

## **Kyoung's Pacific Beat - Researcher-in-Residence**

### **Job Description**

Kyoung's Pacific Beat invites early scholars of color [PhD enrollment required, PhD in Theater or related fields preferred] to join our peacemaking, devising theater company as Researcher-in-Residence. With support of a \$50,000 research planning grant from the Wallace Foundation, Kyoung's Pacific Beat - a peacemaking theater company based in Brooklyn, NY - is collaborating with Mike Klein, EdD to research "Devising Peacemaking Theater: Advancing a Culture of Peace," a participatory action research project that seeks to investigate peacemaking theater in America and the structural limitations for this theatrical work in the field.

Our company is offering a Researcher-in-Residence position between November 2023 - April 2024 to launch a national study on peacemaking devising theaters, integrating Peace Studies and Theater Studies. **This position is part-time, hybrid, and preference will be given to applicants based in New York City. Compensation is \$10,000.**

To apply, please submit 1) a cover letter; 2) writing sample; 3) CV to Kyoung H. Park via email at [kyoung@kyoungspacificbeat.org](mailto:kyoung@kyoungspacificbeat.org). The position is open until Nov. 1, 2024 or until it's fulfilled - whichever comes first.

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#### **RESEARCH PLANNING DESIGN & FACILITATION**

- Lead bi-weekly research planning design meetings via Zoom with Company Research Team composed of Company Executive Artistic Director, Producing Director and Research Advisor.
- Lead the facilitation of three Research Planning Meetings for Company's National Peace Advisory Council, tentatively scheduled for the weeks of Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023 and Mar. 4<sup>th</sup> 2024 via Zoom.
- Attend a Research Planning Retreat in New York City, tentatively scheduled for Feb. or Mar. 2024.

#### **RESEARCH**

- Support the execution of an independent IRB Research Application for Company's National Survey.
- Collaborate in the design of a national field survey on peacemaking devised theaters.
- Lead outreach to national arts service organizations and similar networks for broad distribution of our survey.
- Design, manage and analyze data from National Survey.
- Collaborate in the design of a research conceptual framework with Company Research Team integrating Peace Studies and Theater Studies.
- Collaborate in the drafting a full research proposal integrating feedback from National Peace Advisory Council.