



Derven Scholar Internship Program Spring 2021

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The application deadline is November 30, 2020

Program Description

This program honors Daphne L. Derven, whose educational vision and commitment to outreach continues to be an inspiration to staff and students. This program invites applications from student researchers (high school, undergraduate, and graduate students are all welcome to apply) with an interest in historical research, writing, and education. We'd love to receive applications from

- high school students who are passionate about history
- college students majoring in history, education, and/or museum studies
- graduate students seeking paid internship experience to add to their resume
- students who love working with K-12 audiences

Internship Details

The spring 2021 Derven Scholar(s) will work with THNOC education staff to plan, create, and/or facilitate Virtual Field Trips ([learn more about our VFTs here](#)). This internship will be completely remote, so we encourage non-local students to apply if interested. The Derven Scholar internship experience will also include mentorship from education staff and opportunities for informational interviews with THNOC staff in other departments. Typically, the internship term runs for 12 weeks between January and May (exact dates will be decided upon by the intern and THNOC staff) and interns will be expected to devote around 10 hours each week to this position. Derven Scholars receive a total stipend of \$2000, paid in monthly increments during their term.

Application Process

To apply for a position as a Derven Scholar, fill out our [online application](#) and submit two supporting documents: your resume and your response to the application question below. You need a Gmail address to submit these files through the application form—if you don't have a Gmail address, please fill out the application and send your files to us at education@hnoc.org. The application deadline is November 30 and all applicants will be contacted about their status by December 14.

Application Question

Pitch us a topic for our next Virtual Field Trip! We'd love to hear about people, places, events, and/or ideas that you think would make for a dynamic virtual program, and we welcome creative ideas about how to deliver content and keep students engaged. Please include your ideas about strategies to engage students via Zoom; possible activities for students; and/or historical items (like maps, photos, or objects) that you could use to teach during the VFT. Please limit your response to 250 words.

Questions? Email us at education@hnoc.org