



Teacher Training  
& Certificate  
Program

## ***Host Studio Affiliate Program Overview***

### ***Affiliate Studios***

- Commit to safe and high quality continuing education
- Provide studio time for PDM Remote Teacher Trainings
- Annual rigging approval process
- List PDM Teacher Trainings as affiliate on studio website

### ***Perks***

- Studio receives \$100 referral credit for each participant they refer to the program
- Streamlined application process for participant's rigging approval
- Listed on PDM website as an affiliate studio

Join the Paper Doll community by becoming a **Host Studio for the PDM Remote Teacher Training courses**. Create a supportive environment where your staff and/or members of your greater community can either attend the training either on their own or in studio groups. Trainees enjoy the cohesiveness of working in a group format, and studio owners can relax knowing their staff are receiving high quality continuing education.

In the PDM trainings, each and every skill is viewed and assessed by a Paper Doll Militia instructor. Each participant receives personalized feedback delivered online in the form of video feedback. Quality and assessment checkpoints are built into the design of the program to ensure participants are getting the most out of their training experience.

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## **Referrals**

When participants register for the training, they will have the option to select your studio as the referring studio. For every participant your studio refers to the PDM Remote Teacher Training, the studio will receive a \$100 referral credit, paid out at the end of each enrollment period.





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## Hosting Studio Time

Each Host Studio commits to making their facility available for participants to attend a remote teacher training at least once a year. Remote trainings are held 4 times a year and occur over the span of one month.

Each training requires studio access time for 6 zoom classes (each 2 hours long) and approximately 23 hours of flexible time that can be scheduled at convenient times for the studio.

For groups of 5 or more, we can offer a private zoom call with your studio group. This is a great option for studios with limited availability on Saturdays (scheduled zoom classes).

Please note: Participants do not need to all take the same apparatus track, we can accommodate multi-apparatus classes.

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## Eligibility

To be eligible for the Host Studio Affiliate Program, your studio's aerial rigging must be approved according to the standards set for our remote teacher trainings.\* Each year you will be prompted to send us any updates on your rigging systems, including date of last inspection.

On the Host Studio Affiliate intake form you will be required to include a description of your rigging system, any official documents you have, and photos of your rigging, equipment & mats. If you don't have official documents, we work with a reputable circus rigger to approve the materials you have. If your studio's rigging is not approved for any reason, we will provide written feedback as to what needs to be addressed in order to move forward.



*\*If your studio has been approved for the training within the past year, this would count towards your eligibility*



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### Affiliate Link on Website

**Host Studio Affiliates** must display approved language with a link to the PDM website on their Studio Website.

#### For closed trainings (staff only)

\_\_\_\_Studio name\_\_\_\_ is a Host Studio for the Paper Doll Militia Remote Teacher Training. We encourage and provide support for our instructors to enhance their craft through professional development. Members of our staff participate in Paper Doll Militia's Teacher Training and Certificate program at our approved facility.

#### For open trainings

**(includes staff, community members and open to the general public)**

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To find out more about the Paper Doll Militia Teacher Training Program visit the website - [WEBSITE LINK](#)

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### Group Discounts

For groups of 4 or more, each participant will receive \$100 off their tuition. These discounts are available for anyone who registers and can be combined with other offers.

For those studios who subsidize or cover your staff's teacher training tuition, this means you can combine your Host Studio Affiliate credit with the group discount and receive \$200 each participant's fee. Combine this with the "early bird" discount and that's a total of \$300 off.



### Contact Details

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