

ILLINOIS STATE MUSEUM

Prospective volunteers must fill out an application and complete a screening interview. Recruitment for positions is year-round unless otherwise noted. For an application or more information contact the Museum of interest.

Illinois State Museum

502 S. Spring Street

Springfield, IL 62706-5000

Contact: **Beth Shea**

(217)782-5507

Or email: bshea@museum.state.il.us

Website address: <http://www.museum.state.il.us>

Play Museum Volunteer: Assist visitors in the Museum's new hands-on gallery. Volunteers must enjoy working with children.

"Changes" Exhibit Docent: Docents share hands-on objects with visitors and answer questions in the museum's natural history exhibit.

Spring Rush Greeter: Orient school groups as they arrive for their Museum visit. Weekdays, April - May.

Special Events Team: Assist at the Museum's special events held several times a year.

Research & Collections Center

1011 E. Ash Street

Springfield, IL 62703-3535

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Website address: <http://www.museum.state.il.us/research/>

Curatorial Assistants: Depending on the curator's needs, volunteers can be placed to assist with projects in decorative arts, botany, zoology, anthropology, or geology.

Dickson Mounds Museum

10956 N. Dickson Mounds Rd.

Lewistown, IL 61542

Contact: **Christa Christensen**

(309)547-3721

Or email: cchristensen@museum.state.il.us

Website address: <http://www.museum.state.il.us/ismsites/dickson/>

Lockport Gallery

201 W. 10th Street

Lockport, IL 60441

Contact: **Jim L. Zimmer**

(815)838-7400

Or email: jzimmer@museum.state.il.us

Website address: <http://www.museum.state.il.us/ismsites/lockport/>

For more information about the Illinois State Museum Volunteer Program, visit our Website at:
<http://www.museum.state.il.us/jobs/volunteer.html>