We are re-imagining school and need your help.



Bricolage Academy is a proposed new charter school designed to prepare students of diverse backgrounds to become innovators who change the world. Pending approval from the Orleans Parish School Board, Bricolage will open in 2013 with a Kindergarten and grow one year at a time until we serve students through 8th grade.

Director of Family & Community Engagement Start Date: October 2012 – Full time or Part time

POSITION SUMMARY

The Director of Family and Community Engagement is responsible for the participation, engagement and satisfaction of Bricolage Academy families and community members. As a founding member of the school leadership team, you will report to the School Leader and play an important role in shaping the strategy of our school.

All founding staff at Bricolage are people who:

- are **inspired** by the Bricolage mission and values
- work toward the highest levels of excellence and will persist through any setbacks
- act as entrepreneurs who shape the culture and reputation of our school
- work hard, **deliver results** and learn from failure
- develop sincere, personal relationships with students and families
- demonstrate a growth mindset and is comfortable giving and receiving honest feedback
- value diversity among students and families

basis. JOB RESPONSIBILITIES

- Lead student recruitment efforts to ensure a diverse and vibrant inaugural Kindergarten class
- Organize engaging and innovative community events to introduce the Bricolage philosophy to prospective families
- Design and implement all parent engagement programming during the school year to drive participation across all families
- Recruit volunteers on an as needed basis for school development activities
- Liaise between Bricolage Academy and relevant New Orleans community-based organizations
- Develop all of Bricolage Academy's afterschool enrichment programming

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Education Bachelor's Degree required, MSW preferred
- Skills –MS Office, professional written and verbal communication

How To Apply

Please submit your resume and your answers to the prompts below to apply@bricolagenola.org

- 1. Why do you want to work at Bricolage Academy?
- 2. Why do you want to work in New Orleans?
- 3. What experiences have prepared you for success in this role?
- 4. How would you measure success in this role?

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

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