



UCLA's The UCLA School of the Arts and Architecture offers four Summer Art Institutes in different studio disciplines, providing a three-week immersive art experience for high school students. We are seeking mature, motivated, responsible, and creative undergraduate students (Junior or Senior level) and graduate students to live and work as **Resident Counselors** during the program. The deadline to apply for this position is **April 1, 2026**. To apply please send your resume and a letter of interest to janeorr@arts.ucla.edu please include ART RA (your name) in the subject line.

Counselor Responsibilities: Supervise high school students who are staying in residence halls in evenings and weekends for the 3-week sessions. Enforce housing hall and university conduct rules. Assist with student orientation and check-in/out. Take attendance. Supervise students during evening and weekend activities. Accompany students to meals and to and from housing halls and Broad Art Center twice daily. Collaborate with fellow Counselors to organize engaging activities on and off campus and lead outings and field trips to museums and local sites. Create a safe and supportive environment.

Supervision: Each Resident Counselor oversees up to 11 high school students, within a larger group of approximately 80 students.

Schedule: Resident Counselors must be present and stay overnight in the residence halls on **weeknights from 5:00 PM to 9:00 AM**, and **throughout the day and overnight on weekends**.

The program runs in **two three-week sessions:**

- **Session 1:** June 21 – July 11 (DMA)
- **Session 2:** July 12 – August 1 (Art, Game lab, and AI & Art Summer institutes)

Compensation: Counselors will receive a total payment calculated at \$1,297 per week, issued as a single disbursement at the end of the program. As well as a shared room and board (includes breakfast and dinner at a UCLA Residential Restaurant).

Orientation: Counselors will attend a series of orientation meetings, training sessions, and have a Live Scan prior to start of the SAI.

Smiles,
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