

**WORK IT 002: WE'RE HIRING!**

SAM

What better way to celebrate the Job Hunting episode than with this piece of exciting news.

JANET

Work It is hiring. It's our second episode, and frankly, it's time we shift into growth mode.

SAM

We've earned it.

JANET

Did you folks hear the gameshow scene last episode? This is our time.

SAM

Now you're probably saying to yourself: what's the role? Senior VP of Terrible Puns? Associate Director of Cranking Out a Half-Hour of this Nonsense Every Week? Slow your roll, hot shot.

JANET

While those positions will almost certainly be opening soon, we're starting by filling one of the more front-line roles.

SAM

Drumroll please...

SFX of the worst drumroll we can find.

JANET

Work It is hiring for the role of: ...

SAM

Unpaid Intern!

SFX of the worst fanfare we can find.

JANET

That's right, Sam. This is an exciting and spiritually very lucrative...

SAM  
Very lucrative.

JANET  
Spiritually very lucrative role at  
Work It HQ.

SAM  
In this role, you'd be working  
with two of the dominant forces in  
the comedy industry, Janet Mowat  
and Sam Allemang.

JANET  
Learn directly from the people who  
brought you such masterworks as  
last week's episode of Work It.  
And, prior to that... uh....

SAM  
(filling the space)  
The ideal candidate will have  
a PhD.

JANET  
(correcting)  
Multiple PhDs.

SAM  
Great idea, Janet. The ideal  
candidate will have PhDs in every  
field, so if we're ever interested  
in something, you can have a PhD  
in that and explain it do us.

JANET  
(play-acting)  
"What's the biggest country?"

SAM  
(ditto)  
"Well, Janet, as a PhD in  
Countries, it's blah blah blah,  
Asia or whatever."

JANET  
We both dropped out of grad-  
school, but we'll be holding you  
to a higher standard.

JANET  
Deal with it.

SAM

The ideal candidate will be a recent graduate with 10 years experience.

JANET

Available 24/7 with a healthy work/life balance.

SAM

A self-starter who doesn't need to be micromanaged...

JANET

...But seeks out and follows instructions in every task.

SAM

What else?

JANET

Fluency in French, German, Chinese required. Sumerian considered an asset.

SAM

Expert knowledge of JavaScript, HTML, and Super HTML.

JANET

Advanced user of Photoshop, Illustrator and Crayola Markers. Knowing which markers to huff to get woozy considered an asset.

SAM

We're looking for someone who can help us with the important work that gets this show produced, such as:

JANET

Getting Sam his soy latte for 7:45 every morning.

SAM

Just a little cinnamon, and some of that unrefined sugar stuff, not too much. Making sure Janet has all the red wine she needs.

JANET

Mommy needs her writing juice.

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JANET (CONT'D)

Filing down Sam's toenails, one way or another.

SAM

Seriously, I look like Baraka down there. Bringing Janet her tissues when she starts listening to those stupid Weakerthans songs again...

JANET

(teary)

That poor cat.

SAM

(indulgent)

Yes, Janet, that poor cat. Oh, how could I forget?

JANET

The Unpaid Intern will be expected to write and perform all future episodes of Work It.

SAM

Moreover, the incumbent will maintain the same level of quality which is, y'know, okay. Not terrible.

JANET

Pretty good considering.

SAM

Exactly: pretty good - asterisk.

JANET

The Unpaid Intern will engage in all necessary and unnecessary promotional efforts to promote Work It to a larger audience.

SAM

Any week we see our revenue dip, the Unpaid Intern will not only make up but double the difference.

JANET

The Unpaid Intern will be a social media guru, posting a never ending deluge of mind-numbing pabulum for our hog listeners to fave.

SAM

When I'm jamming to The  
Chainsmokers at Coachella with  
Kendall -

JANET

Close personal friend.

SAM

You'll be there to snap the  
perfect selfie, hashtag California  
dreamin', hashtag last day alive.

JANET

When anyone famous at all dies,  
even if we've never demonstrated  
even the *remotest* interest in  
their work, you g.d. better tweet  
"The entire Work It team is deeply  
saddened by the loss of *whoever*.  
He...

SAM

...or she...

JANET

...showed millions of kids just  
like me that it's okay to feel  
like an outsider sometimes."

SAM

And by the next day, if you're not  
tweeting "Back on our grind," like  
nothing happened and you're not  
even remotely affected?

JANET

You're in big trouble then, pal.

SAM

Hashtag, can't stop.

JANET

Hashtag, won't stop.

SAM

In a nutshell, the Unpaid Intern  
will do literally everything, get  
paid literally nothing, and be  
thanked literally never.

JANET

You're job is to make us rich and  
(MORE)

JANET (CONT'D)  
comfortable while you yourself are  
broke and exhausted.

SAM  
You do the work...

JANET  
...We take the credit.

SAM  
If interested, please send your  
references and a quart of plasma  
to the Work It studios.

SFX of knocking.

JANET  
Wow, Sam, that was fast. Sounds  
like an application was already  
delivered.

SAM  
Let's open it and...

SFX of sizzling - dynamite fuse.

SAM  
Oh, this is creative. This  
person's application is shaped  
like a stick of dyna-

SFX of explosion.