

VMFA Council Membership Application

Requirements for Council Membership

- The Council is a volunteer organization and, as a requirement of Council membership, members are expected to contribute a certain number of hours on a regular basis. The approximate amount of time required for each activity is usually 15-20 hours a quarter; however, this number may vary depending on the opportunity you select. Volunteer opportunities and required hours will be explained more thoroughly when you complete New Member Orientation.
- Council Membership dues are \$75 per year; however, dues are prorated during the first year for new members.
 - Membership dues are \$75 for new members who join from July 1 – December 31.
 - Members who join from January 1 – March 30 pay only \$30 until the membership renewal period begins on April 1 at which time the full membership dues amount is paid for the following fiscal year.
 - Members who join from April 1- June 30 pay \$75, which includes membership for the new fiscal year, July 1 – June 30.
- You may complete this Membership Application and send to The Council address at the end of this form with your check made payable to **The Council of VMFA**.
- Council members must be VMFA members. For VMFA membership options, call 804.340.1520 or visit www.VMFA.museum/membership.

Title (Mrs., Mr., Miss, Ms.) _____

Name _____ Name preferred _____

Address _____

City | State | ZIP _____

Preferred Phone Number _____ Alternate Phone Number _____

E-mail _____ VMFA Membership Number _____

Volunteer Opportunities

Please check your initial preference(s). After your application is received, The Council will provide more information about available assignments. For more information on each volunteer opportunity, visit:

https://www.vmfacouncil.org/resources/Documents/MemberInfo/CouncilVolunteerOpps_202403.pdf

Council Services to VMFA:

Visitor Services

- _____ Entrance Ambassadors (Ask Me Ambassadors)
- _____ Atrium Ambassadors (Museum Ambassadors)
- _____ School Group Ambassadors (School Group Greeters)
- _____ VMFA Event Ambassadors

Conservation & Collections

- _____ Gallery Care Assistants

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Education

Youth & Family Program Assistants

Floral Arranging

Hirschler Flower Atrium Display

Fleurs de Loo

Luncheon Centerpieces

Library of VMFA

Project Assistants

General Services

VMFA Membership Calls Assistants

Sculpture Garden Assistants

VMFA Shop

Sales Floor Assistants

Tour Guide Services

Gallery Tours

Council Operations:

Communications

Council Handbook/Directory

Writing/Editing

Photography

Membership

Recruitment/Outreach

Registration & Dues

New Member Welcome & Orientation

Technology Services to The Council

Technology Team

Council Membership Enrichment Programs:

Event & Trip Planning

Fine Arts & Flowers 2024 – All members will be called on to participate and assist with a variety of activities to support The Council's signature fundraising event to benefit VMFA

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In addition, the VMFA Council currently needs members with the skills listed below. Please check all that apply to your skills and experience.

Accounting

Finance

Social Media

Database Management

Hospitality Industry

Website Design

Event Planner

Photography

Signature: _____ Date _____

Thank you for your interest in The Council. We will contact you upon receipt of your application and your dues payment. **Checks should be made payable to The Council of VMFA and mailed to:**

**The Council of VMFA
200 N. Arthur Ashe Blvd.
Richmond, VA 23220-4007**