



History Colorado

External Announcement – Fellowship Opportunity

Internship Title: Temple Buell Diversity Fellowship

Internship Location: History Colorado Center, Denver, CO

Education Grant: \$5,000 which can be used to pay for college courses and/or applied towards student loans.

Apply By: 5pm Mountain Time 9/30/2023

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, Latino Hispanic, People of Color, LGBTQ+ and persons with disabilities communities to apply for this internship.

Desired Schedule: 350 hours during Fall/Winter 2023 semester

Broad Scope of Position: The Fall 2023 Temple Buell Diversity Fellow will work with the Temple Buell Associate Curator of Architecture to make History Colorado’s architectural holdings more accessible to the public through in-depth catalog, digitization, and inventory projects. In addition to working with architectural drawings and related documents, the Temple Buell Diversity Fellow will also carry out research to enhance the information and historical context included in the existing collections information. The results of this research will be made available to the public through our online collections catalog. The Fellow will also seek creative ways to expand the public’s knowledge of History Colorado’s architectural holdings.

*The Temple Buell Diversity Fellowship is generously funded by the Buell Foundation.

The History Colorado Collections Diversity Fellowship encourages undergraduate and graduate students from diverse communities who are enrolled at an accredited Colorado university or college to explore collections-related work and the challenges within museums, historical organizations, and cultural institutions as they relate to inclusion, representation, narrative, and the workforce. This 350-hour-long fellowship will offer students the opportunity to work on a specific collections-based project at History Colorado. The Collections Diversity Fellowship is designed to engage students in the care, preservation, and interpretation of the History Colorado Permanent Collection. The Collections Diversity Fellowship will also include aspects of public engagement with a final presentation and/or social media post.

Desired Skills & Academic Field of Study: Undergraduate or graduate student in Architecture, Art History, Public History, Museum Studies, Archives Management, Library and Information Science, or a related program, to complete and enhance this project. Applicants must currently be enrolled at an accredited Colorado university or college for Fall 2023. Applicants must be prepared to complete the fellowship in the fall or winter of 2023 at the History Colorado Center in downtown Denver.



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All candidates must be from a diverse community. 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.

To Apply for this Position: To apply, please send the information below to emily.dobish@state.co.us (please include Temple Buell Diversity Fellowship in the subject line).

- 1.) a cover letter introducing yourself and explaining your interest in the program and project
- 2.) a current CV/resume
- 3.) contact information, and
- 4.) your answer to the question below. 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.
 - a.) 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?

Acceptance into the fellowship program is a competitive process, and only completed applications will be considered. After reviewing applications, some students will be offered an in-person interview with program staff.

****All fellows must successfully complete a background check.**