

# **MUSEUM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR IHC**

The Museum Volunteers (MVs) group is recruiting English guides to guide on weekends and public holidays at the Indian Heritage Centre (IHC). We are also recruiting guides who are keen on guiding in Tamil.

Guiding opportunities at IHC typically comprise of weekly/regular tours of IHC's permanent gallery tours, IHC special exhibition tours, ad-hoc tours for corporate and community groups and the Little India Heritage trail.

Join us as an MV if you

- Have a passion in the history, art and culture of the Indian community in Singapore;
- Have a keen interest for continuous learning; and
- Enjoy meeting people.

### Requirements

If you are selected as an MV, you will be required to commit to guiding 16 tours over two years.

A fee of \$200 will be collected from trainees to cover the expenses of the training.

### **Training Details**

Training will be conducted by the subject experts, curators, community leaders and senior MVs. It will be held on Saturday mornings (about four hours) from **3 February to 13 April 2024**.

5-minute and 10-minute tour presentations will be scheduled at certain milestones to prepare you for the one hour tour and assessment.

# HOW TO REGISTER?

We will be conducting a briefing session on the upcoming MV recruitment and training programme on 20 January 2024 from 10.00am to 11.30am. The venue is the Indian Heritage Centre, 5 Campbell Lane, Singapore 209924.

Please attend the briefing session and register your attendance for the briefing at **ihcmvtrg@gmail.com**.

Please note the following:

- Check the training schedule and confirm you can commit to the training and the guiding requirements.
- Submit your application form to to ihcmvtrg@gmail.com by Monday, 22 January 2024. The application form is at this link: https://bit.ly/3TrB5Yq.
- Check your email to see if you have been shortlisted for an interview. The interviews will be held on Saturday, **27 January 2024**.
- Visit IHC and take a photo of one of your favorite artefacts before the interview. If you are shortlisted for an interview, you will be required to bring this photo (on your phone/tablet or digital camera) and describe this artefact to us.

#### **About Museum Volunteers**

The Museum Volunteers (MV) group started on 1 May 2004 and has about 200 members. MV provides free tours in English to the public on weekends and public holidays at the National Museum of Singapore (NMS), Asian Civilisations Museum (ACM), The Peranakan Museum (TPM), Singapore Art Museum (SAM), Sun Yat Sen Nanyang Memorial Hall (SYSNMH), Malay Heritage Centre (MHC) and Indian Heritage Centre (IHC).

