



## Now Seeking Executive Director

Allied Arts of Whatcom County (AAOWC) is seeking a dynamic, entrepreneurial and visionary Executive Director to lead this area-wide arts organization into the future. The ideal candidate will have a passion for the arts, uncompromising standards of excellence, and will have a distinguished record of professional achievement in the not-for-profit or arts sector. Responsibilities include fund-raising, including grant writing experience, marketing, strategic planning, development of policies and procedures, financial and resource development and supervision of staff. Other responsibilities include oversight of art fairs, exhibitions, workshops, community outreach and education. Qualified candidates will have proven success in marketing, fund-raising, leadership and managerial experience including the ability to develop and motivate staff and volunteers. A strong belief in the mission of AAOWC and the ability to be a dynamic spokesperson for the organization are necessary. See [www.alliedarts.org](http://www.alliedarts.org) for further organizational details. A bachelor's degree and a minimum of 3 years at a leadership level in the not-for-profit or arts sector are required; an advanced degree is preferred. Salary is open and commensurate with qualifications and experience. **Interview process will begin June 15, 2008.** An application package consisting of resume, cover letter outlining qualifications, salary history and three professional references is required for consideration and should be sent to:

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