



RESOURCES FOR CONTINUED SUPPORT

Unable to attend the 2024 Summer Training Program, but want to continue pursuing an education and career in the Art Department? **Here's some resources to keep you on track:**

BEST PRACTICES MANUAL

A guide for everyone, beginners and longtime professionals, called **The Local USA 829 Art Department Best Practices Manual** is available to the public to [download for free online](#).

ONLINE TRAINING

[Sketchup & Layout Online Courses by Film Art Director Luke Whitelock](#)
Use promo code: NYC24

LOCAL TRAINING & MENTORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

[Reel Works](#) and their [MediaMkr programs](#)

[Equity through Design Mentorship](#)

[Made in NY / PA training program](#)

(though check all that they have to offer)

RESEARCH RESOURCES FOR DEVELOPING YOUR DESIGNS

[ShotDeck](#) (subscription costs \$8.33/month or \$99.95/year. 2-week free trial is offered)

[NY Public Library Picture Collection](#)

JOB LISTING RESOURCES

[ArtCube Nation](#) (subscriptions cost \$10 per month but services many US cities and a handful of countries around the world)

INFO ON APPLYING TO LOCAL UNIONS

[Local USA 829](#) covers Production Designers, Art Directors, Graphic Designers, Art Dept Coordinators, Costume Designers, Scenic Painters, and more.

[IATSE Local 52](#) covers Set Decorators, Set Dressers, Props, Carpenters, and more.

ONLINE FORUMS, BLOGS, AND RESOURCES FOR THE ART DEPT

[Annie Atkins designing and making graphic props for film](#)

[Equity through Design Saturday Session YouTube Channel](#)

[Graphics Union](#)

[International Production Design Week YouTube Channel](#)

[Art Departmental Blog](#)

[Art Departmental glossary for the Art Dept](#)

[Production Designers Collective Forum](#)

[Production Designers Collective recommended books and podcasts](#)

INTERNATIONAL & LOCAL EVENTS ONLINE AND IN-PERSON

[Production Designers Collective Events Page](#)

[ArtCube Nation](#)

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