



Volunteer Role Description and Person Specification

Role Title: Peckham Platform Volunteer

Accountable to: Marketing Officer and Youth Platform Coordinator

Length of Volunteering: 3 months

Suggested Time Commitment: 4hrs per week

Locations: Peckham Platform; Online communication via Zoom

Application Deadline: 10th August 2020 at 10am

What is Peckham Platform?

Peckham Platform is a creative and educational charity founded in Peckham in 2010. Our programme of art commissions and projects creates meaningful and accessible social arts practice for Peckham and beyond, providing an expansive platform for different voices and debates. We are a cultural organisation with a civic duty, and the work that we facilitate responds directly to the needs and concerns of the people within our community.

We focus on empowering and giving a platform to groups that are marginalised.

About the volunteering role

This is a great opportunity for individuals who want to gain knowledge and experience within a creative and educational environment.

Who is the role for?

We are open, welcoming and friendly and are looking for individuals who have a desire to:

- Gain experience within and supporting an arts organisation.
- An interest in social arts practice and engaging local community groups for a positive social impact.
- An interest in engaging people of all ages and backgrounds, especially young people, and inspiring creative education.

Volunteer Responsibilities

We ask our Volunteers to:

- Commit to 4 hours per week, for a minimum of 3 months.
- Support the Youth Platform Coordinator with the delivery of creative workshops and administrative tasks relating evaluation, monitoring and reporting.
- Assist the Marketing Officer with the organisation's social media channels.
- Undertake health and safety responsibilities appropriate to the role.
- Read, acknowledge and volunteer in accordance with the Peckham Platform Volunteer Handbook.

- Read, acknowledge, sign Peckham Platform Child Protection & Safeguarding Policy and Procedures.
- Volunteer in accordance with Peckham Platform's Equal Opportunities Policy.
- Make full use of all information and communication technologies in adherence to data protection policies to meet the requirements of the role and to promote organisational effectiveness.
- Support the delivering of our mission to 'create a connected society through social arts practice.'
- A DBS check may be required.

Volunteering at Peckham Platform:

- An induction process will be carried out by a team member.
- Training and the development of your skills through a range of activities.
- The opportunity to assist all staff including subcontractors at Peckham Platform.
- Shift-share will be available with other volunteers.
- Volunteers will occasionally assist the artists and local participating groups.

What can Peckham Platform offer Volunteers?

- Experience in an arts organisation with a focus on social arts practice.
- Build relationships with local community groups.
- Experience with developing and delivering creative activities with the Learning team.
- Meet a variety of new people and develop your interpersonal skills.
- Build confidence & self-esteem in a new environment.
- Expenses covered.

If you are interested in volunteering at Peckham Platform or have any questions please email recruitment@peckhamplatform.com

Peckham Platform is committed to equal opportunities in all its activities and we invite you to complete our Equal Opportunities Form.