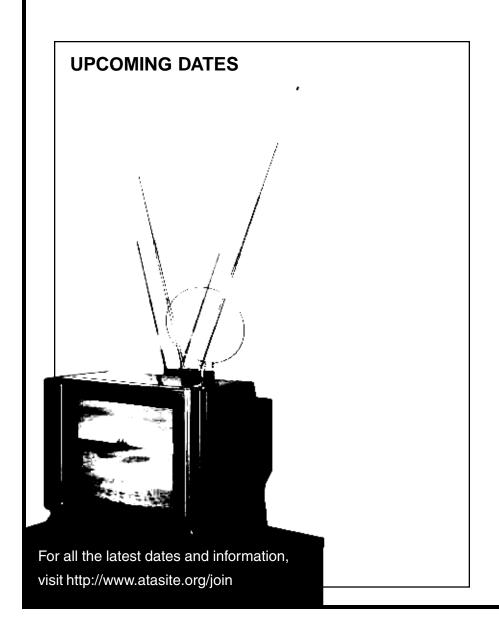
#### **Artists'Television Access**

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### :: What is Artists' Television Access?

We are a nonprofit film and video collective located in the heart of San Francisco's **Mission District.** Our mission is to make the tools of mass media accessible to artists for communication and as an art



form. Over the past 20 years, we've done this by offering cheap workshops and **low-cost** editing facilities and providing venues on a cable access channel, in our gallery and in our **theater on Valencia Street**.

#### :: Who volunteers at ATA?

We are video artists, documentary film/video makers, students in broadcast & television and film, photographers, digital artists, activists, people with vision and a hammer...

## :: Why should I volunteer at ATA?

As a volunteer, you'll not only participate in the Mission arts scene, you will be working to keep it **vital** and in existence. You'll offer equipment and skills that aren't usually within reach to other artists and local video makers. We offer a chance to anyone who doesn't have a whole lot of money but tons of ideas to produce and screen quality work.

# :: What are volunteers required to do?

To start, you attend an orientation and turn in an application. ATA calls your for an interview. If you are selected you will be trained and then assigned to **one 4 hour** shift each week. Within 3 months you will be recruited to be on a committee, like Programming, Publicity, Exhibitions, Facilities, Web, Workshops.

### :: What do I get out of it?

You will get in on the ground floor as ATA continues to become a dynamic, groundbreaking media center. Depending on your area of focus, you will get hands-on experience with editing tools working on ATV and other ATA productions. You'll learn to operate 16mm, video projection and sound equipment if you work on a screening nights. You will help develop ATA's different web projects. You can contribute to shows and curate your own. You get the support of a strong community of artists like you.

## :: How do I sign up?

If you would like to volunteer, drop by, call or email us and we'll send you a volunteer application:

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