



## **VENICE ARTS PHOTOGRAPHY EDUCATION INTERNSHIP**

Venice Arts' mission is to ignite youths' imagination, mentor their creativity, and expand their sense of possibility through high quality, accessible media-based arts education programs; and to serve as a catalyst for people of all ages, living in low-income or underrepresented communities, to create and share personal and community stories through photography, film, and multi-media.

### **Internship Description**

Venice Arts' College Internship Program offers a range of internships that train college students interested in working in the arts, both during the academic year and in the summer months. The Photography Education Intern will develop their skills and knowledge in arts education by assisting in its photography education programs for low-income youth. Interns will receive training in assisting in the photography program; mentoring youth in our summer camp classes; maintaining the darkroom and digital labs; updating the digital image archive; processing and printing black-and-white film, scanning prints and negatives, and providing general program support.

This is generally an unpaid part-time internship (10–20 hours per week based on availability), training directly with the Lead Photographer. Academic credit and a financial stipend may be available depending on your university.

### **Qualifications**

The ideal intern is a photography student with experience in both a black-and-white and digital darkroom. She or he is well-organized, motivated, and comfortable working in a community-based setting. Experience with Lightroom and Photoshop a plus, as is proficiency on Macintosh computers.

### **How to Apply**

A cover letter expressing your interest, along with your résumé, should be submitted electronically by email to Issa Sharp, Lead Photographer | Director of Education: [issa@venice-arts.org](mailto:issa@venice-arts.org). Please put the internship title in the subject line of your email.