



Centre des arts visuels Visual Arts Centre

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The Visual Arts Centre is looking to hire an **All level/beginners Throwing Teacher!**

Are you looking to work in a thriving cultural institution? Do you have a background in ceramics?
We want to hear from you!

Apply to ceramics@visualartscentre.ca with your CV, portfolio and cover letter.

About the Visual Arts Centre:

With our School of Art – Canada's largest bilingual independent art school – and our McClure Gallery – an exciting exhibition venue – the VAC offers you a thriving community of artists, teachers and students. We've been part of Montreal's artistic fabric since 1946!

Why choose the Visual Arts Centre?

- Opportunity to work in a thriving cultural institution and become part of the VAC community
- Located near Vendôme metro and train station, as well as a variety of bus stops
- Chance to work in our beautiful historic building located in the heart of Victoria Village
- Possibility of taking free art courses as an employee
- Join our dynamic team!

Course Summary

All level Throwing (beginners welcome !)

Learn fundamental wheel-throwing techniques for both functional and sculptural pottery, from bowls and cups to teapots and decorative forms. Surface treatment and decorative techniques are explored and explained. Course includes demonstrations, theory and critiques of individual work.

Conditions of Work

- Part-time teaching position
- Number of hours: 3 per week
- Working hours: Thursday 7pm-10pm (from September 26 to December 12, 2019, with the possibility of extension)
- Salary range: \$30-35 /hour depending on experience

Tasks

- Create/maintain course plan
- Respond to student questions
- Demonstrate basic throwing techniques
- Assign lockers and shelves to students
- Take attendance
- Ensure that proper clean-up of the studio is done at the end of class
- Distribute clay to students

Requirements

- Bilingualism (English/French) spoken
- DEC in ceramics or equivalent
- 2 + years of experience in a teaching position
- Art practice required

The ideal candidate will possess:

- Communication skills
- Leadership
- Dependability