Adventuress Captain

Sound Experience is seeking a Captain for its 2020 program season (March – October). Qualifications include a current USCG 100 ton inland Masters License with sail endorsement, BST and WFR, proven exceptional ship handling skills and a passion for maritime education and environmental stewardship. Responsibilities include operating Adventuress 7-days/week on rotation for two weeks/rotations with one other captain, living aboard the ship whether at the dock or at anchor. Must be willing to work weekends and holidays during rotation. Adventuress does not operate underway after dark due to its designation as a National Historic Landmark.

Successful candidates should possess exceptional sailing and boat-handling skills, have demonstrated related education experience, be community-minded and committed to ongoing education of crew members as well as participants. Enthusiastic interest in working with a diverse constituency including students of all ages, teachers, general public volunteers and other community members. Adventuress is a “dry” ship (no alcohol at any time) and is a licensed vegetarian-only galley both for health/safety reasons and to model eating lower on the food chain for program participants. Candidates should demonstrate proven records of implementing best practices in safety, environmental sustainability, and training. Sound Experience’s captains and ship strive to be a model for tall ship education and among regulators, and for excellence in the delivery of powerful, experiential shipboard programming.

For a more detailed Description or if you have additional questions, please contact Catherine Collins, Executive Director, at catherine@soundexp.org or 206-353-6119. Applications accepted until position is filled.