



## Internship Program Inclusion in Cultural Institutions Stipend Application

The MNHS Internship Program offers a limited number of stipends for students from underrepresented communities with respect to race, ethnicity, gender, sexuality, and ability to increase their participation in MNHS and in the public history field.

MNHS welcomes and serves all people of Minnesota, including displaced Indigenous communities. We reflect the diversity of those we serve and ensure that inclusive practices are embedded in all aspects of our work. This stipend is designed to increase the accessibility of MNHS historic sites and museums, specifically through the Internship Program, to communities historically underrepresented in MNHS and in the public history field.

### Background Information

Name	
Street Address	
City, State ZIP Code	
Phone	
Email Address	
College/University	

1. What internship position(s) are you applying for?

3. Have you had any involvement with MNHS before? If so, please describe. (Prior engagement with MNHS is NOT a requirement for participation in the Internship Program or to receive the stipend.)

### Essay

Please attach a document in which you address the following topic in 200-300 words:

Please describe any experiences you have had working with cultural institutions or community organizations that serve traditionally underrepresented communities. Include a few highlights or things you've learned from these experiences. How could this internship experience enhance your experience or understanding of working with cultural institutions or community organizations that serve traditionally underrepresented communities?

### Selection Qualifications and Criteria

Applicants from all majors/disciplines are encouraged to apply. There are a limited number of stipends available. Applications will be reviewed and recipients selected based on the following qualifications and criteria:

- Applicant identifies as a member of an underrepresented group as identified above
- Completed application form
- Comprehensiveness and relevance of essay answer

### Consent

I attest that to qualify for the stipend, I (check each in understanding):

- Meet all selection qualifications and criteria
- Will complete all scheduled shifts, attend all seminar sessions, and complete required activities
- Will complete all individual and program evaluations

### Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted to receive a stipend, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in a dismissal of my candidacy.

Name (printed)	
Signature	
Date	

Send all required material by email, mail, or fax to:

Internship Program  
MN Historical Society  
345 Kellogg St.  
St. Paul MN, 55117  
Fax: 651-297-3343  
Email: [internships@mnhs.org](mailto:internships@mnhs.org)

Questions?

Contact the Internship Program at: [internships@mnhs.org](mailto:internships@mnhs.org)