

Exhibits Technician Internship

Museum - Exhibits

Compensation: \$2,500.00

Application deadline: March 13, 2026

The Mississippi Department of Archives & History (MDAH) is seeking an *Exhibit Technician Intern*. The Exhibits Technician Intern will assist the exhibits team with exhibit planning, research, and implementation. This intern will engage with the MDAH exhibition team while developing relationships with the curatorial services staff. This internship offers real-world exposure to many aspects of curatorial services with an opportunity to explore and gain insight into state government.

Primary Responsibilities:

- Assist with exhibit research, planning, and implementation
- Support installation and de-installation of exhibits or exhibit components
- Aid in ongoing exhibit maintenance
- Assist with traveling exhibits for MDAH
- Present a final project report at the Intern Expo on July 30

Requirements:

- Currently enrolled in an accredited bachelor's or master's degree program, preferably in museum studies, archives management, or other related programs.
- Practical knowledge of basic hand tools
- Strong computer, research, writing, and organizational skills
- The ability to work independently with prolonged focus is important.

Time Commitment:

This internship runs from June 1 to July 31 and requires a minimum of 160 hours. Work hours are flexible, Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., with the specific schedule determined by mutual agreement between the intern and MDAH staff. Some exceptions may apply for required intern enrichment activities, professional development opportunities, and the final Intern Expo.

How to Apply:

Submit an online application through the [MDAH website](#) by March 13, 2026.

For more information, please contact the Human Resources Program Manager, Meredith Kent, at (601) 576-7304 or mekent@mdah.ms.gov.