

King's Cross Story Palace Photography Volunteers

About the Project

King's Cross Story Palace is a two year Heritage Lottery Fund supported project, led by Historypin and the Building Exploratory. We aim to create a community-led history of the King's Cross area over the past 100 years. We'll do this through a programme of story gathering activities, public events, exhibitions and printed materials.

Would you like to help?

We are looking for volunteers to help take photographic portraits of those sharing their personal histories and photos. We are also looking for volunteers to illustrate stories and heritage themes for the digital archive by taking photos primarily of; historic buildings, spaces and public artwork.

Main Activities & Tasks

- To photograph project participants
- To photograph buildings, spaces, public artwork

Benefits

- Develop and improve digital photography skills
- Opportunity for your photographs to feature in project exhibitions and publications
- Discover and help celebrate the heritage of a dynamic area of London
- Assist in creating a heritage resource of the wider King's Cross area

Training & Support

- General project volunteer induction
- Digital photography training workshop with local professional photographer
- Induction to Historypin's storytelling methodology
- Support of Content Producer

Skills, Abilities & Knowledge

- Excellent visual awareness
- Interest in photography
- Attention to detail and ability to be methodical
- An understanding of computer software such as Photoshop would be useful, but is not essential

Experience

No direct experience of photography is required, but a keen interest and a self-evident ability in photography are essential.

Time Commitment

Ideally 2 - 3 days for 3 months starting from mid September

Contact

To express your interest in this volunteering role, please complete the form:

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