



Museum Studies Certificate Program

The Wichita State University Museum Studies Certificate Program is designed for graduate students and for those who currently work in museums. This is an interdisciplinary program that prepares students for careers in the museum field and will enhance the education and knowledge of those currently working in museums. Drawing on courses from the School of Art and Design and Creative Industries, Anthropology, Public Administration and History, students gain an overview of museum practice including administration, collections, exhibitions, preservation, education and public engagement. This program teaches not only the theory behind museum practices but also gives students an opportunity to receive on-the-job experience.

The program consists of 15 credit hours. To complete with the certificate program, students will take the following management based courses:

- Anthropology 606 Museum Methods... 3
- Anthropology 607 Museum Exhibition... 3
- History 703 Museum Administration... 3
- Public Administration 870 Fundraising and Management... 3.

Plus 3 hours of practice that include any of the following:

- Art History 540A Concepts in Creative Industries: Planning and Preparatorship... 3
- Art History 540B Concepts in Creative Industries: Research and Interpretation... 3.
- Art History 540C Concepts in Creative Industries: Audience and Outreach... 3.
- Art History 540D Concepts in Creative Industries: Funding and Promotion... 3.

- Public Administration 725 Human Resource Management in Public and Nonprofit Organizations.....3
- History 701 Introduction to Local History3...
- Hours or Internship/Independent Study

For more information please contact the student coordinator:

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Application for Museum Studies Certificate Program

_____ Date of Application _____

Name

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Last	First	Middle	Initial

Address

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Street	(Apt)	City/State	Zip

Contact

Information _____ (_____) _____ (_____) _____

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Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email

Are you a Graduate Student Yes No

Are you currently employed at a museum Yes No