Thanks all, for your contributions to this! Sadly, as of September 2020 I will no longer be updating or adding to this document.

More resources for freelance artists! (thanks to Hannah Fenlon and many others!)

Job Listings- General

www.Remotive.io

www.RemoteWoman.com

www.weworkremotely.com

www.flexjobs.com/jobs/online-content

www.skipthedrive.com

www.justremote.co

www.themomproject.com

www.guru.com

www.upwork.com

www.workingnomads.co

www.remoteok.io

www.careerfinderquiz.com.

Skillcrush: A blog post of lots of sites that have postings for remote work

<u>CrowdWorkNews: 75 Work From Home Jobs</u>

Fiverr.com

Forbes: 10 Best Jobs Working From Home

<u>Survival Jobs for Actors</u>- the survival jobs section may not apply right now, but the side hustles section may help

Glassdoor: 16 Companies Hiring for Work from Home Jobs Now

Google Doc: 1575 Remote Jobs From 100+Companies Hiring in Feb 2020

Job Listings- Specific

Apply to be a Contact Tracer with MA's new initiative to contain the spread of COVID-19

https://www.amazon.jobs/en/- Amazon is hiring to keep up with demand, many warehouse jobs in MA

www.rev.com transcription—Seems to have some shady business practices- reddit thread here (thanks to Lia)

https://gotranscript.com/transcription-jobs transcription

https://www.gmrtranscription.com/careers.aspx transcription

https://audiotranscriptioncenter.com/jobs/ transcription

https://thelai.com/contractor/ transcription

https://www.stitchfix.com/careers/jobs remote options for those with retail experience

Jobs with the US Census

8 resources for teaching English online- requires fluency in English and a bachelor's degree

www.vipkid.com- teaching English online

https://www.kellyservices.us/us/other/kellyconnect-workathome/- customer service representatives

<u>Google Doc: Matt Lockshin's Digital Jobs for Progressives</u> advocacy and political work- some remote, some not

www.coria.com web development

Tutor at University of Southern California Profile Creation Form: https://forms.gle/VFDtCYd91cJ6y4Yg8

(got this as an email- don't know anything about the company, so take with a grain of salt. Website here.)

Hello freelancers and job seekers looking to get into a new growing company! USOM is an athleisure wear 3yr in start up company looking to build a team that helps the co founders with any and all day to day task. Right now we have more task than we can physically do in the amount of time allotted and we are looking to start out with intern level work until the company grows and then promotions are inevitable! There is so much room to grow as we are growing quite quickly.

Looking for areas of all expertise in sales, marketing, brand development, event planning, fundraising, photography, videography, modeling, editing, social media, or whatever you believe you bring to the table for any company and want to just start somewhere! We are here for it! Hone in on your skills with us. Apply here or send us a message letting us know your skill. We are happy to have help in a number of areas! No job too small! Please contact: Erica Bigger Usleptonmellc@gmail.com

<u>Welocalize</u>- looking for those who are fluent in speaking and writing AUSTRALIAN English, GERMAN, JAPANESE and SPANISH (North American) ONLY. (They have no need for American English speakers) You need to have US work authorization.

Not remote- but Costco and grocery stores, FedEx, UPS, and Amazon are looking for staff, if you are healthy and not part of a vulnerable population it may be worth looking into

Job Related

Advice from a coach for creatives and entrepreneurs

How to Become a Virtual Assistant

<u>How To Avoid Work From Home Scams</u> fun fact: Amazon has the most fake career websites because it has the most recognizable name. Make sure you go through the company's website to get to their job listings!

Gig Cancellations due to Coronavirus: Survival Tips for Freelancers

Coronavirus Cancellations in Entertainment- What Else to Do?

The Biz of Show Blog Post

<u>Finances for Actors Free Online Course</u>- Disclaimer - I (Michelle Dyer) am not a financial advisor. I don't claim to be one. I just share what I've learned in my journey from being an actress in debt to getting a Survival Job. I want to teach you what I wish I would have known. And this has absolutely nothing to do with my Survival Job.

Teaching

Teaching Theater Online: A Shift in Pedagogy Amidst Coronavirus Outbreak

Matt Kizer: Online Teaching Resources for Theater Design and Technology

<u>Lightwright-</u> John McKernon has created an emergency Lightwright license for students that need to complete projects and no longer have access to Lightwright. Details in the link.

Relief Organizations

Boston- Theater Community Benevolent Fund- Acknowledging the high potential of unexpected need within Boston's theatre community during these unprecedented times, TCBF will begin to review all COVID-19-related applications to the Fund on a weekly basis. Applicants should expect a delay in response of at least five business days. TCBF will only accept one application per person/theatre company that is directly related to COVID-19 and plans to set caps on these funding requests, amounts to be announced. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis. The form is the same one used for normal applications, but please indicate the application is related to COVID-19. We will continue to accept applications not related to COVID-19 during this time.

Massachusetts- checking your eligibility for unemployment benefits

SBA Disaster Relief Loans

Check the website to see if your state has been approved

You can and should apply for an SBA Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) ASAP as the funds are distributed on a first come, first served basis. You can now apply (with the same application) for a \$10,000 loan advance, which is payable within 3 days. That advance is really a grant, which is 100% forgiven. Whether you get an EIDL, are declined, or don't have a decision yet, apply for this advance. If you already received an EIDL, go back to the SBA site and reapply, and this time ask for the advance. The new application is streamlined and takes less time than the original one.

