INTERNSHIPS
at the Center for Jewish History

We offer three tracks of internships for students:

PUBLIC HISTORY INTERNSHIPS

Students will be trained to co-lead our on-site primary sources workshops for high schools, as well as guide tours at the Center and walking tours of the neighborhood; they will learn how to research and design their own guided tours, walking tours, and community-building public history projects.

In a pedagogical sub-track, interns will not only be trained to work with high school students and teach with primary sources; they will also work on designing their own assignments, syllabi, and assessment/feedback criteria, and will be encouraged to test them out, under the supervision of the Center’s staff.

RESEARCH INTERNSHIPS

Students will work with visiting scholars at the Center, helping them with their specific research projects. Attending the CJH seminars will help them incorporate the skills they gain with visiting scholars in broader contexts.

CURATORIAL INTERNSHIPS

Students will serve as assistant curators of projects developed at the Center. They will also be encouraged to work on their own curatorial projects, and will get additional training with our archivists.

Requirements

The ideal candidate is:

— ready to devote 8-10 hours a week, including at least one 4-hour block, with some level of flexibility (depending on tours, etc.)
— available for an orientation class held on September 15, 2019
— strongly motivated and reliable
— committed to attend a monthly seminar for interns

Strong writing skills and additional languages are a plus, but not required.

Please send your resume and a short cover letter (400 words max) that includes your academic interests and explains your interest in this internship to education@cjh.org.