

Glenstone

Position

Summer Graduate Conservation Intern

An Introduction to Glenstone Museum

Founded with the mission to seamlessly integrate art, architecture, and landscape, Glenstone is an art museum located on nearly 300 acres of rolling hills and unspoiled woodland in Potomac, Maryland. The museum, opened in 2006 and expanded in 2018, offers nearly 60,000 square feet of exhibition space to showcase its collection of more than 1300 works by 200 contemporary artists. With its expansion, Glenstone now has the ability to welcome 100,000 visitors each year, and admission is always free.

Position Overview

The internship will provide the opportunity to work with Glenstone's superlative collection of post-World War II artworks. Treatment projects will be tailored to the specialty and interests of the successful candidate. Example projects could include the treatment of a mixed media sculpture, the preservation of time-based media works, or research into the removal of marks from weathering steel sculptures. The intern will contribute to the Museum's preventive conservation activities, outdoor sculpture cleaning, and exhibition installation. Glenstone's conservation program is collaborative in nature. As such, there are often occasions to work with other conservators, museum professionals, galleries, artists, and their studios or foundations. Professional development opportunities are encouraged and will be supported.

Required Skills & Experience

Candidates should be currently enrolled in a recognized conservation training program or have equivalent training. Preference will be given to candidates with experience in the following areas:

- objects/sculpture
- time-based media
- modern and contemporary art
- preventive conservation

Salary & Benefits

The internship includes a stipend of \$22/hour. The internship will be in the summer of 2023 and run for a minimum of 8 weeks and a maximum of 10 weeks. The intern will have the option of Glenstone-provided furnished housing about a mile from the museum's campus, in exchange for being on-call in the event of emergencies.

Application Process

Candidates should submit a cover letter, resume, and contact information for three references via our Glenstone Jobs Portal. Candidates must be eligible to work in the United States. Review of applications will begin January 3, 2023 and continue until the position is filled.

We are an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, national origin, disability status, protected veteran status or any other characteristic protected by law.