

University Galleries Internship Fall 2022

Internship Description:

The University Galleries at Sacramento State will be offering one paid internship opportunity for Fall 2022. The focus of the internship will be to conduct research and documentation for objects and artists in the Sacramento State Art Collection and assist the gallery curator on aspects of current and upcoming exhibitions, including researching artists, creating exhibition didactics, and supporting exhibition production. Additional projects may involve working with student artists exhibiting at the Else and Witt Galleries, writing about student exhibitions on campus, generating an on-line exhibition, public or educational program in conjunction with an exhibition, or creating social media content related to gallery programming. The internship will provide an introduction to collection care, exhibition curation, and gallery management. Internship can be customized to student's particular interests in collections, curating, art education or exhibition production.

Each internship is 3 units of academic credit (9 hours per week) and is paid (see compensation below). The internship for Fall 2022 will be structured with a minimum of 6 hours a week working in the gallery and art collections archive; the remaining hours will be independent work.

Minimum Qualifications:

Applicants have an active interest in art and possess the ability to work independently. Applicants must have taken at least one upper division course in Art History, Art Studio, or Art Education. Good communication skills are essential. Applicant must be responsible, organized, have attention to detail, and an eagerness to learn. Follow-up and punctuality are a must.

Applicants must select a faculty member to be the instructor of record for this internship. Please consult with your faculty advisor before applying.

Preferred Qualifications:

Preference will be given to applicants who have taken multiple courses in studio art, art history, or art education. Familiarity with Sacramento's art galleries and knowledge of contemporary art, art practices, and art historical movements is a plus.

Hours:

Hours will be scheduled in consultation with Gallery Curator for 9 hours per week. Internship takes place between August 30 – December 9, 2022.

Compensation

Type: Paid Internship Pay Rate: \$15 Per Hour Duration: Temporary / Seasonal

About the University Galleries and Art Collection:

The University Galleries include the Library Gallery, Robert Else Gallery and RW & Joyce Witt Gallery on the Sacramento State campus and are stewards of the Sacramento State Art Collection. Presenting an array of exhibitions and programs highlighting student, local, regional, national and international artists, the University Galleries are an important resource for faculty, staff, and students and actively contribute to Sacramento's growing creative economy and cultural vibrancy. Founded in 2001, the Library Gallery is dedicated to the exploration of contemporary art and visual culture presenting six to eight exhibitions each academic year. The Else and Witt Galleries, both located in Kadema Hall and programmed in partnership with the Art Department, highlight student work in addition to featuring faculty-curated exhibitions. The Sacramento State Art Department Art Collection is part of the University's extraordinary collection of valuable objects of art and visual culture. The collection holds over six hundred works of art in various media, primarily objects made by Art Department faculty, students, and other notable regional artists from the 1960s to the 1980s. For more information visit: www.csus.edu/university-galleries/

To Apply:

Please send **letter of interest**, **resume** (please include list and description of Art History, Art Studio or Art Education courses taken to date), and **brief letter of support** from a faculty member. Email application to Kelly Lindner, Gallery and Collection Curator: kelly.lindner@csus.edu. Subject line for email: Internship Application.

DEADLINE TO APPLY: June 15, 2022.