

## APPLICATION FOR THE GRADUATE INTERNSHIP IN PUBLIC HISTORY

To be submitted to [historyawards@uwo.ca](mailto:historyawards@uwo.ca) by March 15.

Awarded to graduate students in Public History conducting an approved internship as part of their requirements for the degree. Preference will be given to candidates whose internship engages with the history of race/racism or other forms of discrimination and/or which will enhance their understanding of equity, diversity, and inclusivity in Public History. Preference is also extended to students in an unpaid international internship. The Public History Director and a committee in the Department of History will select recipients.

*This internship was set up from a gift from the estate of Kenneth W. Hilborn to reward student excellence. Hilborn taught courses in History and International Relations from 1961 to 1997. To acknowledge and respond to the harmful impact of his published work, preference will be given to students whose internship engages with the history of race/racism or other forms of discrimination and/or which will enhance their understanding of equity, diversity, and inclusivity in Public History. Preference is also extended to students in an unpaid international internship.*

Value: 2 at \$5,000

### **Eligibility:**

Applicants must have made good progress throughout their MA program (Public History) to date, and they must demonstrate their readiness to complete their internship in summer 2024.

### **Criteria:**

In addition to the preferences stated in the official description (see website above), applications will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. The quality of the work plan, including duties/responsibilities and deliverables.
2. The academic record and progress of the applicant to date.
3. Confirmation from Prof. Mike Dove, Internship Coordinator, indicating that the student has done the necessary work on the feasibility of the internship.

### **Applications:**

Applications must be emailed to [historyawards@uwo.ca](mailto:historyawards@uwo.ca) by **March 15, 2024**. Please send all parts of the application in a single pdf document attached to an email. The subject line of the email should be "Graduate Internship in Public History." The application must include #1 and #2 (below).

1. A clear and detailed work plan. Prof. Mike Dove, Internship Coordinator, will provide students with guidelines regarding the design and required parts of the work plan.

Note that a budget should not be included as part of the application for this award. If applicable, students should describe if (and how) their internship will engage with the history of race/racism or other forms of discrimination and/or explain how their internship will enhance their understanding of equity, diversity, and inclusivity in Public History.

2. A clear statement on whether the internship is paid or unpaid.

If you have questions, please contact Prof. Mike Dove – [mdove2@uwo.ca](mailto:mdove2@uwo.ca)

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Date