Summer 2020 Internships with Partner Organizations

The Colby College Museum of Art partners with multiple museums around the country to offer summer internship opportunities for Colby College students. The internships are paid opportunities and directions on how to apply can be found in the descriptions below. If you have questions about the Lunder Consortium for Whistler Studies Summer Internships, please contact Justin McCann, Lunder Curator for Whistler Studies, at jbmccann@colby.edu. Questions about the internship opportunities at the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, can be directed to intern@mfa.org.

Lunder Consortium for Whistler Studies Summer Internships

**Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, IL**

The Lunder Consortium for Whistler Studies, a scholarly collaboration of the Smithsonian’s Freer Gallery of Art and Arthur M. Sackler Gallery, the Colby College Museum of Art, the University of Glasgow, and the Art Institute of Chicago, will offer a paid summer internship for a Colby College student at the Art Institute of Chicago. Students with a strong interest and aptitude for museum work may gain experience in the museum’s Department of Prints and Drawings during an eight to ten week period in the summer. Art history, studio art, and American Studies students are especially encouraged to apply.

One intern will be selected by the Art Institute to work on various projects, possibly related to the museum’s strong holdings of work by James McNeill Whistler and his contemporaries. **The application deadline is Friday, March 13, 2020.** Applicants should include a cover letter outlining their interest in museum work and its relevance to their academic program; a resume, transcript (unofficial is fine), and at least one letter of recommendation. Applicants should have a background or a strong interest in nineteenth-century American and British art. Please send these materials Lunder Curator for Whistler Studies Justin McCann at jbmccann@colby.edu.
This program is made possible through the generosity of the Lunder Foundation and is administered by the Lunder Consortium for Whistler Studies. Interns receive a $5,000 stipend.

Partner Opportunities

Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, MA
The MFA Boston has established the Lunder Summer Internship Program in perpetuity in honor of Barbara and Theodore Alfond. The Lunder Summer Internship Program provides funding for three to five Maine college students for summer internships at the MFA Boston. The internships will be awarded as need-based financial aid grants to qualified and eligible Maine college students as determined by the MFA Boston. Applications are due March 20, 2020 for these internships; to learn about the openings and find directions on how to apply, please visit the Boston MFA website at https://www.mfa.org/employment/internship-opportunities.

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