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Job Offer Scan2Screen: Scanner Operator / Technician (freelance)

Scan2Screen is a newly developed multispectral digitization workflow for historical color films.

It consists of a multispectral scanner and corresponding software for image processing, all of which are based on more than a decade of scientific research into film digitization and historical film colors by Barbara Flueckiger, founder of the *Timeline of Historical Film Colors*, and her teams.

https://scan2screen.com/

Currently Scan2Screen has headquarters in Zurich, Switzerland (Scan2Screen Switzerland GmbH), and in Menlo Park, California, USA (Scan2Screen US LLC) plus a lab in Berlin.

Scan2Screen offers the following services:

- Consulting
- Digitization and / or restoration of historical color films
- Application of a consistently automated and standardized approach that takes into account the main requirements of transparency, documentation and reversibility according to core requirements of restoration ethics and can react with maximum flexibility to heterogeneous demands from different archiving strategies
- Multispectral, versatile film scanner, fully modular to adjust to future technological innovations and standards
- Fully automated workflows including color management and color reconstruction
- Production of digital assets for the distribution and long-term preservation of digital copies including context information
- Semantic indexing of films for integration into metadata management and asset management according to international standards
- Licensing of hardware and software
- Curation of film restoration projects
- Physical measurements, colorimetry, and documentation of film stocks
- Identification of historical color film stocks

In this context, we are searching for a future member of Scan2Screen's lab in Berlin:



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Requirements

- The ideal candidate has several years of professional experience in film scanning and postprocessing including hardware / IT maintenance.
- Excellent knowledge in film color processing, data and color management.
- Documented professional training and experience in scanning and color grading is a must.
- Restoration software skills.
- Documented professional experience in physical handling of analog (nitrate) film, storage and maintenance.
- Excellent knowledge of English is a plus.
- Willingness to work in an interdisciplinary team.
- Good communication skills.
- Innovative, enthusiastic personality with a high degree of flexibility to work with a radically new approach.

Scope

The scope of this position is to digitize and restore archival films with the multispectral Scan2Screen scanner and workflow.

Maintenance of hardware and IT.

Employment

The applicant will be employed by Scan2Screen Switzerland at our lab in Berlin.

Workplace: Berlin, flexibility to travel with the scanner.

Period: Starting in February 2026 or later, freelance on a project basis.

Applicants must have a work permit for the EU.

Compensation: depending on qualification and experience, 25 to 40 EUR / hr

Further information about the position and its details will be available to selected candidates.

Application

Please send your application (cover letter, résumé, diplomas) in one single PDF file (smaller than 10 MB) to flueckiger@scan2screen.com subject line "Application Scan2Screen"

Applications will be considered on a rolling basis until the positions are taken.

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