

## Full-Time Guitar Teacher - Cleveland Classical Guitar Society

**POSITION:** Full-Time Classical Guitar Teacher 12 month salary commensurate with experience. Includes health insurance and paid vacation time.

### DUTIES:

- Teaching for one of the country's most impactful music programs, which removes barriers to musical instruction and champions diversity in classical music.
- Teaching ensemble-based guitar classes and private lessons to students in elementary through high-school during the school day and after school.
- Creating a classroom environment that is highly engaging and deeply meaningful for a large number of inner-city students
- Facilitating very high achievement for the most dedicated students.
- Collaborating with school teachers and CCGS Director of Education to plan lessons and curricula and to schedule performances, events, and other student opportunities.
- Communicating and building relationships with students and their families.
- Planning and conducting student performances.

**REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:** Bachelor's Degree in Music (guitar performance or music education preferred); demonstrated high level of classical guitar performance ability; high level of teaching ability. Ability to interact effectively with colleagues, students, and their families.

**PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS:** Successful classroom teaching; experience in elementary and high school; Master's Degree in Music; arranging skills

**INSTITUTION:** [Cleveland Classical Guitar Society](#) is dedicated to create life-changing experiences for kids in Cleveland, which has one of the highest child poverty rates in the US. [CCGS Education](#) is for most students their first opportunity to study an instrument, and the most dedicated go on to study at Cleveland School of the Arts, a fellowship at Cleveland Institute of Music, Interlochen and Brevard. Students perform over 50 times per year including in Cleveland's most prestigious venues, and CCGS student Damian Goggans recently appeared on *CBS This Morning* nationally. The CCGS Education Program serves over 300 students throughout the City of Cleveland each year, with hands-on classical guitar instruction at no cost to students. In the next five years, CCGS Education plans to expand our program to 1,000 students, while increasing depth and quality of instruction. This position is in support of that goal.

CCGS is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to creating a diverse environment. Women and people of color are encouraged to apply.

### APPLICATION:

Candidates need to supply:

- a) cover letter
- b) resume/cv

Optional materials

- c) links to performance audio or video demonstrating performance ability
- d) links to video of classroom and/or private teaching

Finalists will be asked to provide three references. Send application materials and inquiries to: Brian Gaudino, Director of Education, [bgaudino@cleguitar.org](mailto:bgaudino@cleguitar.org)

**DEADLINE:** Candidate evaluation will begin June 1, 2019 and continue until filled. Rolling deadline.