Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art

Intern Project Description

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Departments: Landscape & Garden/ Curatorial/ Education

Title of Internship: Gardens in Public Spaces

Brief Description of Internship: Intern will research topics on the relationships between people and green spaces, specifically those spaces belonging to a museum setting, with the goal of completing a research project.

Hours per week: 10-12

Specific Duties: Communication between the curatorial, landscape & garden, and education departments of the museum will be of importance. Specific duties may include, but are not limited to creating surveys, illustrating garden maps, and creating information guides that promote the gardens and the Asian Rock Garden demonstrations.

Qualifications:

- Available 10-12 hours per week, Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. This project will require outside research, which shall be included in the expected 10-12 hours each week.

- Strong interest in the importance, promotion and education of museum green spaces.

- Museum studies, sociology, urban planning, horticulture, architecture, landscape architecture or other similar backgrounds are preferred.

- Strong research and design software skills recommended.

- Individual must be highly motivated, organized, willing to engage with the community, and eager to learn.

Learning Objectives:

- Develop research and testing skills.

- Knowledge of gardens/green spaces that are part of a museum setting.

- Experience in working with various museum departments.