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To: Sheri Hartz; Tom F. McGurk; Lorrayne Leong; Amber Evans
Subject: Online Form Submittal: Board / Committee / Commission Application

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Board / Committee / Commission Application

Name:* Adam Ruch
Email Address:* [REDACTED]
Gender Male
Select the Board, Commission, or Committee you are applying for:* [Public Art Committee V]
Which Committee position are you applying for? [Business Representative V]
(must match the current vacant position you are applying for)*

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| I am currently a member of the above Committee, and am seeking reappointment.* | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |
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| If you are seeking re-appointment, has any of your information changed within the last 12 months? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input type="radio"/> No |
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If your answer is yes, please complete the rest of this form.

If your information has not changed within the past 12 months, please only enter your name and email information above. You do not need to complete the remainder of this form.

RESIDENCY / EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Home Address: [REDACTED]
Preferred Phone Number [REDACTED]
Place of Employment SAE Expression College
Business Address: [REDACTED]
Business Phone Number: [REDACTED]
Occupation: Director of Education
Length of Residency in City: 16 months
Length of Working in City: 16 months

EDUCATION / EXTRACURRICULAR INTERESTS

High School: Castle Hill High School (2001)
College: University of Sydney (2007), Macquarie University (2013)
Trade or Business School:
Other interests: Musician, writer

ADVISORY BODY EXPERIENCE / INFORMATION

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| Are you currently serving on other Boards, Commissions, or Committees? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |
| Have you served on a Board, Commission, or Committee before? | <input type="radio"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |

City of Emeryville (past/current) advisory boards:
Board, Commission, and/or Committee
Memberships (past/current) outside of Emeryville :

Please list organization memberships and positions held:

Relevant Work / Volunteer Experience

I am an academic and educator working in the creative arts. I work every day with young artists who are furthering their skills in a range of creative fields. As Director of Education, I either chair or sit on a number of internal committees including National Academic Board, Board of Studies, Curriculum Committees, etc. I have also been a steering committee member for the Interdisciplinary Videogames and the Future of Interactive Entertainment Conference from 2008-2012.

Why are you interested in serving on this Board, Commission, Committee?

As an individual, I am interested in participating more closely in public life. I have an interest in the arts and in the development of my local community. I am a recent arrival to Emeryville, and feel that this relatively small city presents a great opportunity for me to contribute to public life. As an employee of an Emeryville business, I represent an arts-focused institution which has an explicit agenda of becoming more involved with the local arts scene. We would like to participate more publicly in the community, and make what contributions we may to the artistic goals of Emeryville. We are well-positioned to support and be supported by such cooperation.

Planning Commission Applicants Only
Please provide a short (300 words or less) statement discussing your ideas and attitudes about planning in Emeryville. Please consider issues such as traffic, industrial and commercial development density, affordable housing, maintaining community diversity and jobs/housing balance.