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# CALL FOR THE POSITION OF DIRECTOR

GAM – GALLERIA CIVICA D'ARTE MODERNA  
E CONTEMPORANEA DI TORINO

AND

CASTELLO DI RIVOLI – MUSEO DI ARTE  
CONTEMPORANEA



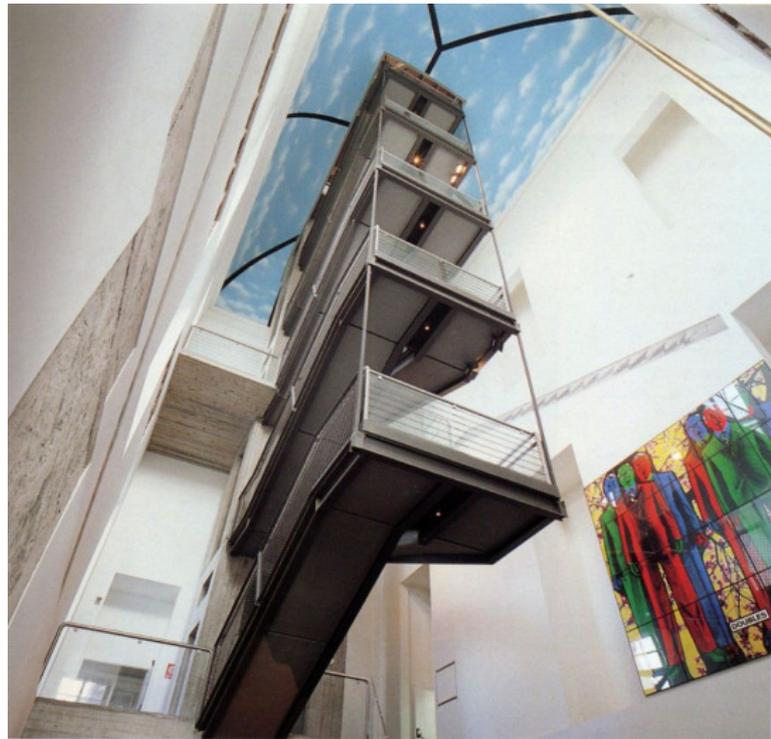
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## Introduction

Founded in 1863, GAM is the oldest museum of modern art in Italy. GAM collections contain over 45,000 works, including paintings, sculptures, installations and photographs, as well as a full collection of drawings and engravings and one of the most important collections in Europe related to film and video artists.

Founded in 1984, Castello di Rivoli is distinguished by its Italian and International contemporary art exhibitions and its collection of notable works of art, from the second half of the twentieth century to the present.

With a view to creating one of the top international centres of modern and contemporary art, the City of Turin and the Regione Piemonte, main stakeholders of the two Museums, have approved a new management model that will integrate Castello di Rivoli and GAM under the Fondazione Torino Musei, a nonprofit organization.

We are searching for a single Director who will be in charge of the artistic direction of both museums.



## The role

The Director will need to establish a development strategy for the two museums, coordinating their programmes and activities, while enhancing their identities, based on their history and collections.

Essential function:

- management and care of the collections;
- development and implementation of a long-term exhibition and cultural plan for both museums ;
- management of institutional and international cultural relationships;
- promotion and strengthening of the museum's identity and image as well as its relationship with the local, national and international community;
- Cross-museum co-ordination and communication to deliver a flexible and responsive service and high standard of visitor experience
- management of the museums, in accordance with its tasks, with reference to financial aspects, organization of human resources, development of communication, promotion and fundraising strategies.



## Experiences and qualifications

The ideal candidate will have the following experiences and qualifications:

- specialized knowledge of modern and contemporary art with experience in curating temporary exhibitions and/or prestigious scientific assignments in the field;
- long-term experience in the organization and management of cultural institutions, public or private, ideally for museums;
- long-term experience in the management of institutional and international relationships in the cultural field;
- experience in organizational management, financial reporting and organization and management of human resources;
- a mindset towards fundraising activities;
- knowledge of Italian and English.

The appointed Candidate will be requested to live in the Turin area for the duration of the assignment.

The following general requirements must be met:

- the enjoyment of civil and political rights;
- no criminal record possessed;
- must not have been banned or subjected to measures that, by law, exclude access to employment in public bodies.

These requirements must be self-certified.

## How to apply

We will use the services of PRAXI S.p.A, a consulting firm specialized in the search and selection of executive profiles.

The applications must be received **no later than 12.00 am CET on January 14, 2015**, by e-mail to the account indicated at [www.praxi.com/gam-castellodirivoli](http://www.praxi.com/gam-castellodirivoli) or by courier, to PRAXI S.p.A, Corso Vittorio Emanuele II, 3 - 10125 TURIN - ITALY, with full disclosure of the sender, and with the envelope and document header clearly marked "Application for the appointment of **Director of the GAM – Galleria Civica d'Arte Moderna e Contemporanea di Torino and Castello di Rivoli – Museo di Arte Contemporanea**".

