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Performance Photographer

The Canadian Opera Company (COC) is seeking volunteer photographers to assist with the Free Concert Series in the Richard Bradshaw Amphitheatre presented by National Bank at the Four Seasons Centre for the Performing Arts.

Reporting to the Director of Programming and the Communications Manager, this position will involve photographing one hour-long concert per week to produce images for archival and promotional purposes, capturing the diverse artistic nature of the Series, the urban setting, and the architecture of the Richard Bradshaw Amphitheatre.

The successful candidate will be respectful and comfortable with a live, often sensitive, performance environment. Discretion is important and appropriate dress is required. The candidate must provide his/her own camera and equipment and be capable of working with and providing digital images.

Official volunteers of the COC are entitled to participate in the Toronto Attractions Council Reciprocal Program and also benefit from several COC volunteer perks throughout the season.

The Free Concert Series in the Richard Bradshaw Amphitheatre presented by National Bank was launched in October 2006, and since its inception has attracted thousands of audience members to free events ranging from classical, jazz, world music, contemporary dance, and interactive workshops. The series is an exciting opportunity for Torontonians to experience the artistic excellence and cultural diversity of the city in one of Toronto's most dynamic spaces. It is a platform for emerging artists as well as stars of the world stage to present their art in an intimate setting to a diverse audience. The 2010/2011 series begins in September 2010 and concludes in June 2011.

Applicants are asked to submit a resume and cover letter via e-mail to:

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The COC thanks, in advance, all applicants. Only those considered for an interview will be contacted. No telephone calls please.