Payroll Protection Plan: this is a new program under the CARES Act designed to help you keep your employees employed and help you come back strong when you re-open or scale back up. It is possible that this loan can be 100% forgiven! Applications will be made thru SBA lender banks, and you can apply starting Friday. Self-employed and sole proprietors can apply at a later date TBD. Much more guidance on this coming out in

next few days. For now, you can view the application and general info on www.home.treasury.gov and click on the red box at top of home page.

You can apply for both EIDL / loan advance AND the Payroll Protection Plan but not for the same expenses.

Boston- Artist Relief Fund

Boston Music Maker Relief Fund

Boston Dance Alliance Relief

Cambridge Artist Relief Fund

<u>The Actors Fund</u>- financial assistance available for ANYONE who has worked in the entertainment/live event industry for 5+ years.

The Musician's Foundation

New York- The Ghostlight Fund

Artist's Relief Tree

Mass Cultural Council- Relief Effort for Individuals

Mass Cultural Council- Relief Effort for Organizations

NEFA COVID-19 resources for individuals and organizations

Forbes: Small Business Relief Tracker

WBUR The Artery: Grants and Resources for Artists and Nonprofits

SETC: COVID-19 Theater Resources

<u>Boston: Stagesource</u> has created a survey for freelancers and independent contractors to determine the best way to assist moving forward. Please take a few minutes and fill it out!

<u>Performing Artist Emergency Micro-Lending Grants</u> provided through MICAH-Minnesota Institute of Contemplation and Healing MICAH creates, supports, and develops programs and environments for the practice and study of spiritual formation and leadership, healing and the arts. As a contemplative Christian undertaking, MICAH provides a sacred space within which we seek to create a life with God. website here

www.ilostmyartsgig.com

Maine: Disaster Unemployment Assistance

<u>Artists, Culture Workers, Freelancers, Gig/Event Economy Losses Due to Covid-19 Cancellations</u>- a sheet gathering information from workers across the country about how many gigs have been lost to share with relief organizations

Mass Cultural Council COVID-19 Resources

<u>US COVID-19 Mutual Aid Resources</u>- a Google Drive folder with A TON of resources, sorted by state

National Endowment for the Arts Resources

Call your city councillor/state senator/state representatives!!

<u>Comcast-</u> low income households can get two months of free internet during Coronavirus emergency. Click link to apply.

Crew Nation - Live Nation fund for music crews

<u>Distance with Care-</u> launching soon- a collaborative website of pooled COVID-19 resources built in an effort to support and connect the greater community during a time of social distancing. (Be sure to click on view all resources!)

Theater Training Resources

QLab is offering free temporary pro bundle licenses from now until June 1 to support teachers and students. Use your .edu email to create an account at qlab.com/account and then email support@figure53.com

QLab Training from Figure 53

<u>The Art of Social Distancing</u>- a growing list of online resources for creatives for research, personal practice, and connection in the time of social distancing

Live Design- Covid 19: The Entertainment Industry Reacts with Training Options

<u>ETC- Free Online Training Classes through May 15th</u>- programming Element and Eos, color tools, virtual media servers, DMX, networking, troubleshooting, Unison Mosaic Designer, maintenance

ACT Lighting Online Courses- Free through June 1

Strand/Vari-Lite Online Training

USITT Lighting Commission Training and Education Links

<u>2 Free Months of Adobe Creative Cloud</u> (this may only apply to those who are already subscribed)

<u>Vectorworks Spotlight Essentials</u>- use the code TRAINMENOW for a 100% discount. Click on enter promo code on the Seminar Admission page.

Free/Discounted Online Theater Courses

Magnum: Every Free Event Technology Training Class, Tutorial and Workshop Being Offered During COVID-19

Take Care of Yourself!

Taking Care of your Mental Health in the Face of Uncertainty

Free Workouts You can Do at Home- All Levels

Five Free Mindfulness Apps Worth Your Attention

Expert offers Practical Advice to Manage your Coronavirus Anxiety

Walks, Meditation, Fear Lists: How to cope with coronavirus anxiety

Facebook Groups

Freelancing Females
Societygal - A Community for Creative Female Entrepreneurs
Create & Cultivate
Corona Classifieds

<u>Live Events Industry Federal Aid Action</u>- a facebook group with a ton of resources

Slack Channels

Ladies Get Paid

Ideas

Seattle has started connecting out of work artists with those that have immediate childcare needs

Educational institutions that are going virtual for the remainder of the semester may need assistance with move outs- it may be worth contacting them to see if they need crew to help move

Taking whatever downtime is available for general career building tasks that we never have time for otherwise: updating resumes, websites if applicable and doing research to see if there are new contacts we can reach out to or companies we want to work with. Take the time to do some schematic financial and career mapping and workshop ideas and resumes with friends who also have extra time to help. This can build camaraderie and hopefully some optimism when we're otherwise feeling somewhat isolated.

Take an OSHA 10 or OSHA 30 training to add to your resume

Theater Communications Group is advocating to Congress for financial assistance to theater, write a letter in support- <u>more info</u>