TALIESIN
PRESERVATION

Position Title:	Preservation Assistant
Department:	Programs
Location:	Spring Green, WI
Category:	Volunteer

Taliesin Preservation, Inc. (TPI) is a Wisconsin 501(c)(3) founded in 1990. As stewards, TPI's dual mission is to preserve the cultural, built and natural environments that comprise the Taliesin property in Spring Green, Wisconsin, and to conduct public educational and cultural programming that provides a greater understanding of Frank Lloyd Wright's architecture and ideas. To learn more about our work, please visit www.taliesinpreservation.org.

Volunteer Position Summary:
The Preservation Assistant works with the Preservation Crew on specific restorations projects on the Taliesin estate in Wisconsin.

Tasks May Include:
- Skilled work to preserve, stabilize and restore the buildings that comprise the Taliesin estate including carpentry, masonry, concrete, structural reinforcement, restoration, stabilization, plasterwork, painting, staining, etc.;
- Assists in documenting preservation work as it is planned and occurs; and
- General building maintenance to keep the spaces presentable for the tour program.

Time Commitment:
- Volunteers will be required to complete relevant OSHA safety training prior to commencing any work;
- Time commitment will vary depending on project and volunteer availability but volunteers will be asked to commit for the full duration of the project; and
- The preservation crew works on the estate Monday through Friday. Volunteer shifts are available on those days.

Minimum Qualifications:
- Volunteers must already possess the skills necessary for the project they commit to. Generally this will be considered 3-5 years of work related experience. In some specialized cases, more experience may be necessary. If your skills come from a hobby, providing a portfolio of your work is required;
- Possession of work tools is a plus;
- Thorough working knowledge of construction standards, methods, and materials; and
- Ability to take direction and work independently.