External Announcement – Internship Opportunity

Internship Title: Museum Education Internship
Internship Location: Trinidad History Museum, Trinidad, CO

Stipend: $2,000. 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. *Check with your school’s Internship Coordinator BEFORE accepting the hiring offer to determine if this position satisfies the criteria for receiving academic credit.

Apply By: May 10, 2024

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: 5-10 hours/week (for a total of 150 hours), May-August 2024.

Broad Scope of Position: The intern will assist our Education Coordinator with research, capacity building, and facilitation of programming at the Trinidad History Museum (which features the historic Bloom Mansion, Baca House, Baca-Bloom Heritage Gardens, and the Santa Fe Trail Museum). The ideal candidate must be comfortable working with primary and secondary sources to create educational programming for adult and youth audiences and be comfortable working with K12 students. Through this internship, the intern will gain practical experience in the museum education field and have the opportunity to create and facilitate their own programming and curriculum.

Outcomes: During the internship, the intern will build skills communicating with audiences of small and mid-sized museums and have the ability to experiment and develop new techniques in a collaborative and supportive environment.

Desired Skills & Academic Field of Study: Recommended for current High School Juniors or Seniors and Undergraduate and Graduate Students interested in or currently pursuing a degree in Humanities, Social Sciences, Education, English, History, Museum Studies, or related fields. Looking for applicants who have:

- Familiarity with Google Suite
- Basic computer and internet literacy
- Creative-minded
- Strong communication skills
- An interest in working with K12 students
• Ability to work independently and meet deadlines

To Apply for this Position: Submit a resume, cover letter, and your answer to the question below to Director of Volunteer Engagement Emily Dobish, emily.dobish@state.co.us.


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

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