



TrikoneChicago

All desi. All LGBTQ. Since 2008.

Trikone-Chicago, Inc. is a non-profit that strives to provide a supportive, empowering, and affirming community for queer South Asians in the Chicagoland area. Trikone-Chicago serves to create a social, supportive, educational, and political space for queer South Asians and their family, friends, allies, and community. The broadly defined term "queer" is inclusive of (but not limited to) those individuals who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, asexual, transgender, queer, hijra, kothi, meti, MSM, WSW, and questioning. By "South Asian" we refer to those who trace their ethnic and cultural heritage to the areas currently known as Pakistan, Bangladesh, India, Afghanistan, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, Nepal, and the Maldives.

VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with Trikone-Chicago. We are excited that you want to support the queer South Asian community in Chicago.

Please complete the form below. After we receive your application, we will contact you about volunteer opportunities as they arise.

Please type or print clearly

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

E-mail: _____

Street Address: _____ **City:** _____

State: _____ **Zip code:** _____ **Phone:** _____

One of the expectations of being a Trikone-Chicago volunteer is to attend 3 Trikone-Chicago events prior to becoming an official volunteer. Please list the 3 events you have attended or plan on attending in the near future:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.



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I am interested in (check all that apply):

Support Groups

- Joining Trikone and other community members in Transcend: Asian and Pacific Islander Trans* Group
- Helping with the Family & Friends Gathering (ie: PFLAG)

Event Planning and Fundraising

- Help organize the “Jai Ho” party fundraiser
- Donating with grant writing skills

Arts and Entertainment

- Helping a board member organize film screenings
- Performing or DJ'ing at Jai Ho
- Volunteering as a photographer at Trikone events and fundraisers

Social Engagement

- Hosting a Potluck
- Facilitating a “small talk” at a potluck
- Assisting a board member with the book club
- Helping Trikone members host Ladies Night

Community Outreach

- Help distribute posters and fliers for and at events/fundraisers
- Helping send out press releases
- Assisting board members in engaging more volunteers and organizations



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Please share any special skills, certifications or licenses that you have.

All volunteers for Trikone-Chicago make a commitment to supporting anti-racist work and anti-queerphobia in some capacity. Is this something you can commit to?

Please describe some of your past volunteer or work experiences. Please include name, dates and the type of work you did.

Please send your volunteer application to support@trikonechicago.org.