

## About Us

The Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum was established in 1985 and is dedicated to promoting art, culture, and heritage for the communities of the Gladstone Region and Central Queensland. We are also custodians for the preservation of the region's history and cultural collections we hold onsite.

Housed in the heritage listed old Gladstone Town Hall with a purpose-built extension, the Gallery & Museum is linked by a glass bridge walkway that accommodates the 19th Century marble statue of the region's namesake, William Ewart Gladstone. The historic Town Hall building was erected during the Economic Depression in 1934, while the new O'Connell wing was added in 2003 and boasts a dramatic aluminium and stainless steel installation on its façade, 151°16′ E 23°50′ S. This wonderful sculptural artwork is by local artist, Margaret Worthington, and is inspired by the harbour and shipping charts of Port Curtis.

The Gallery & Museum includes four exhibition spaces known as Town Hall Gallery, Front Gallery, Museum Room and O'Connell Space. Exhibitions of art and history are shown throughout these spaces and are continually transformed every 6 to 8 weeks. The building's four exhibition spaces are on ground level with a workshop studio space accessible downstairs with lift access.

# How do you apply?

If you are interested in joining a fun team of like-minded individuals, complete the application form and return it to our Visitor and Volunteer Experience Officers.

Open: 10am-4.30pm, Monday to Friday and 10am-2pm Saturday Free Admission | Cnr Goondoon & Bramston Sts, Gladstone, QLD 4680 (07) 4976 6766 | gragm@gladstone.qld.gov.au | gragm.qld.gov.au

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### **Volunteer Information Pack**







# The greatest gift is you

# How can you help?

#### Volunteers are vital to Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum.

They help install exhibitions, run workshops, encourage community engagement, and bring vibrancy and passion to our space.

Volunteering at the Art Gallery & Museum is an excellent way of discovering more about the arts, local history, gaining work experience, making new friends, and supporting your local art and culture institution.

One of the reasons the Gallery & Museum is so successful is thanks to the dedication and support of the many volunteers who generously donate their time and efforts to ensuring that everything runs smoothly.

We would love to welcome you!



There are many areas you can assist and training is provided.



#### **Events**

Support at events such as official openings, exhibition launches and workshops. This may include setting up for the event, serving food and beverages, cleaning up after the function, and any additional preparation work, as required. This role may also be required to assist with classes and/or workshops. Please note events are primarily out of business hours.



#### **Exhibitions**

Assist with installation and deinstallation of exhibitions throughout the Gallery & Museum and across various Council properties. Activities may include handling and moving artwork, hanging artwork, moving plinths/stands, packing and unpacking artwork.



### Research and Administration

Assist the Gallery and Museum team with research on a variety of topics such as, but not limited to, community collection items, social history, exhibition subjects, requests for information from the public/Council. This position could also be called upon to provide administration assistance to staff.



#### Visitor Experience

Assist at the reception desk to welcome and inform visitors on current and upcoming exhibitions, workshops, classes, and activities. Answer customer queries, take bookings for workshops and events and, if required, provide administration assistance to the Gallery and Museum team.