



Michigan Historic Preservation Network Conserve Energy - Preserve Resources - Create Sustainable Jobs

March 26th – March 29th, 2015

Fire Station 5

519 Douglas Avenue, Kalamazoo MI 49007

FREE Window Rehabilitation – Preservation Trades Training

In an intensive four day workshop, students will learn the fundamentals of repair and rehabilitation of traditional wood windows. This workshop seeks to expand the skills of workers with existing knowledge rather than introduce individuals with no previous trade experience. Trainees will work with traditional building materials under the guidance of trained preservation craftspeople. The training will be conducted in partnership with the Stuart Area Restoration Association, City of Kalamazoo, and the Old House Network.

Prospective Trainees need to:

1. have an interest in pursuing historic preservation work as a vocation or avocation.
2. possess appropriate fine motor skill abilities and physical strength to successfully complete the work of the class.
3. agree to follow all safety instructions, and use all available safety and personal protection clothing and equipment as instructed.
4. sign a release of liability form and a model release - photos and video from the training may be used to promote preservation trades training both within Michigan and elsewhere.
5. commit to the full four day workshop and be on-site by 8:00 am each day.
6. be at least 18 years old.

The workshop will provide:

1. All necessary tools – trainees may bring their own tools but they should be clearly marked.
2. Breakfast and lunch each day.
3. Safety gear as needed.

Application must be received by: Tuesday, March 10th, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.

Applications may be sent in the mail – allow time for mailing to:

Michigan Historic Preservation Network
Attn: "Kalamazoo Window Workshop"
313 East Grand River
Lansing, MI 48906

or by fax Attn: "Kalamazoo Window Workshop" to: 517-371-9090
or as an email with attachment: admin@mhpn.org

Space is limited. Trainees will be chosen by Friday, March 13th, 2015. A waiting list will be kept. Questions? Please address inquiries to "Kalamazoo Window Workshop" at MHPN: admin@mhpn.org or 517-371-8080.

The workshop is free thanks to our sponsors:

Michigan State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO), Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) and the Michigan Historic Preservation Network

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APPLICATION – FOUR DAY WINDOW WORKSHOP

PLEASE PRINT

Name _____

Address (mailing) _____

Phone _____ cell _____

Email _____@_____

Emergency Contact - name _____

Emergency Contact – phone _____

Are you employed?

Full time []

Laid off []

Part time []

Not employed []

Retired []

Self-employed []

Describe your interest in working in the field of Preservation Trades and rehabilitating old buildings.

What experience do you have manipulating hand tools or equal?

Feel free to use ONE additional page for comments and background.

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