BRIDGING CURATOR

Family | Friendship | Stories Full-time, 40 hours per week Salary: \$45,000 annually

OUR MISSION & MOTIVATION

The Human Impact exists to befriend the homeless and bridge the relationship gap to change lives. We follow Jesus to "His poor" (Mother Teresa). We see God using His power to defend the cause of the vulnerable, marginalized, and oppressed. We want to join Him in this work – using our resources, network, and gifts to care for those He loves.

THE JOB

You hold the bridge between the housed and the unhoused, which means you curate space for people to grow in friendship in person, and to grow in understanding of the lives of our unhoused friends. You also curate gatherings and experiences to introduce and cultivate volunteers' understanding of the lives of our unhoused brothers and sisters. You are not simply "planning events" but rather fostering ways in which the two communities can interact on equal footing, with a hope towards creating forged families between the housed and unhoused. We believe that the gifts of our unhoused friends are as rich and diverse as those who are housed, and we come to each other's communities—the streets or someone's home—with open handedness, ready to receive, one from the other. You have a keen eye for ways of being with those who are unhoused that might belittle or assume things about them, and you help us and our volunteers recognize and move away from contexts that do not dignify. You gently open space for volunteers to share stereotypes and create safe space after their time on the streets for them to debrief and better understand those with whom they interacted. You are an excellent listener and see your work with the housed as ministry. You are willing to ask the question, "How is the Holy Spirit at work in their life today?" and you hope to join God in his work with our volunteers, as much as with our unhoused friends. You offer yourself as a bridge between groups and thoughtfully and reliably execute on the gatherings and other events you create.

Responsibilities

<u>Gatherings</u>

- Plan, coordinate, and host all gatherings (held monthly or bi-monthly) on the streets and in homes
- Implement the trademark characteristics and rhythms of THI gatherings

Volunteers

- Lead volunteers at least three times per week on the streets Preparing groups before going out, debriefing, and following up
- Refine volunteer relationship management plan
- Work with schools and groups of children and families who are consistently engaging in our work
- Cultivate parent volunteer relationships
- Collaborate on plan to create three forged families for our unhoused friends

Interns

- Lead intern groups on the streets at least two times a week
- Work with founder on intern curriculum development
- Work with new groups of students and schools
- Grow relationships with current schools
- Grow relationships with parents of students who participate

Sabbath

Personal self-care, weekly and quarterly

Preferred Skills & Experience

- Previous experience or community volunteer work with homeless and or marginalized
- Project management skills; demonstrable track record of taking initiative and responsibility, meeting commitments and deadlines, being a self-starter and goal oriented
- Demonstrating leadership and maturity with those who seek guidance.

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To Apply

Please email the following to jobs@thehumanimpact.org & write "Bridging Curator" in subject line:

- 1. Cover Letter Tell us why this is the job for you.
- 2. Your resume in .doc or .pdf format