



VOLUNTEER VACANCY | 2019

VOLUNTEER PROGRAMME

BEIRUT ART FAIR invites arts enthusiasts to apply to be part of our Volunteer Programme, a structured initiative which sees young people get involved in all aspects of the fair and experience its programmes first-hand. Our volunteers serve as the ambassadors of the event and play a vital role in ensuring the successful execution of the event.

About BEIRUT ART FAIR (18-22 Sept 2019)

Since its creation in 2010, BEIRUT ART FAIR has served to both spotlight and reinforce a dynamic art market that today finds itself in full expansion, both in Lebanon and in the broader ME.NA. region. Concretely, this dynamism is supported by a series of initiatives, both institutional and private, that contribute directly to an increased valuation of local and regional artists, both modern and contemporary.

In 9 years, BEIRUT ART FAIR has become an international artistic event that attracts an ever greater number of visitors to Lebanon: professionals and art lovers from the region and from around the world.

Responsibilities

- Ensure mediation between visitors and galleries during BEIRUT ART FAIR: show a thorough understanding of the artworks exhibited; welcoming, guiding and answering the visitors.
- Ability to take over groups for guided tours of BEIRUT ART FAIR & BEIRUT ART WEEK.
- Provide other appropriate duties related to BEIRUT ART FAIR's successful completion.
- Support BEIRUT ART FAIR's team on multi-task requests.

Requirements:

- Education: A bachelor's degree or students in their final BA year in social sciences, art history, or related studies is required.
- Experience: A minimum of 1 year in art gallery, institution or art fair; but motivated students without experience are welcome.

- Languages: Excellent oral communication in English is required; French, Arabic or any other languages are a plus.
- Digital and social media: Demonstrable knowledge and experience in social media

Related Skills and Knowledge:

- Creativity, initiative, good presentation, follow-through and excellent organizational skills are required.
- Ability to multi-task effectively and to work under pressure is required.
- Demonstrated commitment to Cultural issues and the capacity to master and represent the mission and programs of BEIRUT ART FAIR are highly desirable.

Available Positions:

- Mediator
- Gallery Assistant
- VIP Program Assistant
- Guide for “A Tribute to Lebanon”
- Guide for REVEALING by SGB
- Guide for “LEBANON MODERN!”
- Volunteer

(The position selected will be allocated according to availabilities and to experience and schedule of the applicant)

Citizens of all nationalities are encouraged to apply.

Applicant has to be FULLY AVAILABLE from Monday 16th until Sunday 22nd of September 2019.

Please submit a **CV + application** in English by email with a 300-word paragraph explaining your interest in volunteering with BEIRUT ART FAIR to: ranine.elhoms@beirut-art-fair.com

You'll receive a recommendation letter and a volunteer certificate after BEIRUT ART FAIR 2019.

For more info: <https://beirut-art-fair.com>