



WE ARE HIRING!

**BASIN ARTS & BARE Walls is
seeking Part-Time Art Handlers**

OUR MISSION

Basin Arts is an arts incubator focused on supporting Louisiana artists towards a sustainable creative practice with the goal of increasing access to professional contemporary arts experiences and creating authentic relationships between artists and the greater community.

OUR ACTIONS

We support artists.

We support artistic creation.

We connect community to artists.

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THE BARE WALLS PROGRAM

BARE Walls is an innovative art subscription service run by Basin Arts in Lafayette, La that transforms "BARE" business and residential walls into vibrant gallery spaces featuring original artwork by artists from Acadiana. <https://www.basinartslafayette.com/bare-walls>

OUR NEED

We are seeking Art Handlers to join the BARE Walls team. Art Handlers will be responsible for packing, transporting, installing, and deinstalling artwork with the BARE Walls team across a variety of public spaces including office buildings, restaurants, health clinics, community centers, and more. Ideal candidates will be professional, courteous, detailed oriented, good at following specific instructions, and able to calmly problem solve under pressure. Art Handlers will report to the BARE Walls Director and Basin Arts Operations Director.

Necessary Skills:

- Experience using basic tools, preferably for visual art handling purposes.
- Highly organized and detail oriented.
- Clear, courteous, and consistent communication skills.
- Reliable transportation.
- A background or interest in visual arts is preferred.

Responsibilities:

- **Artwork Preparation:** preparing all artwork with proper hanging hardware as needed, wrapping and packing artwork for transport, coordinating installation equipment, supplies, and details with the BARE Walls team.
- **Artwork Transportation:** transporting new artwork to satellite galleries from Basin Arts and transporting returning artwork from satellite locations back to Basin Arts.
- **Artwork Installation/DeInstallation:** facilitate the safe, secure, and professional installation and deinstallation of artwork in BARE Walls gallery spaces and represent BARE Walls and Basin Arts in public spaces in a courteous and professional manner

Hours:

This is a contract position with approximately 15-30 hours of work per month based on art handler availability and program need. Basin Arts will request art handlers at least two-weeks in advance of artwork rotations. Applicants must have flexible availability M-F between 8am - 3pm.

Compensation:

- \$15/hour paid upon completion of work

If interested, please submit your resume and cover letter to hello@basinartslafayette.com.