



## PAID SUMMER EDUCATION INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY

The Italian American Museum of Los Angeles (IAMLA) seeks qualified undergraduate candidates in the field of museum studies, library studies, and history for a summer internship. Intern will assist with research and other tasks related to upcoming exhibitions and with the creation of new California Content Standards-based lesson plans for students and educators under the supervision of museum staff.

### ABOUT THE ITALIAN AMERICAN MUSEUM OF LOS ANGELES (IAMLA)

The Italian American Museum of Los Angeles is located in the heart of downtown Los Angeles, in a building that is among the oldest remaining structures from the city's historic Little Italy and is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The IAMLA is part of a site that, prior to Covid-19, received two million visitors annually, 300,000 of which were students. The museum's permanent exhibition and many of its temporary exhibitions and public programs can be experienced online. The IAMLA presents a variety of temporary exhibitions, public programs and events, such as the popular Taste of Italy, as well as concerts, lectures, workshops, and educational curricula.

### INTERNSHIP DESCRIPTION:

The IAMLA's reopening date remains to be determined, therefore the internship may take place entirely or partially online. Attendance at five Getty-sponsored intern events is required. The intern's primary assignment will be to work in concert with the IAMLA staff and consultants on various tasks related to upcoming exhibitions, including research, writing summaries, organizing objects, etc. The intern will also assist with the creation of lesson plans related to the arts and social sciences, including writing summaries, selecting images, securing licensing, and devising activities for students. The research will largely be conducted via the Internet and using resources provided by the museum.

### QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANT:

The Getty requires that the intern be a member of an underrepresented group in professions related to museums, social science, and the arts. Internships are available to **currently enrolled undergraduates**. The IAMLA seeks an organized, highly reliable, motivated candidate who demonstrates initiative and a desire to conduct advanced historical research. All applicants must 1) have completed at least one semester of college by June 2021. Students who graduated after April 1, 2021 are also eligible; 2) be a resident of *or* attend college in Los Angeles County; 3) possess excellent written and oral communication skills.

**To apply:** send a letter of interest and resume to [info@italianhall.org](mailto:info@italianhall.org)

**Duration:** June 21, 2021 - Aug 27, 2021

**Hours Per Week:** 40

**Stipend:** \$6,000 for the ten-week period

**Deadline for Application:** 5:00 P.M., May 3, 2021