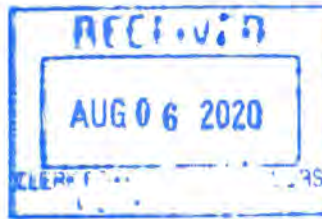




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BOARDS, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

First Name **Last Name**

Home Address - Street **City** **Zip Code**

Phone (best number to reach you) **Email**

Resident of Supervisorial District:

EDUCATION Check appropriate box if you possess one of the following:

High School Diploma CA High School Proficiency Certificate G.E.D. Certificate

Colleges or Universities Attended	Course of Study/Major	Degree Awarded	
Pacific Conservatory of the Performing Arts	Theatre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
College of Santa Fe	BFA, Musical Theatre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
San Francisco State University	MA, Equity and Social Justice in Education	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

Other Training Completed:

Board, Committee or Commission Name **Seat Name**

Have you ever attended a meeting of the advisory board for which you are applying?

No Yes If yes, how many?

Please explain why you would like to serve on this particular board, committee, or commission.

Access to arts programming, both educational and recreational, is incredibly important to me. Growing up in Contra Costa County I was fortunate enough to have parents with the means to provide me with arts education and exposure, and now I am committed to giving that back to my community. As a commissioner I hope to use my nonprofit experience and educational skills to expand the amount and variety of opportunities available for young people and adults in Contra Costa County.

Describe your qualifications for this appointment. (NOTE: you may also include a copy of your resume with this application)

While my background is in musical theatre I am also a committed educator and activist with deep roots in Contra Costa County. As a nearly lifelong resident of West County I know how it feels to be in an overlooked corner of our community. My path has led me from performing to teaching to directing, and finally to founding a nonprofit committed to providing accessible arts education to my hometown school district.

I am including my resume with this application:

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Please check one: Yes No

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Please check one: Yes No

List any volunteer and community experience, including any boards on which you have served.

Member of Pinole Rotary, 2019-Present
Volunteer Drama Teacher, 2011-2015

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Signed |

[redacted signature]

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Anna Smith, M.Ed

[REDACTED], Richmond, CA 94801
[REDACTED]

Objective

To encourage empathy in young people by providing them with opportunities to put themselves in another person's shoes, and give students the chance to see themselves within their education so that students can recognize and embrace their own agency.

Experience

The Quinan Street Project 10/2011 - Present

- Founding Executive Director, providing K-6 drama curricula to the West Contra Costa USD.

Redwood High School 8/2011 - Present

- Director, choreographer, teaching artist for high school students.

California Shakespeare Theater 6/2011 - 7/2016

- Director and teaching artist for after school and summer camps. Grades 3-8.
- Internship completed (6/2011-8/2011).

142 Throckmorton 1/2013- 1/2015

- Director and teaching artist for grades K-8 (after school, junior productions).

Berkeley Playhouse 7/2012- 6/2014

- Teaching artist for after school theatre labs and camps. Grades K-6.

Town Hall Theatre 2/2011 - 7/2012

- Director, choreographer, teaching artist for grades 3-8.

New Conservatory Theatre Center 11/2010 - 4/2011

- Teaching artist and assistant teacher for after school enrichment. Grades Pre-K thru 3.

StageWrite 08/2010 - 6/2011

- Internship completed for the school year 8/2010-5/2011.

Education

San Francisco State University 08/2013 - 6/2015

Master of Arts in Education, concentration in Equity and Social Justice in Education

College of Santa Fe (Currently Santa Fe University of Art and Design) 08/2007 - 12/2009

Bachelor of Fine Arts in Musical Theatre, Summa Cum Laude

Pacific Conservatory of the Performing Arts (PCPA) 08/2005 - 05/2007

Certificate of Completion

Skills

Various theatre games
Experience teaching ages 3 to adult
Proficient in singing, acting technique
Improvisation

Reading music
Playing piano and vocal warm-ups
Dancing and choreography
Able to manage classes up to 26 students in size

Excellent people and phone skills
Grant writing
Responsible and organized
Self-motivated
Hygienic

Ana Smith

Richmond, CA 94801

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First Name

Patrick

Last Name

Gutierrez

Home Address - Street

[Redacted]

City

San Ramon

Zip Code

94583

Phone (best number to reach you)

[Redacted]

Email

[Redacted]

Resident of Supervisorial District:

Yes

EDUCATION

Check appropriate box if you possess one of the following:

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Table with 3 columns: Colleges or Universities Attended, Course of Study/Major, Degree Awarded. Row 1: San Jose State University, Majored in Radio/TV/Film & Minor in Broadcast Journalism, [X] Yes [] No.

