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Volunteer Role: Workshop Support Assistant (Family Workshop- Learning Programme)

If you have an enquiry about a volunteering role, please email info@backlit.org.uk or give us a call on 0115 837 2426.

Purpose of the role:

To support the Learning & Community coordinator with the running of Family Workshops.

Date Volunteer is required:

Family Legacy Project

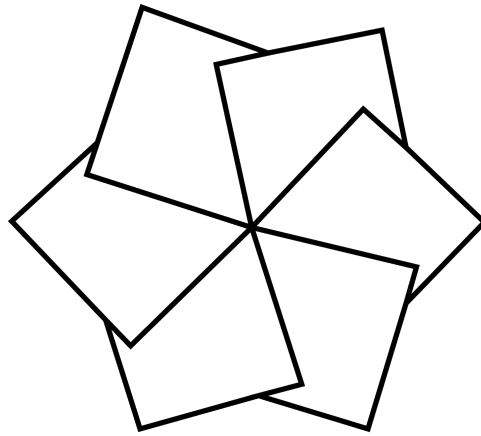
Wednesday 29th - Friday 31st May 2019

11:30am - 1:30pm

Families from the Refugee Forum will be taking part in workshops over 3-days at BACKLIT. Artists are yet to be confirmed but there will be two artists delivering workshops (one for under 10's and their parents, one for 10 years +). The theme will be Space and the final day will include a celebratory space themed feast.

Tasks / responsibilities would include:

- Helping with prep / clean up of the workshop.
- Supporting the delivery of the workshop.
- They will be required from 10am - 2:30pm
- Perfect for a volunteer with an interest in education and community engagement.



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Family Workshop

Saturday 27th April

2pm – 4pm

Experiment with rope, knots and clay to create sculptural artworks that are inspired by everyday life. Work with artist Hannah Parikh and explore the galleries to see her latest artwork. Have fun and work together as a family. Suitable for children aged 4+ years.

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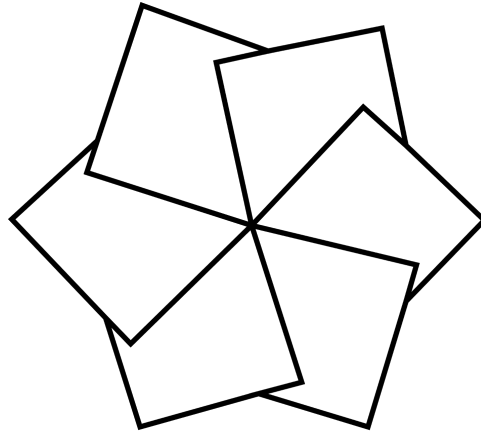
- Helping with prep / clean up of the workshop.
- Supporting the delivery of the workshop.
- They will be required from 1:30pm - 5pm.
- This is an opportunity for a volunteer to work with an artist who is exhibiting within Familiar Machines.
- Perfect for a volunteer with an interest in education.

Main Tasks & Activities

- Supporting the delivery of the workshop e.g. engaging with family visitors, organising art materials, keeping the space clean and tidy, and...having a go at the activity if they wish!
- Supporting the set-up and clean-up of the workshop space.
- Supporting the artist with any prep work prior to the workshop (dates/times can be agreed between the volunteer and studio artist).

Skills & Experience Required

- Friendly & sociable
- Wants experience with engaging with children of all ages



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Benefits for you

You will also work alongside our Learning & Community Coordinator.

- Experience with early years
- Experience with working with an Artist
- Confidence building
- Working with multicultural communities

Where is it & Who will I be working with?

The Learning and Community Programme delivers free art activities for families, young people and community groups within the local area. The programme supports the professional development of artists that have an interest in social and participatory art practice.

- Working with Gina Mollett, Learning and Community Coordinator.
- Held in the Project Space at BACKLIT

Support offered

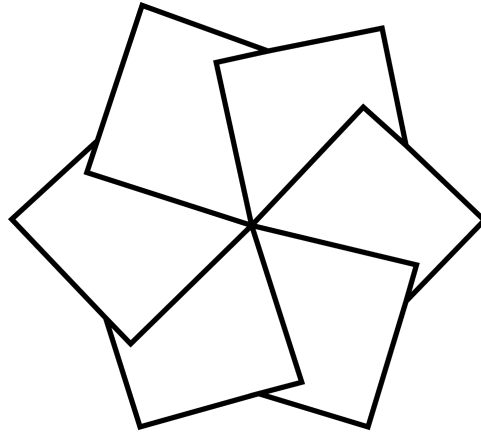
You will be provided with **Basic** support by the Volunteer Coordinator, as well as being supported by the Learning & Community Coordinator.

- Volunteer Induction,
- Initial Interview
- Skills Development Support
- One2One Meetings

Other information

For additional information regarding this opportunity please email:

Gina Mollett, Learning & Community Coordinator: gina@backlit.org.uk



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<http://backlit.org.uk/learning-programme/>

How to apply

Existing volunteers:

Just email the Volunteer Coordinator: Carysbacklit@gmail.com

New volunteers:

To apply for this role, first complete a [Volunteer Interest Form](#), then email the Volunteer

Coordinator: Carysbacklit@gmail.com