

SECURITY AND PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER - F/T

The Witte Museum is where Nature, Science and Culture meet, through the lens of Texas Deep Time and the themes of Land, Sky, and Water. The Witte is the only museum that focuses on Millions, Thousands and Hundreds of years in what we now call Texas. The Witte inspires people to shape the Future of Texas through transformative and relevant experiences in engaging exhibitions and programs. Founded in 1926, the Witte is located along the San Antonio River and has recently renovated and expanded the entire museum campus.

POSITION SUMMARY:

The Security & Public Safety Officer is responsible for ensuring the safety and security of the visitors, staff, facilities, and collections at the Witte Museum and its related sites. The Security & Public Safety Officer assists in asset protection, loss prevention, emergency response and creating a positive visitor experience. The Security & Public Safety Officer implements policies and procedures designed to protect the human and physical assets of the Witte Museum.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Minimizes loss from accidental, catastrophic and criminal events
- Implements safety and health programs to maintain a safe, healthy environment for visitors and employees
- Interacts positively with museum visitors and groups to ensure safety, comfort, and enjoyable experiences
- Monitors building security and fire systems; investigates abnormalities; and reports results to the Director of Security & Public Safety and Managers of Security and Public Safety
- Implements emergency communication network and provides emergency assistance as needed
- Patrols museum facilities and grounds to ensure the safety and security of visitors, staff, facilities, and collections
- Ensures staff, visitors, contractors, and vendors follow Witte Museum and Security & Public Safety policies and procedures
- Prepares detailed daily logs, checklists, and incident reports for the Director of Security & Public Safety and Managers of Security & Public Safety
- · Assists with special events as assigned by the Director of Security & Public Safety and Manager of Security & Public Safety
- Performs duties as assigned by the Director of Security & Public Safety and Managers of Security & Public Safety
- Other duties as assigned

EDUCATION:

• Required: High School Diploma or GED

EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS:

- Must be certified in CPR and First Aid within the first 6 months of employment
- Must have experience and training in public safety, loss prevention, CCTV and access control systems
- Must be familiar with Microsoft Office software (Word, Excel and Outlook)
- Must be self-motivated, detail-oriented, possess excellent people skills and be visitor driven
- Must have good communication skills
- Must be able to work independently and as a team member

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

- Must be in good physical condition, able to move moderately heavy objects (30lbs.), bend, walk, climb stairs, stand, and sit for
 extended periods of time
- Ability to work both inside and outside for extended periods of time
- Must be able to work a flexible schedule including evenings, weekends, and holidays

The Witte Museum is an equal opportunity employer.

Closing date: Open until filled

Résumé and Cover Letter may be emailed to: <u>humanresources@wittemuseum.org</u>