

Expression of Interest

Un[contained] Arts Festival Volunteer
Belgrave Street, Kogarah



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Acknowledgement of Country

Georges River Council acknowledges the Bidjigal people of the Eora Nation, who are the traditional inhabitants and custodians of all land, water and sky in the Georges River area. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and emerging.

Accessibility

If you are an applicant with a disability and you require this information in a format that is accessible to you, you can contact Hurstville Museum & Gallery between 10.00am and 4.00pm Monday – Friday.

Telephone: (02) 9330 6444 Email: museumgallery@georgesriver.nsw.gov.au

Overview

In June 2023, Georges River Council held the third successful, Un[contained] Arts Festival which attracted over 40,000 people. Un[contained] Arts Festival, is returning to Kogarah in July 2024.

This festival enlivens Belgrave Street, Kogarah and increases the cultural vibrancy of the area. It disrupts what people think of as 'art', sparks curiosity and generates a sense of play in the community, bringing new contemporary artists to the area, and providing a platform for local artists to showcase their works.

This opportunity would suit those who have a keen interest in art and/or culture, event management and enjoys interacting with the general public.

The Un[contained] Arts Festival will take place on the 19, 20, and 21 July 2024.

Responsibilities

As a volunteer at the Un[contained] Arts Festival you will have the opportunity to invigilate and provide interpretation for artworks where necessary. Volunteers will be rostered from 4.00pm to 10.00pm on either the 19, 20 and/or 21 July 2024. There will be an induction before your shift.

Tasks will include:

- Ensuring artworks and installations are not touched or photographed by visitors as indicated
- Ensuring all interactive components are functioning
- Providing general information to the public
- Providing crowd control/line management
- Notifying onsite staff if anything requires their attention

Skills required:

- Effective communication skills
- Ability to work independently
- Working With Children Check (free to obtain for volunteers)



- Interest in art and culture or events management
- Ability to stand for periods of time

What will you get out of this opportunity?

- Opportunity to work at a highly successful festival
- Hands on experience
- Interactions with Museum, Gallery and Events staff
- Interactions with well recognised artists and performers
- \$25 credit for food or drink from our vendors
- Certificate of participation from Council

Schedule

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| Expressions of Interest close | Midnight, Sunday 16 June 2024 |
| Successful applicants notified by | COB, Friday 28 June 2024 |

How to apply

Applicants are invited to submit an Expression of Interest via [Smartygrants](#).

Contact

If you have any further questions, please contact us at the Museum & Gallery on (02) 9330 6444 or via email museumgallery@georgesriver.nsw.gov.au



Application and Selection Process

Applicants are invited to submit an Expression of Interest via [Smartygrants](#).

Applicants will be asked the following information in their application:

- (Optional) Do you identify as:
 - Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander
 - a person from a culturally or linguistically diverse background
 - a person with accessibility needs
 - a person with disability
 - a person who is d/Deaf
 - LGBTQIA+
- What is your motivation to volunteer with us? (max 200 words)
- List your interest, skills or other previous work experience that may be relevant. (max 200 words)
- Do you have a WWCC?
- Provide the contact details for 2 referees

Further information

Please contact Marsha Canning, Public Arts Officer, for further information, on (02) 9330 6444 or museumgallery@georgesriver.nsw.gov.au

