

San Diego State University
History Department

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Director(s): public history courses/internships taught by Sarah Elkind; Stephen Colston; Matthew Kuefler
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Internships added to History Major as a class 2008; we have about 20 interns a year; internship satisfies research seminar requirement for history majors

Type of Program: Related Undergraduate Program

Degree(s) offered: B.A. in History
M.A. in History

Concentration(s):

Course Offerings:

- HIstorians and the Public; satisfies key major requirement but is not the only course that does; offered annually
- Public History Internships; satisfies key major requirement but is not the only course that does; offered annually

Thesis required? No

Special project required? Yes

Description: both courses require hands-on projects. Internship is 150 hours of public history placement

Credit Hour Requirement:

Internship Required?

Who arranges internships? student and faculty advisor working together

Credit hours earned for internships: 3

Who evaluates internship? What are the criteria for evaluation? faculty and site supervisor; criteria: completing all hours, professionalism, quality if internship projects

Places where students have interned in the past three years:

- Old Town State Historical Park
- San Diego Maritime Museum
- San Diego History Center
- SD Museum of Man
- Nixon Presidential Library
- SD Lambda Archives
- SD City Clerk's office
- SDSU Special Collections

Admission Requirements:

Minimum GPA: N/A

Not Applicable/Not Applicable to an Undergraduate Program

Financial Aid Available:

Maximum annual stipend for: MA: N/A PhD: N/A

Average number of students who receive: Stipend: N/A Scholarships: N/A

How many students are admitted annually? BA: N/A MA: N/A PhD: N/A

Placement assistance offered? Individual advising, and application coaching

Employers who have hired your graduates in the past three years:

- Old Town State Historical Park
- the Lodi Science Museum