

Position: Artist Instructor, Expansion Programs

Classification: Non-Exempt, Part-Time Position

Reports to: Manager of Regional School and Community Programs

About Studio Institute:

In July of 2016, the Studio in a School Association, Inc. launched the Studio Institute, LLC. Informed by over forty years of experience in NYC Schools, the Studio Institute shares program designs, develops curriculum resources, and implements programs and professional development initiatives. Together, Studio Institute and Studio in a School NYC realize the mission and vision of the Studio in a School Association.

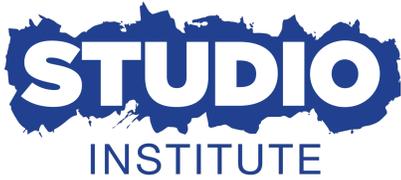
We are seeking professional artists for part-time, paid Artist Instructor positions in Cleveland, Ohio; Stamford and Greenwich, Connecticut; and Newark, New Jersey for the 2022–23 school year. You will receive paid, formal training in our methodology, and opportunities to meet and share experiences (virtually) with Studio artists working in other cities. Please note that Studio Institute artist instructors are part-time employees. Work can fluctuate based on season and artist availability.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE:

- Facilitating workshops and residencies that are developmentally appropriate, focus on student-centered learning, and build social emotional skills in addition to visual arts learning goals
- Participating in Studio artist community by attending paid meetings and trainings for Studio Institute
- Creating outlines and lesson plans that embody the goals of Studio Institute’s program
- Sharing outlines with Studio Institute staff, classroom teachers, and school administration
- Communicating with Studio Institute and school staff regarding all aspects of programing
- Traveling to and teaching in-person at schools and community settings across the city
- Flexibility to shift to virtual instruction and/or creating pre-recorded teaching segments, depending on COVID protocols and policies of assigned schools and community settings.

POSITION REQUIREMENTS:

- Bachelor’s degree in visual arts, education, or arts-related field or equivalent experience
- Active professional visual art practice required, as demonstrated through the sharing of professional works, website, and/or artist resume
- Foundational skills in painting, drawing, and/or sculpture necessary
- Demonstrated ability to teach diverse populations, ages, and abilities of students in a school or community setting
- Experience and understanding of working with early childhood students (ages 3–5 years) a plus (*required* for work in Newark, NJ and Greenwich & Stamford, CT)



- Ability to effectively collaborate and communicate with a range of diverse partners and local stakeholders, such as students, classroom teachers, school administrators, and Studio Institute staff
- Interest in and capacity for developing and implementing sequenced instructional plans
- Reliable transportation and a willingness to travel and teach in-person at various settings
- Willingness to attend meetings, trainings, and complete paperwork in addition to teaching classes
- Must meet background check requirements and receive fingerprint clearance

Studio Institute requires all employees to be [fully vaccinated](#) (including booster vaccination) for COVID-19 prior to starting work, unless precluded from doing so by applicable law. Proof of vaccination is required prior to applicant's first day of work.

Pay rates start at \$35/hour. Pay rates are commensurate with location and experience.

We are now reviewing applications for part-time opportunities for artists in the upcoming school year (2022–23). Email your resume, cover letter, and digital images of your artwork (or a link to your professional website) to: jobs@studioinst.org with the subject “[name of city] Artist Instructor.”

Studio Institute, LLC seeks to hire staff reflecting the diversity of the communities we serve. All positions at Studio Institute are filled without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, HIV/AIDS status, veteran status or any other characteristic protected by law. All are encouraged to apply.