



History Colorado

External Announcement – Internship Opportunity

Internship Title: Marshall Fogel Internship for the General Rose Monument (Military History)

Internship Location: Hybrid remote/on location at the History Colorado Center, Denver, CO

Stipend: Intern will receive a stipend of \$5000. The stipend is not salary or compensation. The stipend is meant to support study and research during the tenure of the appointment and will be issued upon completion of the internship. Qualified candidates may receive academic credit through their college or university.

Apply By: 5pm Mountain Time 5/30/2022

History Colorado is committed to anti-racism practices across its institution and outlined in [these](#) grounding virtues. As such, we encourage members of Black, Indigenous, People of Color (BIPOC) LGBTQ+ and persons with disabilities communities to apply for this internship.

Desired Schedule: 250 hours to be completed over the summer and/or fall, as to be determined with the supervisor. Applicants must be prepared to complete the internship remotely with some in-person work at History Colorado’s archives, collections, and on-site facility. (Intern will be invited to meet virtually for a History Colorado Intern Cohort group where they will gain knowledge of the institution and network with other interns.)

Broad Scope of Position: History Colorado is seeking an intern to work on a partnership-project about the life and legacy of General Maurice Rose. General Rose, who grew up in Denver, was the highest-ranking Jewish officer in the US Army during World War II – and the highest-ranking officer to be killed in action. This highly-decorated commander of armored troops exemplifies service and sacrifice in uniform. A new statue of General Rose will be unveiled on Colorado Day. The intern’s primary goal will be to build the content for a companion website about the life of General Rose and the origins of his commemoration in Veterans Memorial Park. As such, the intern will also periodically meet with the creators of the statue virtually or in-person. Research may require visiting archives, including the Denver Public Library Western History Collection, the Stephen H. Hart Research Library at History Colorado, and the consultation of published and online resources.

Outcomes: The chosen intern will create content for multiple pages on the General Rose statue’s companion website. Specific pages will include a short biography, a detailed biography, and a page dedicated to the conception, design, and creation of the statue itself. Additionally, the intern will assist with supplementary initiatives surrounding the statue’s unveiling, including an article for the *Colorado Magazine* and a pop-up exhibit at the History Colorado Center. By the end of the internship, the intern will have gained valuable research and writing experience, as well as related



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experience in public engagement and exhibit design and execution.

Desired Skills & Academic Field of Study: Undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates with focus in History, Museum Studies, or related fields are eligible to apply. The successful candidate will be a creative, self-motivated, and intellectually curious individual committed to the mission of History Colorado to create a better future for Colorado by inspiring wonder in our past.

Additional skills:

- Excellent writing and research skills required
- Familiarity with military history, especially the history of the Second World War, is strongly preferred
- Website development experience preferred

To Apply for this Position: Submit a cover letter addressing your interest in the project, a CV or resume including two references with contact details, a writing sample (preferably of a recent research or historiographical paper), and your answer to the question below to Director of Volunteer Engagement Emily Dobish, emily.dobish@state.co.us.

As a response to the national protests regarding systemic injustice, History Colorado staff came together to discuss as an institutional community the ways in which History Colorado can advance the work of anti-racism. These Grounding Virtues are the result of our collective process.

Please click here: https://www.historycolorado.org/sites/default/files/media/document/2020/Anti-Racism_Grounding_Virtues.pdf.

Answer this question: How have these guiding principles shown up in your previous work and /or how would you contribute to these virtues in your internship position at History Colorado?

**A condition of employment is the successful completion of a background check.