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The WeGOJA Foundation is seeking an **Arts Educator** to promote and offer an extra-curricular program at South Carolina colleges and universities in the 2022-23 academic year, that teaches education students how to incorporate African American heritage into classroom instruction. The subject of interest would be **the arts** and its application across multiple subjects and disciplines.

Founded in 2008, the WeGOJA Foundation is a nonprofit 501c3 organization that advocates for African American historic preservation, and has a successful record of helping teachers connect curriculum-based lessons with real-life examples found in the state's rich history.

The Arts Educator will be responsible for:

- Building interest in the program via presentations at colleges and universities in the fall of 2022.
- Scheduling webinars in the winter/spring of 2023, and inviting / hosting guest lecturers when practical.
- Managing a list of students in the program, including tracking their attendance and completion of a curriculum-based assignment at the end of the spring semester in 2023.
- Budgeting for materials and other expenses, and then managing expenses in a process to be determined by the WeGOJA Foundation.
- Monthly reports on project progress.
- A final report submitted by June 15, 2023.

Successful metrics will include:

- Aggressive and creative promotion of the opportunity at all colleges/universities in South
 Carolina that offer education courses, to build interest and registration. Meet the students
 where they're communicating, including chat rooms/boards, social media, student networks,
 etc., including at least eight (8) campus visits, reminding them the program comes with a \$250
 stipend per student.
- At least 20 but no more than 30 students registered for, and fully completing, the program.
- Ensuring geographic and racial diversity by delivering the opportunity to students enrolled in three or more colleges or universities in the state, one of which should be an HBCU.
- At least eight (8) webinars in the winter/spring 2023 semesters that offer creative and innovative ways to incorporate African American history into curriculum based lesson plans.
- Working within the operations budget.

No fringe benefits are offered in this independent contractual arrangement. The contract is dependent on availability of grant funding.

Preferred candidates would have 3-5 years' experience in art education and be nationally board certified. All eligible candidates can complete the application form below and return to WeGOJA Executive Director Dawn Dawson-House at WeGOJAexecdir@gmail.com by midnight on Tuesday, August 16, 2022. They can also mail material to WeGOJA Foundation, PO Box 290326, Columbia, SC 29229.

Arts Educator Application

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ldress:	
	State: ZIP:
	Phone #:
rief summary of your experience in a	rts education (also attach your resume.)

Thank you for your interest in this position!