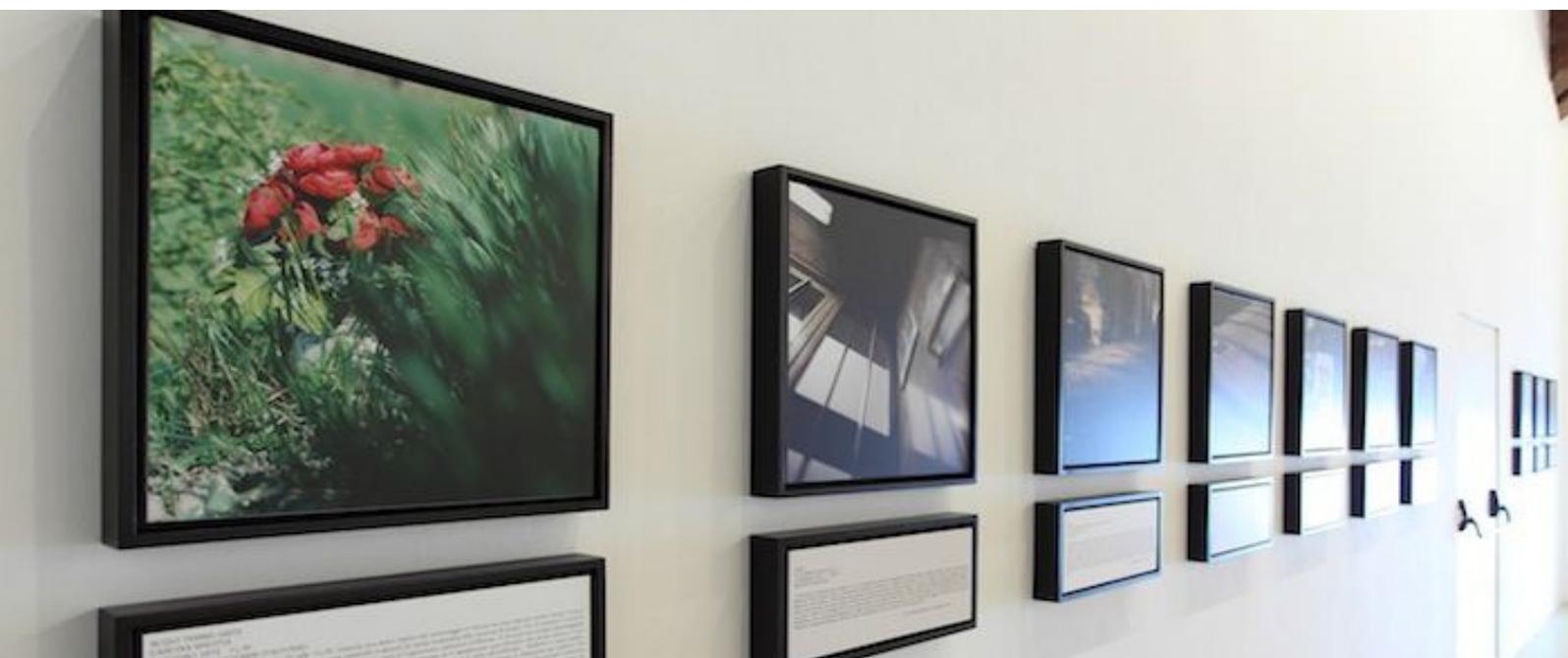
The application, in Italian or in English, must include a curriculum vitae, dated and signed with authorization to process data, including the references to which further communications shall be sent, and a copy of the ID card.

Applications without a curriculum vitae attached will not be evaluated.

PRAXI S.p.A. does not take responsibility for any delays or failure to deliver the application. Applications will be accepted and validated according to the registration time on the PRAXI system. Applications sent via email will receive a confirmation by email and all the further communication will be sent to the same email address. Applications received after the deadline indicated above will not be taken into consideration.

PRAXI S.p.A. is entitled to request clarifications and/or additions with respect to the documents submitted by the applicants, including a call to interview.

This notice is published on the following websites: [www.fondazionetorinomusei.it](http://www.fondazionetorinomusei.it) ; [www.gamtorino.it](http://www.gamtorino.it) ; [www.castellodirivoli.org](http://www.castellodirivoli.org) ; [www.praxi.com](http://www.praxi.com) .



## Terms and conditions

The appointment, full time, will have a fixed term of five years, with economic and contractual terms appropriate to the candidate's professional experience and in line with the national cultural and museum sector, in organizations similar in size, revenue and staff.

## Process

The Candidates admitted to the final stage of the selection will be required to present an integrated cultural project for the two museums to a Selection Committee, that might also interviews them.

The project should contain strategic guidelines to create synergies between the two museums, in order to promote the area from an artistic and cultural point of view, at an international level.

Both the boards of Fondazione Torino Musei – GAM and Castello di Rivoli will have the final decision.

Pending the completion of the merger, the Director will be appointed by Fondazione Torino Musei – GAM and will temporarily work for Castello di Rivoli as well. In the event that the merger operation does not take place, the Director will sign two separate contracts, one with Fondazione Torino Musei – GAM and the other with Castello di Rivoli, for the five-year mandate set out in this announcement and with initially agreed salary confirmed.

## Privacy policy

PRAXI S.p.A. will be responsible for the processing of personal data.

This search does not represent an obligation to entrust the assignment.

