

**Samuel P. Harn Museum of Art
Project Description Form**

Staff Contact Name: Dulce Román, Curator of Modern Art

Department: Curatorial

Title of internship: Curatorial Modern Intern

Brief Description of Internship:

This internship offers opportunities for undergraduate or graduate students interested in gaining curatorial experience in an art museum setting. The intern will participate in the documentation, research, and interpretation of works in The Florida Art Collection at the Harn Museum. This major gift to the Harn from Samuel H. and Roberta T. Vickers represents one of the world's most extensive Florida-themed collections. The estimated 1,200 works of art spanning the early 19th to the mid-20th century includes oil paintings, watercolors, drawings, and prints that capture the state's landscape and wildlife, historical moments and people, and diverse scenes of daily life.

ONGOING Intern Project – offered every term

Specific Duties:

- Conduct research on art and artists related to the museum's Florida Art Collection.
- Participate in current or upcoming exhibition projects drawn from The Florida Art Collection.
- Compile object information and research materials for the collection database.

Hours per week: 8-10 hours

Qualifications needed:

- Strong research, writing and organizational skills.
- Knowledge of art history and research on art history topics preferred.
- Ability to work professionally with museum staff, volunteers, and the general public.
- Computer proficiency.
- Available 10 hours per week during museum operating hours: Mon. - Fri. 8:00am - 5:00pm.

Learning objectives for intern:

- Gain professional career experience in museum curatorial practices.
- Continue to develop research skills in art history.
- Gain more in-depth knowledge on a select group of artists.
- Develop professional skills in exhibition research and development.