students in the school
- report to the Child Protection Officer any concerns they have for the welfare of a student. This may include unsafe practices witnessed within the school as outlined in the school's Speak Out (Whistleblowing) Policy.
- keep professional relationships with students where personal boundaries are respected and maintained
- seek advice from a Line Manager or Child Protection Officer with issues or concerns related to Child Safeguarding.

Requirements:

- International Child Protection Certificate (ICPC) and all criminal record check(s) according to residence history prior to the start of contract.
- Formal proof of identity with photo ID (Original Driving License / Passport).
- 2 signed, confidential references (one of which will be from the candidate's current headteacher) before the start of contract.
- Verification of original qualifications.

How to Apply: Applications will only be accepted on the official Shrewsbury

International School Application Form, which is available on the

school website "Job Vacancies" page.

Further Details: Full details of the school are available on our website at

www.shrewsbury.ac.th.

Any queries should be forwarded to The Principal, Mr. Chris Seal

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