



STUDENT CURATOR INTERNSHIP

Evergreen Museum & Library / March 4, 2016 Deadline

THE PROGRAM

The Student Curator Internship Program at Evergreen Museum & Library provides a rare educational opportunity to undergraduate students at Johns Hopkins who are preparing for professional and scholarly careers, particularly within museums. The Student Curator will obtain hands-on experience in the curatorial profession, participating in the planning, organization, and implementation of an exhibition relevant to the collections and/or mission of Evergreen. The 2016 Student Curator will be responsible for developing a focus exhibition that will draw upon the broad range of materials in Evergreen's substantial collections and archives; selecting objects that are in keeping with that theme; writing interpretive label copy; installing the exhibition; training Museum guide staff; and presenting a public gallery talk at an opening reception (Spring 2017). The Student Curator will be fully integrated into the Museum, working under the supervision of Evergreen's director and curator, but he/she will be responsible for the exhibition and its success.

ELIGIBILITY

One Student Curator will be selected for the **Fall 2016 semester** and will receive a stipend of \$1500. The student's exhibition will be installed in the Spring of 2017. All candidates must be enrolled in an undergraduate program at Johns Hopkins University, able to commit 10-15 hours a week at the Museum, and able to insure availability for all aspects of exhibition preparation—including installation and de-installation. Candidates should have proven research and writing skills, and be self-motivated and self-directed. Students should inquire with their academic advisor and consult the university's policy on independent academic work about the possibility of obtaining academic credit for the experience. It is strongly suggested that applicants visit the museum prior to submitting their application if they have not already done so. Information on visiting Evergreen may be found online at museums.jhu.edu.

TO APPLY

Application materials must include a résumé or curriculum vitae, a letter of application describing particular interests and relevant experience, a 1-2 page writing sample, and a letter of recommendation from a professor (this letter should be sent directly by the professor to the email address below).

Applicants should submit their application electronically no later than Friday, March 4, 2016 to:
Rachel LaBozetta, Program in Museums and Society, rlaboze1@jhu.edu

APPLICATION REVIEW

The Program in Museums and Society will make a preliminary review of applications. A list of candidates will be forwarded to the Evergreen Museum & Library director for final selection.