General Description
Colloquium Peer Mentors assist with the overall implementation of Colloquium, a required 1 credit course required of all first-time college students. Peer Mentors work with an assigned faculty member to facilitate group activities and discussions for an assigned section of students. The course is designed to introduce students to the Juilliard community, as well as fundamental resources and discussions to provide a foundation that will serve them in their years at Juilliard and support their personal growth and artistry. Class sections are interdisciplinary, allowing students to engage with others outside of their artistic area. Over the course of the semester, Colloquium will explore topics such as communication skills, civility, stress reduction, time management, diversity, and student engagement. Additionally, the course will address topics unique to performing artists, including leadership in the arts, social responsibility as artists, artistic risk-taking, and collaboration.

Primary Responsibilities
- Attend all Colloquium-related training sessions, meetings and events (peer mentor meetings, school performances, follow up meetings, etc.).
- Meet with Facilitator and Colloquium group every Wednesday from 2 pm – 3 pm for the fall semester.
- Lead the Colloquium class at least once during the semester.
- Meet with Facilitator as necessary to plan weekly group sessions.
- Advise first time college students on transitional issues and school related concerns.
- Refer students to appropriate support offices, administrative staff or faculty for assistance or guidance as needed.
- Develop a supportive and encouraging relationship with group members.
- Assist the coordinators of Colloquium with the implementation of large group sessions (outreach and service panel, studio sessions, collaborative projects).
- Assist with the dissemination of materials and performance tickets to assigned sections.
- Other duties as assigned.

Time Commitment
- 3 -5 hour training session in fall semester
- Average of 2 hours per week during the fall semester

Qualifications
- Full-time enrolled College Division student in good standing
- Candidates should be comfortable leading discussions in small group settings
- Have general knowledge about student services at Juilliard
- Ability to work collaboratively with others

Remuneration
- $10 per hour paid over the course of the fall semester to a maximum of $375.