

Gallery Teaching Fellowship Fall 2025 – Spring 2026

For currently enrolled graduate students at The University of Texas at Austin

POSITION: Gallery Teaching Fellowship

POSITIONS AVAILABLE: 1

REPORTS TO: Education Department, Blanton Museum of Art

HOURS: 20/week

DATES: August 18, 2025 – May 15, 2026

COMPENSATION: \$20,000 paid in monthly increments, benefits, and eligibility for resident tuition rates.

DESCRIPTION: Gallery Teaching Fellows at the Blanton Museum of Art at The University of Texas at Austin work with a team of educators to coordinate and facilitate the museum's PK-12 and family programs. Gallery Teaching Fellows prepare lesson plans and teaching materials, teach in the galleries, and maintain communication with participating schoolteachers.

Gallery Teaching Fellows may also participate in and assist with docent training sessions, professional development workshops for classroom teachers, development and implementation of programs for family audiences, and gallery teaching with university audiences. Gallery Teaching Fellows are also expected to participate in occasional professional development seminars for Blanton Fellows as they occur.

Graduate students in art, education, or related disciplines currently enrolled full-time at the University of Texas at Austin may apply for this position. Graduate students who are interested in pursuing a career in art museums are encouraged to apply.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Design and facilitate gallery lessons for groups of PK-12 students visiting the Blanton Museum of Art
- Work to provide an optimal experience for students who are English Language Learners or have special needs
- Work with Education Department, Visitor and Volunteer Services, Security, and docents to coordinate tour logistics
- Take an active role in program evaluation, conducting gallery observations and analyzing findings
- Research and write PK-12 curriculum for gallery and classroom use, as needed
- Work as support staff for teacher professional development events and programs
- Participate in occasional professional development seminars for Blanton Fellows
- Provide occasional support for family materials and programs
- Provide occasional support in teaching University audiences as assigned by the Senior Museum Educator for University Audiences
- Perform other duties as assigned by the Museum Educator for Docents, Families, and Schools

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Ability to work both independently and collaboratively
- Ability to multitask and meet deadlines
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills
- Good problem solver with ability to make quick and sound decisions
- Available on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays between 9:30am and 1:00pm
- Enrolled as a graduate student in good standing at the University of Texas at Austin
- Approval of the graduate, thesis, or dissertation advisor
- Must be registered for at least 9 credit hours during both the fall 2025 and spring 2026 semesters
- Must maintain at least a 3.0 graduate GPA
- Experience teaching PK-12 students and bilingual Spanish skills are highly desirable

TO APPLY, PLEASE SEND:

- Letter of interest
- Resume/CV
- Contact information for two professional or academic references

Submit the above materials via email in PDF format only (please no DOC files) to education@blantonmuseum.org by **Monday, March 10th, 2025**. Candidates will be notified of final decisions in April.

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