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## Tacoma Arts Live Hires Development Director

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**TACOMA, WASH.**— Following a search conducted by Norman Sigler with CLEAR-Consulting.Biz, Tacoma Arts Live is pleased to announce the hiring of Lynn Juniel to fill the position of Development Director.

Juniel arrives in Tacoma from her role driving Development, Fundraising, and Transformative Giving with Friends of Youth in Kirkland, Washington. She previously served in roles with both Bellevue Schools Foundation and Issaquah Schools Foundation.

With more than 20 years experience as a fund raising leader, Juniel successfully directed the development of key alliances to strategically improve non-profit performance, build organizational capacity, and deepen community connections. Juniel has a record of success delivering a full range of philanthropic successes. Her emphasis on collective impact through philanthropy matches Tacoma Arts Live's vision for "a South Sound community that honors all cultures and enjoys shared prosperity."

With an overall goal to expand on collaboration and partnerships, Juniel's work in Tacoma will be to develop and fund solutions to community need, disrupt inequity, and open new doors of opportunity for change.

"We are delighted to have found an excellent leader to join Tacoma Arts Live's executive team. Lynn's expertise in fundraising will deliver important impact, measurable results AND support both our business growth and continued commitment to our organizational values," said Executive Director David Fischer. "We are thrilled to welcome Lynn to our team and encourage business owners, community leaders, and any other interested parties to meet with us soon."

Juniel's strengths include developing strategic collective impact, business partnering, communications, sponsorships, social responsibility, events, and donor stewardship. Lynn received her a Bachelor of Arts degree in Music Business from Chicago College of Performing Arts at Roosevelt University. She is a Certified Fund Raising Executive and graduate of Leadership Eastside Adaptive Leadership and Executive Insight programs.

Juniel began her new role effective September 8, 2021.

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Tacoma Arts Live's mission is to energize the community through live performance. Founded in 1979, Tacoma Arts Live is a non-profit organization recognized for leadership in presenting world-class performing artists and providing one of the largest arts access and education programs in Washington State. Learn more at [TacomaArtsLive.org](http://TacomaArtsLive.org).

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