Other Training Completed:

A.A. at Ohlone College in Fremont, CA

Board, Committee or Commission Name

Arts Advisory Committee for City of San Ramon

Seat Name

[Redacted]

Have you ever attended a meeting of the advisory board for which you are applying?

[X] No

[] Yes

If yes, how many?

[Redacted]

Please explain why you would like to serve on this particular board, committee, or commission.

I would love to be on the board of the Arts and Culture Commission of Contra Costa County. I'm currently on the Arts Advisory Committee for the City of San Ramon and love the work we do. I especially enjoy how we can see our work directly benefit in the community on local public Art Work like the Public Utility Box project. My whole life I loved giving back with public service and I have a deep passion for the Arts.

Describe your qualifications for this appointment. (NOTE: you may also include a copy of your resume with this application)

I think I can contribute to the Arts and Culture Commission in many different ways. I feel my vast experience working with various clients many of whom are non-profit in radio on the sales and marketing side over the past 16 years has helped me learn better about the Arts and I can apply it in this position. Some of them include the following: Diablo Ballet, Danville Chamber, Lafayette Chamber, Oakland Ballet, and the Diablo Regional Arts Association (just to name a few). I have worked on numerous campaigns with them to help drive traffic to their events/websites and promote community outreach for them. That should help me in this position to help come up with creative ways to get people to local venues in the County to promote Public Art. Also I was a publicist for McCann Erickson working on the Sony films account in charge of publicity materials for 5 markets as well as a film critic so I have a long track record of promoting the Arts. Those are just a few of the ways that I hope to contribute if I'm fortunate enough to be chosen on the Commission for the County I live in and love so much. Thank you for your consideration.

I am including my resume with this application:

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[] Yes

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[X] Yes

[] No

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I have worked for the local YMCA in Fremont growing up as Indoor Youth Sports Programs in high school. I volunteered for the Commonwealth Club in SF at various events. I have been a screening rep for various studies hosting sneak movie premieres for the media and local audiences as well. I just applied to be on the San Ramon Arts Foundation (still waiting to see if I'm accepted on that).

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Last year I worked with the Contra Costa DA's Office on a Victims Awareness campaign b

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[Redacted Signature]

Date:

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First Name

Naina

Last Name

Shastri

Home Address - Street

[Redacted]

City

San Ramon

Zip Code

94582

Phone (best number to reach you)

[Redacted]

Email

[Redacted]

Resident of Supervisorial District:

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CSU Hayward	Masters Certification in Biotechnology	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
University of Mysore, India	Masters in Biotechnology	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

Other Training Completed:

[Redacted]

Board, Committee or Commission Name

Arts and Culture Commission

Seat Name

At-Large-2

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No

Yes

If yes, how many?

[Redacted]

Please explain why you would like to serve on this particular board, committee, or commission.

Being a member of the Arts Advisory Committee of San Ramon City for the past 4yrs, I have been involved in promoting varied art forms in the community. As a practitioner, performer, and educator of Indian Classical Dance, I bring a different perspective and I believe that I will be a valuable addition and asset to the Commission.

Describe your qualifications for this appointment. (NOTE: you may also include a copy of your resume with this application)

Member of San Ramon City's Arts Advisory Committee (http://www.sanramon.ca.gov/our_city/boards_committees_commissions/arts_advisory_committee)
Founder/Director of Namaha Foundation for the Arts, www.namahaarts.org
Founder/Artistic Director of Ushanjali School of Dance, www.ushanjali.com
Member of the Entertainment Committee, Tri Valley Kannada Sangha

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Please check one:

Yes

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Member of the Planning committee for San Ramon City's "Culture in the Community" event, 2020 Launched "Kaleidoscope San Ramon"; An initiative to bring unique performance based programs to the community; August 2nd 2020 (<https://www.facebook.com/namahafoundation/>)
Organized Fundraisers through performing arts events, for SEWA International USA, Bay Area

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Naina Shastri**Ph: 510-565-6202**

Artistic Director,

Ushanjali School of Dance, San Ramon,

Website: www.ushanjali.com; www.nahamaarts.orgFacebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ushananjali2008/>
<https://www.facebook.com/namahafoundation/>

LinkedIn: Naina Shastri

Instagram: @nainashastri

Twitter: @NainaShastri

I am a Bharatanatyam Dancer, Performer, Choreographer, Educator and Researcher.

