



## Theodore Roosevelt Inaugural Site Volunteer Openings

### **VISITOR EXPERIENCE SPECIALISTS (DOCENTS):**

Visitor Experience Specialists, also known as Docents, are the primary point of contact with our visitors, conducting guided tours of the historic site that relate the circumstances of Theodore Roosevelt's 1901 inauguration in Buffalo, NY, and the impact that his presidency had upon the nation.

Visitors typically include local residents, tourists from across the U.S., and international visitors. Tour groups typically range from 1-14 people. Volunteering as a docent is a wonderful opportunity to meet the public and share a key moment in local history.

- Enthusiasm for the subject is key to engaging visitors.
- Prior public speaking experience can be helpful but is not required.
- Good communications skills are a must
- Volunteers must be able to walk and stand for 50 minutes.
- Training is provided.
- Your training schedule can be flexible, based on your availability and level of comfort with tour facts and materials.
- Once trained, your volunteer docent work schedule can also be flexible, based on your availability.

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