### **Co-Executive Director**

# **About Us**

The American Precision Museum (APM) inspires new generations of innovators by connecting immersive programming with the rich history of manufacturing in America.

Housed in a **National Historic Landmark** building, APM's 4,000-square-foot exhibit space, education programs, events, and online resources **explore the evolution of manufacturing technology – past, present, and future.** The museum preserves and leverages a rich historical collection to **raise awareness** about today's **modern manufacturing** industry and inspire young people to consider future careers in manufacturing technology.

APM has a national reputation for its collection of **historically-significant machine tools**, its network of industry partners, and its **deep connection to the foundations of modern industry**.

Looking forward, the museum aims to be an impactful partner in helping to **solve the skills gap** that continues to be a challenge during an era of rapid technological change.

Learn more about the American Precision Museum at american precision.org.

### About the Position

With **major recent investments** in education and fundraising, APM is **poised to expand** its reach into the **national STEM ecosystem** as a strategy to create a more robust talent pipeline.

We seek a visionary, strategic leader to co-direct this ambitious transition in partnership with our current Executive Director. The new Co-Executive Director will serve as the external face of the museum and lead strategy related to communications, marketing, fundraising and education. This externally focused role will complement the current Executive Director's internal focus on operations, collections, exhibits and visitor services.

Together, this **team** of Co-Executive Directors will build on APM's strong financial standing to launch the museum into a **new phase of engagement, relevance, and impact.** This is an exciting opportunity to link APM's historical riches to the rapidly transforming culture of innovation in the digital age.

The Co-Executive Directors will both report to APM's Board of Directors and will supervise staff in their responsibility areas.

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# **Key Responsibilities**

# Represent the External Face of the Museum

- Promote APM's reputation among local, state and national audiences
- Position APM within the larger STEM ecosystem
- Engage and energize current stakeholders, and develop new strategic partnerships and alliances
- Deepen and refine all aspects of communications and marketing to create a stronger brand

#### **Build Financial Capacity**

- Expand fundraising activities, including individual solicitations, grants and corporate partnerships, to support strategic initiatives
- Develop and broaden the museum's donor and member base
- Increase revenues through programs, partnerships and entrepreneurial initiatives

#### **Cultivate a Culture of Innovation**

- Model and cultivate an internal culture of collaboration and adaptability
- Establish systems to develop, coach, evaluate and retain a talented team of employees
- Develop educational strategies to inspire and engage local, regional and national audiences

# Joint Responsibilities

This position will have joint responsibility, with the current Executive Director, for the following areas:

- Engage relevant stakeholders to develop a comprehensive **strategic plan** that builds on strengths and defines a bold future vision
- Develop, maintain and support a strong
  Board of Directors
- Review, update and implement policies and procedures related to bylaws and compliance with applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations
- Coordinate internal and external activities, including the intersection of Exhibits and Education, to ensure alignment across the organization

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### **Ideal Candidate**

You are **passionate** about APM's **rich history** and eager to connect this to a **future vision** for the museum.

You are a persuasive and passionate communicator who networks effortlessly and builds meaningful partnerships.

A visionary leader, you thrive on **innovation**, **experimentation**, **and transformation**.

You are grounded in an understanding of informal learning and/or community engagement and look forward to sharing this expertise with a new team.

You also listen closely and **honor organizational history** as you build bridges to the future.

You **collaborate seamlessly** with colleagues across disciplines and are energized by **leading people** toward a **shared vision**.

# **Compensation & Benefits**

This is a full-time, exempt position, with a salary range of \$95K-\$110K based on experience. The position will include 60% time onsite in Windsor, Vermont on a weekly basis, and 40% time remote, if desired. We offer a comprehensive benefits package and a family-friendly schedule.

## Requirements

At least **5 years of senior management** experience in a complex organization, preferably in the **nonprofit** sector

Demonstrated ability to work effectively in **collaboration with diverse groups** of people

High **emotional intelligence**; outstanding interpersonal skills and **communication skills** 

Strong marketing, public relations and fundraising experience with the ability to engage a wide range of stakeholders and cultures

Ability to **cultivate**, **delegate**, **motivate and lead** a talented team

# To Apply

Applications should be directed to the attention of **Lisa Martin**, **Hiring Manager**. **Email a resume and letter of interest to apmtalent88@gmail.com**. We will review applications on a rolling basis until the position is filled. We seek to have someone in place by early **Spring 2023**.

APM is committed to building a community that is **inclusive** and represents a vibrant diversity of background, experience, perspective and thought. **Candidates** across all markers of identity (age, race, gender, ability, communication styles, etc.) are encouraged to apply.