



Education Officer

Reports to: Director - Education & Outreach

Role type: Full Time

Location: Bangalore

Role Commencement: 1st July Onwards

About MAP

The Museum of Art & Photography (MAP) is one of India's first major museums of South Asian visual culture. The museum is housed in a state-of-the-art, 44,000 square foot building, designed by the acclaimed Indian architectural practice Matthew & Ghosh, on a landmark site at the heart of Bengaluru's museum district. MAP's five-story building on Kasturba Road includes multiple galleries where the collection is displayed, an auditorium, an art and research library, an education centre, a specialised research and conservation facility, as well as a café.

MAP's collection includes more than 1000,000 works predominantly from South Asia: Modern and contemporary art, living traditions, textiles, craft and design, pop culture, pre modern art and photography, dating from the tenth century to contemporary times.

Our mission is to harness the transformative potential of art, to enrich lives, ignite creativity, and connect people. We make art accessible and engaging for everyone through innovative experiences, meaningful dialogue and building communities.

With a focus on accessibility for people with disabilities, and technological tools to make the museum relevant and exciting, MAP ensures a holistic experience for visitors of all ages.

Having launched online in December 2020, at the height of the pandemic, as India's only digital-first museum, and then physically in February 2023, MAP has been bringing its collection to life through multiple pathways, from online exhibitions to a range of articles and essays, collaborations with museums around the world, engaging talks by leading industry figures, and educational resources for kids and adults.

Key Responsibilities

- Deliver engagements for school students and educators, as part of MAP's ongoing programmes.
- Take the lead on specific individual projects, to ensure that execution is smooth and that deliverables are met: from coordination to end of the year project reporting.
- Maintain accurate records, logs and other data points in relation to the programme, including its evaluation metrics.
- Conceptualising and facilitating other workshops for young learners, educators and families, as needed.
- Liaison with educational institutions and other stakeholders with reference to ongoing museum visits, workshops and programmes (both online and offline).
- Assist in the development and implementation of monitoring and evaluation systems for all ongoing programmes.
- Ensure the development of feedback systems for projects they are leading, and present an analysis of data garnered for these.
- Be the primary lead for their projects with respect to any requirements regarding publicity, communications or development.
- Ensuring documentation of engagements, making selection of usable images and overall maintenance of the database.
- Keeping track of financial records or data as required for the management of budgets.
- To procure or create resources, including stationery or worksheets, as required for planned programmes.

- Working with other teams, from public programming to exhibitions, to support any additional engagements or outreach activities, as may be required.
- Ensuring the safety and security of the MAP Learning Centre at all times, and maintaining inventory of supplies, documents, electronics, among others, as required.

Key Requirements

- Masters with 3 to 4+ years of experience.
- Strong interpersonal and presentation skills; comfort with public speaking; and the ability to interact positively with audiences of different ages.
- Demonstrably confident and fluent verbal and written language skills.
- Ability to work in a fast paced environment that values diversity; and comfort working within child-centred or learner-led environments.
- Experience working in the arts or education sectors preferred.
- Ability to grasp pedagogical and aesthetic frameworks of pre-designed programmes and learn to deliver these via training and observation.
- Ability to respond in emergency situations in a calm and comforting manner.
- Basic knowledge of G Suite, including Google Docs, Spreadsheet, Slides, among others.
- Excellent attention to detail and time management.
- Ability to prioritise and work efficiently under pressure.
- Experience working with children and youth in formal or informal environments desired.
- Knowledge of multiple languages, particularly Kannada would be a plus.

Equality & Diversity

MAP is an equal opportunities employer. We oppose all forms of discrimination and believe that all people, regardless of their identity or membership of any group deserve to be treated equally, consistently and fairly.