

# Kootenay Gallery of Art, History and Science Society

## **Curator – Job Opportunity**

Are you interested in working in a fun and artistic work environment? Kootenay Gallery of Art, History and Science Society is looking for a permanent part time Gallery Curator to oversee the development, coordination, and administration of all aspects of the Gallery's ongoing exhibitions. The ideal candidate would have an academic background in a field related to the position, excellent written and verbal communication, team working skills, and a passion for the arts. Reporting directly to the Executive Director the Curator would ultimately include the efficient and smooth operation and planning of yearly exhibits including:

- Research, development, and implementation of the annual exhibitions schedule for temporary exhibitions in the two galleries
- Fabrication, installation, and disassembling of exhibits including:
  - Develop storylines and themes and organize displays and exhibitions
- Work with contract personnel (guest curators) as appropriate
- Develop and oversee exhibition programs that extend exhibition impact
- Ensure a high level of quality and professionalism in the presentation of all exhibitions and interpretive materials
- Build and maintain positive relationships with local and regional artists
- Research and write material such as curator statements, essays, grants, etc.
- Liaise with artists and volunteers
- Assist in reports and grant writing
- Oversee exhibition promotions and collaborate with the Executive Director in preparing exhibition budgets and grant applications
- Assist in ensuring exhibition reporting requirements are met in a timely and professional manner
- Available to work a varied work schedule and additional hours based on operational demands that may include day, weekend, and/or evening shifts
- Other duties as required

#### Assets:

An academic background in art education, studio art, and/or art history

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- Experience with an electronic accounting program and Desktop Publishing
- Experience with arts programming
- Strong social media skills

Hours – 15 to 22.5 hours per week

Salary - \$22.00 - \$24.00 per hour

### Start Date - ASAP

Some evening and weekend work may be required.

#### How to Apply

Send your resume and cover letter by email to: kootenaygallery@telus.net. (Please write "Gallery Curator Position" in the subject line.)

# **Deadline for Applications**

February 28, 2023 12:00 PM (noon) PST

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