

The Fondation Beyeler is one of Switzerland's most internationally renowned and most visited museums. Located in an idyllic park in Riehen near Basel, Renzo Piano's museum building is considered one of the most beautiful art museums in Europe, harmoniously combining nature, architecture, and art. The Fondation Beyeler houses one of the world's finest private collections and presents a continuous series of high-quality exhibitions of modern and contemporary art. In accordance with the wishes of its founders, it is particularly committed to bringing art to the general public and to young people.

Starting January 1st, 2026 we are looking to fill the position of

Conservator 80%

The core team of the conservation department will be expanded by a further member. You have a strong passion for art and artists, at least 5 years of experience as a museum conservator, and enjoy working in a dynamic team. Ideally, your specialization is in modern materials and you are well versed in carrying out high-quality conservation and restoration work. You also have a large network in museum and conservation circles and are familiar with the latest principles of conservation and preventive conservation. You are solution-oriented, interested in new challenges, and want to share responsibility within a motivated team. German comprehension is a must.

Your tasks

- Responsible for the preventive conservation standards in the upcoming new building of the Fondation Beyeler
- Conservation liaison with the facility and security staff of the upcoming new building
- Conservator in charge of installation and de-installation of temporary exhibitions in the new building
- Conservation care of the collection and permanent loans when in the new building
- Conservation and research of the collection within the field of modern materials
- Managing interdisciplinary conservation projects
- Preparing and couriering collection works for travelling loans
- Public outreach for the conservation department in the museum and on online platforms

Your profile

- A master's degree in conservation, ideally specializing in modern materials
- At least 5 years of experience as a museum conservator
- Fluent in written and spoken German, good comprehension of English, French an advantage
- Good IT skills (Office, image editing, museum database)
- Pleasure in carrying out documentation work
- Independent, structured, and quality-conscious approach to work
- Ability to manage multiple projects simultaneously
- Flexibility, agility and high skilled team work

We offer an exciting and international working environment in the arts and the chance to be part of a productive and motivated team.

We look forward to receiving your complete application documents at personal@fondationbeyeler.ch
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