Artist Model

The Kansas City Art Institute, a national leader in visual arts education, continually seeks applications for the position of Artist Model. The drawing of the human figure is a fundamental and essential component of education in the visual arts.

We are currently accepting applications for part-time Artist Models that have the flexibility to work a variety of schedules throughout the week day and/or weekends. Classes start as early as 7:45 a.m., Monday – Friday, and there are late morning, afternoon and evening classes. Serious candidates must be dependable and reliable.

The Artist Model is responsible for striking and holding nude poses for a variety of classes in a professional academic and artistic environment. The position requires the physical ability to hold gestural, sitting, standing, and reclining poses for up to 30 minutes. Artist models pose for an average of one or two classes per week during the academic year. Starting pay is $14.48 per hour with a three-hour minimum. A high school diploma or equivalent is required, and background or experience in the performing arts, such as in dancing or theater, is extremely helpful.

The Kansas City Art Institute is a four-year private, independent and accredited college of art and design founded in 1885 and is located in the cultural heart of metropolitan Kansas City on a 15-acre park-like campus setting. The college awards the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree and enrolls more than 650 students drawn from throughout the United States and several foreign countries. The full-time faculty is comprised of more than 40 practicing artists and scholars, and a distinguished visiting artists program complements the academic program.

Kansas City Art Institute is fully committed to Equal Employment Opportunity and to attracting, retaining, developing and promoting the most qualified employees without regard to their race, gender, gender identity, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, national origin, age, physical or mental disability, genetic information, citizenship status, veteran status, or any other characteristic prohibited by federal, state or local law.

KCAI provides reasonable accommodation for qualified individuals with disabilities and disabled veterans in the job application process. If you have any difficulty using our online system and you need an accommodation due to a disability, you may contact the Human Resources Department about your interest in employment. Any questions or concerns can be directed to Kansas City Art Institute’s Human Resource Administrator at hr@kcai.edu.

To inquire, apply or schedule an interview appointment, contact Leanne Ball at 816-802-3301 or lball@kcai.edu.

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