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ALBANY INSTITUTE TO HOST TRAINING RECEPTION FOR VOLUNTEER DOCENTS

ALBANY, NY—The Albany Institute of History & Art will host an informational reception for anyone interested in becoming a volunteer docent. The reception is free of charge and will be held on Monday, March 22, at 10:00 am at the museum, 125 Washington Ave., Albany.

“We welcome those with enthusiasm and a love for both learning and teaching,” said Erika Sanger, Director of Education. “Docents lead tours and talks in the galleries or teach art-making activities in the art studio. Our current docents come from diverse backgrounds including education, the arts, medicine and business. Many are college students and retirees. All have discovered that being a docent is a rewarding and fulfilling experience.”

Volunteer docents are asked to make a weekly commitment to attend trainings and lectures and to volunteer on a regular basis.

Anyone interested in attending the reception, or learning more about becoming an Albany Institute docent, should contact Barbara Collins, Education Coordinator, at (518) 463-4478, ext. 405, collinsb@albanyinstitute.org.

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