

What Internships Can I do with a Major in History?

Internship Examples

Position	Employer	Website
Education Intern	Carl Sandburg Home NHS	http://www.nps.gov/carl
NC Museum of History Internship	North Carolina Museum of History	http://ncmuseumofhistory.org/edu/internship.html
Various Historical Internship Opportunities	Historic Latta Plantation	http://www.lattaplantation.org
Registry Geography Intern	United States Holocaust Memorial Museum	http://www.ushmm.org/
Archives Intern - Museum Services	Biltmore Estate	http://www.biltmore.com
Museum Services Intern	Biltmore Estate	http://www.biltmore.com
Pack Place Archivist	Pack Place Education, Arts & Sciences Center, Inc.	http://www.packplace.org
Archaeological Site File and Map Inventory, Historical Intern	NC State Government Internship Program	http://www.doa.state.nc.us/yaio/intern.htm
Washington Internship Program	Washington Internship Program	www.washingtoninternship.com
CAPA Summer Internships in London	Centers for Academic Programs Abroad	http://www.capa.org/
International Internships	Stageplaza	www.stageplaza.nl
Head of Research & Forum Asst. Director	Faces of Asheville Portrait Documentary Project	http://www.facesofasheville.com/
Smithsonian History Internships	Smithsonian	http://intern.si.edu/internship_types_subject.html#history
NASA History Division Internship	NASA	http://www.hq.nasa.gov/office/pao/History/interncall.htm
History and Educational Outreach Department Internships	U.S. Capitol Historical Society	http://www.uschs.org/Content/72.htm

This internship listing was created to provide you with examples of the types of internships a history student can pursue. The opportunities may or may not be currently available depending on the employer.

Internships provide valuable opportunities for students to test out career options and/or to gain work experience in their chosen field. Simply defined, internships may be paid or non-paid experiences with an employer. Internships can be completed during the school year or during the summer. Academic credit (typically 1-3 hours) may be available for an internship depending on the student's department at UNC Asheville. You may visit <http://www.unca.edu/career/At-A-GlanceInternships.pdf> to view a listing of offered departmental courses. The Career Center also teaches a two-credit course each spring HWP 257, *Internship – Exploring Career Choices*, which is open to students of any major or academic level.

Many internships are “ready-made” and may be found through a variety of internet and print resources. The Career Center houses books and resources in the Career Library (259 Highsmith) for internship research and lists helpful internship search links at <http://www.unca.edu/career/internships.html>. Also keep in mind that you can “create your own” internship by directly contacting employers of interest. Contact the Career Center if you need assistance in preparing a resume and approaching potential internship sponsors.

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