

University of Louisville
Graduate Certificate in Public History

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The Graduate Certificate in Public History at the University of Louisville was established in 2009. The program offers a graduate certificate which can be earned simultaneous with an MA in history or a related discipline at the University.

Type of Program: Public History Graduate Program

Degree(s) offered: M.A. in History
M.A. in History with a Certificate or Concentration in Public History
The certificate program may be taken as a stand alone degree program.

Concentration(s):

- Museum Studies
- Historic Preservation
- Oral History

Course Offerings:

- Introduction to Public History; required; offered annually
- Public History Practicum; required; offered each semester
- Oral History; elective; offered periodically
- Introduction to Museums; elective; offered annually
- Introduction to Archival Management; elective; offered periodically
- Historic Preservation; elective; offered periodically
- Non-Profit Management; elective; offered annually
- African American Public History; elective; offered periodically

Thesis required? No

Special project required? Yes

Description: An internship in a public history institution.

Credit Hour Requirement: 15

Internship Required? Yes

Who arranges internships? Dr. Tracy K'Meyer

Credit hours earned for internships: 3

Who evaluates internship? What are the criteria for evaluation? Dr. Tracy K'Meyer. Grade is based on recommendation from the site supervisor and performance on a final written project (of min 20 pages)

Places where students have interned in the past three years:

- Frazier International History Museum
- Historic Locust Grove
- Kentucky Derby Museum
- Jefferson Public Schools Archives
- Filson Historical Society

Admission Requirements:

Minimum GPA: 2.7
Statement of Purpose
Letter(s) of Recommendation
Transcripts
GRE Aptitude Score

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: certificate program may enroll up to 15 annually PhD: N/A

Placement assistance offered? Informal consultation

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

The program is in its first year.