

Stewart Humanities Internship at Mingei

Mingei International Museum, the Visual Arts Department and Muir College are collaborating to offer a yearlong internship opportunity for a UC San Diego student during the academic year. The internship consists of 4 units of AIP 197-Academic Internship Program during Fall quarter, followed by a paid internship during the Winter and Spring quarters. The internship will span across 3-4 main departments: Exhibitions/Curatorial, Education, Registration and Library & Archives. To learn more about Mingei's collection and current programs visit www.mingei.org. Internship hours will be scheduled between 10:00AM-5:00PM with occasional weekends. Applicants should prepare their course schedule to allow for 3-4 hour blocks at the museum.

Application Timeline

April 22, 2016	Application & Supplemental Materials DUE to Mandeville 216 by 4PM
May/June 2016	Finalists will be notified for an interview with Mingei's internship Committee
June 2016	Must complete paperwork for AIP 197 Credit
Oct. – Dec.	Fall 2016 Academic Internship (AIP 197-4 units) at Mingei
Jan. – June	Internship continues (paid) during Winter and Spring 2017

Application Requirements

All applications must be typed, have documentation and supplemental materials attached, and be submitted by the application deadline. Incomplete or late applications will not be accepted. The following items are required for submission:

1. **Personal Statement:** 1-2 page paper (double spaced) essay on qualifications, interests, experiences in Art History, and reasons for selecting Mingei International Museum for an internship.
2. **Statement of Purpose:** 1-2 page essay on your expected learning outcomes for the internship and how this experience would further your plans and goals in Art History or Museum Studies.
3. **Response Paper:** Visit Mingei International Museum in Balboa Park and write a response on any ONE work by one of these artists ON DISPLAY at Mingei International Museum: George Nakashima, Dale Chihuly, Niki de Saint Phalle, or Alice Hudson (Palace for Wednesday). This 2-3 page paper should integrate research with your own observations about the work. Check-in at the Visitor's Desk and indicate that you are an applicant for The Mingei/UCSD Internship, present your UC San Diego Student ID for complimentary admission. ([UCSD Hillcrest Shuttle](#) and [MTA 3 route](#) are [FREE UCSD Bus Zone](#) with UCSD Student ID)
4. Turn in Application and Supplemental Materials to Mandeville Center 216 by **4PM on April 22, 2016.**



2016-2017 Stewart Humanities Internship at The Mingei Application Form

DUE: April 22, 2016 @ 4pm

Student Name: _____ PID: _____

Major: _____ Minor: _____ College: _____

E-mail: _____@ucsd.edu Phone # _____

Expected Quarter of Graduation i.e. (FA16) _____

At UC San Diego I have taken:

Quarter & Year (i.e. FA12)

- VIS 23-Info. Tech. in Art History _____
• VIS 112-Art Historical Methods _____
• Upper Division Seminars, Art History or Non-Studio Courses

Table with 3 columns: Course, Instructor, Quarter & Year (FA12). Contains three rows of empty form fields for course entry.

To be submitted to the Visual Arts Department by Friday, April 22, 2016:

- Completed Application Form
Personal Statement
Statement of Purpose
Response Paper

I am aware that these supplementary materials will not be returned and become the property of the internship selection committee.

Applicant Signature

Date

Questions? E-mail vis-ug@ucsd.edu