Some of my performances:

- Mbongui Square Festival, 2018, 2019
- Performed for “Women’s Day” event by SAVE (Safe Alternatives for Violent Environments)
- San Francisco International Movement Arts Festival 2018, 2019
- San Francisco International Arts Festival, SFIAF 2018
- West Wave Dance Festival, SAFEhouse Arts, SF
- Articulate Festival, Mysore
- APAture 2016, Kearny Street Workshop
- Mysore Dasara Festival, Mysore
- Every Friday Youth Performance, Yavanika, Bengaluru
- Events organized by the Kannada and Culture Dept.

And many more around the Bay Area and in India

Other Achievements and Collaborations:

- I have served three sessions as a RAW resident artist at SAFEhouse for the Arts, San Francisco.
- I have been an Artist-in-Residence at the Oakland Asian Cultural Center, Oakland, CA.
- I was selected to present my original work “Morning Raga” at the APAture Festival, 2016 organized by Kearny Street Workshop.
- I have been regularly presenting a collaborative work with Visual Artist, Salma Arastu exploring poetry by Persian Mystic Mevlana Rumi and Indian Bhakti Saint Meera Bai through Indian Classical Dance, recitation, music and multimedia.

Community Service:

- Member of San Ramon City’s Arts Advisory Committee
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- Founder/Director of Namaha Foundation for the Arts, www.namahaarts.org
- Member of the Entertainment Committee, Tri Valley Kannada Sangha
- Ex-Board Member; Asian Pacific Islander American Public Affairs (APAPA)
- CoFounder: Kalasangha - East Bay Artists Exchange
- Assisting the City Staff in planning, organizing and executing MultiCultural events like “Culture in the Community”
- Organized Dance Festival to help raise funds for “Women Empowerment” projects of SEWA International USA, Bay Area
- Involved with local, San Ramon based grassroots organization Rewire Community in an artistic capacity, choreographing and performing for their events on Women oriented topics.

Educator and Teacher:

Founder/Artistic Director of Ushanjali School of Dance, www.ushanjali.com

- As the Artistic Director of Ushanjali School of Dance I teach Indian Classical Dance at 3 locations (San Ramon, Pleasanton and Berkeley), currently training over 100 students. My students regularly perform at various dance festivals, City and Community organized cultural events throughout the Bay Area. The senior students are trained to present their “*Rangapraveshas*” (*Debut Solo Performance*), an intensive program where the dancers present Solo for over 2 hours with Live Orchestra accompaniment.
- My school and I have been featured in NBC BayArea’s program Asian Pacific America with Robert Handa.
- We have presented Lecture/Demonstrations at Libraries around San Ramon, Pleasanton and Pinole, for Girls Scouts group at a local school, International Day performances at Schools around San Ramon and Danville.

NonProfit Work:

I am the Founder/Director of the Non-profit organization, Namaha Foundation for the Arts.

Through this we conduct:

- An annual Dance and Music Festival, “Karnataka Composers Day”
- The Monthly Solo Indian Dance performance series, Naipunya Dance Festival every 2nd Saturday of the Month. This provides a platform and opportunities for upcoming soloists.
- Launched, “Kaleidoscope San Ramon” on August 2nd, 2020; An initiative to bring Artists from all genres of Arts, Ethnicities and Genders for a Collaborative and Harmonious expression of experiences.

Academic Background

- I have a Masters degree in Biotechnology from the University of Mysore.
- A Masters Certification in Biotechnology from CSU Hayward.
- I have worked in the Biotech Industry(Discoverx) and later at the Research Laboratory, Lawrence Berkeley National Lab; Emeryville.

I currently reside in San Ramon, California with my husband and two children.