Part-time Conservation Technician

OVERVIEW

The BMA Conservation Department seeks an energetic and motivated candidate to join the team as an hourly, part-time conservation technician. The technician would work on Mondays and Tuesdays, between 10-14 hours per week. This role involves working in the sculpture garden, weather permitting, to wash and perform minor treatments on the outdoor sculptures during the summer and fall. In the case of inclement weather and during winter and spring, the technician will dust collection objects in the galleries and do general conservation department maintenance. Training and supervision will be provided by conservation staff.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Ability to use tools and artist materials with good manual dexterity
- Attention to detail and patience for repetitive tasks
- Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Fine Arts degree (or degree in progress) in Studio Art, Art History, or conservation related fields
- Ability to learn or knowledge of techniques used in conservation, including working with solvents and proper use of respirator and other PPE
- Ability to follow specific instructions and work effectively with colleagues
- Ability to perform physical work outdoors in hot and humid weather
- Comfort working on ladders and lifts
- Ability to lift 40 lbs.

BENEFITS

The BMA is an equal opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status, or any other characteristic protected by law. We are committed to building a culturally diverse staff and strongly encourage all qualified professionals to apply. For this part-time, non-exempt position the hourly rate is $21.75 and we offer 403b deferred compensation retirement plan, discounts at the museum shop, programs and exhibitions, and restaurant, and a restaurant discount.

APPLY

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Research shows that women and individuals from underrepresented backgrounds often apply to jobs only if they meet 100% of the qualifications. We recognize that it is highly unlikely that an applicant meets 100% of the qualifications for a given role. Therefore, if much of this posting describes you, then you are highly encouraged to apply for this role.

Please send cover letter and CV/resume via email to HR@artbma.org with “Conservation Technician” Last Name and First Name in the subject line.

Incomplete application materials will not be accepted.

No phone calls please.