



2024 Melbourne Fringe Festival Volunteer Role Summaries

As a Melbourne Fringe volunteer, you will typically contribute between 12 and 25 hours of your time across the Festival's duration. Most of the volunteer roles are located at the Festival Hub: Trades Hall – Corner Victoria and Lygon Streets, Carlton, 3053, with some shifts requiring attendance at our Curated Program locations across the city.

The four volunteer roles available to choose from are: Access Champion, All-Rounder, Audience Engagement (Fringe Greeter) and Front of House Attendant. The summaries for each of these roles are outlined below, however, more detailed Role Descriptions can be found on the Melbourne Fringe website.

Any questions about role specifics can be answered by emailing Beck Sutherland, our Volunteers Coordinator at volunteers@melbournefringe.com.au or calling our team on (03) 9660 9600.

Access Champion

Location

Festival Hub: Trades Hall and Curated Program locations

Role Summary

Are you passionate about accessibility and inclusion? Do you study or work in disability support? Can you sign Auslan? Are you a member of the Disability community? Or are you just keen to make the arts more accessible? Then apply to be an Access Champion at this year's Melbourne Fringe!



Volunteering at Fringe is a fantastic way to put what you already know into practice. You will receive some in-depth volunteer training specific to this role and be placed in customer facing positions that focus on access and inclusion.

Detailed Role Description can be found [here](#)

All-Rounder

Location

Festival Hub: Trades Hall and Curated Program locations

Role Summary

It takes a lot of work to present the Melbourne Fringe Festival. Come October it's all hands-on deck. We're seeking dedicated, enthusiastic and professional All-Rounders to handle a wide range of duties throughout the Festival. Between Festival Hub support, hanging signage, setting up venues, wrangling artists or queuing patrons, there will always be something for you to do!

Detailed Role Description can be found [here](#)

Audience Engagement (Fringe Greeter)

Location

Festival Hub: Trades Hall and Curated Program locations

Role Summary

If you're passionate about connecting with people and providing excellent customer service, then apply to be a Fringe Greeter! This role involves approaching people at the Festival, asking audience members to fill out surveys, handing out flyers, providing general directions to shows, distributing programs and generally being a very friendly and helpful person that is willing to assist our patrons.



Detailed Role Description can be found [here](#)



Front of House Attendant

Location

Festival Hub: Trades Hall and Curated Program locations

Role Summary

Do you thrive in fast paced environments? Are you a quick thinker and enjoy being in the energetic centre of festivals? Then apply to be a Front of House Attendant at this year's Melbourne Fringe! Front of House Attendants will liaise with the public, Front of House Managers and artists to make sure that events run smoothly and begin on time.

This role will require you to scan patron's tickets, manage queues and seating patrons in performance spaces. You may also be required to make announcements to large crowds or help patrons with wayfinding around the Festival Hub and Curated Program locations.

Detailed Role Description can be found [here](#)