

VOLUNTEER POSITIONS

The Jamestown Rediscovery Volunteer Program was created in 1995 to help provide on-site interpretation to the visitors at the archaeological site. For more than twenty years, our volunteers have played an invaluable role as members of the Jamestown Rediscovery team, enriching the experiences of visitors and staff, and helping to fulfill our missions of research and education!

VISITOR CENTER GREETERS

Experience the excitement as guests arrive to Historic Jamestowne for their first visit, or, welcome familiar faces as they return to see our newest discoveries. Our volunteers share their knowledge of Jamestown and the surrounding area to provide an unforgettable guest experience.



FORT SITE INTERPRETERS

Preservation Virginia launched the Jamestown Rediscovery Project to locate the once thought lost fort, James Fort. For the past 20 years archaeologists have continued to uncover the history of Jamestown, with several of their discoveries being among Archaeology Magazine's top 10 finds in the World. Today, volunteers share in the moment of discovery with guests as archaeologists excavate the 1607 Fort site.

ARCHAEAARIUM DOCENTS

Objects belonging to Jamestown colonists 400 years ago, unearthed from the James Fort site, are presented to the public in the Nathalie P. and Alan M. Voorhees Archaearium. This facility showcases the findings of world-renowned archaeological discoveries at the birthplace of America. Volunteers share the unique stories and history behind these artifacts with guests visiting this one of a kind museum.

DEVELOPMENT VOLUNTEERS

Dedicated and enthusiastic volunteers assist the Development team with general office responsibilities on a regular basis. These include data entry, preparing large-quantity mailings, office filing, making "thank you" phone calls on behalf of Historic Jamestowne, and assisting with Jamestown special events. Some tasks are ongoing, which can be done independently, while others may require several volunteers for a specific event or project.

LAB VOLUNTEERS

Patient, detail-oriented volunteers are also welcome in our archaeological lab where they assist curators with artifact processing. Tasks could include activities such as washing and sorting artifacts fresh from the field, reorganizing old collections, labeling and mending ceramics, administrative tasks like scanning paperwork, or helping with lab-related public programming.

Our volunteer team is
part of the unique
research and programming
that tells the Jamestown
story to the world.

INTERESTED?

Email Emily Krogh at
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Volunteer Application



Personal Information

First & Last Name:	Preferred name:
Email:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Emergency Contact Name:	
Emergency Contact Phone:	

Do you have any medical conditions or health concerns we should be aware of? _____ If so, please explain.

Availability & Interest

Date you are available to begin _____ Total hours per week you are willing to volunteer _____

Please enter the days and times you are available to volunteer:

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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P M							

Are there extended periods during the year when you are **not** available to volunteer? _____ If so, when?

Volunteer position(s) in which you are interested:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Fort Site Interpreter | <input type="checkbox"/> Lab Volunteer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Visitor Center Greeter | <input type="checkbox"/> Development Team Volunteer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Archaearium Interpreter | |



Volunteer Application

Education

School(s) attended:

	School	School
Name		
City/State		
Years attended		
Degree		

Volunteer and Work Experience

Please list other current and past volunteer and/or work experience:

Organization	City/State	Job	Dates

Please list any special skills (foreign language, computer knowledge, etc.)

References

Please list two personal references (not family members):

Name_____	Name_____
Email_____	Email_____
Phone_____	Phone_____

The information supplied by me in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if accepted to serve as a volunteer for Historic Jamestowne and the *Jamestown Rediscovery* Project, I will be expected to meet all the requirements of my volunteer position, including regular attendance, as described in the job description given to me. I also understand that I will be expected to attend an extensive training program, adhere to all policies and procedures of the organization and perform my duties responsibly.

Signature_____ Date_____

Please return this application to Emily Krogh at ekrogh@preservationvirginia.org or 1368 Colonial Parkway, Jamestown, VA 23081