2021 Cook Inlet Historical Society Internship Opportunity

The Anchorage Museum connects people, expands perspectives, and encourages global dialog about the North and its distinct environment. Exploring the intersection of art, history and science, the Anchorage Museum shares multiple perspectives and experiences that tell a greater story. We welcome diverse perspectives, recognize all are enriched when a diversity of voices, viewpoints, and skills are included and engaged in the work we do, and are committed to creating an anti-racist, fully inclusive organization.

WHEN: Approximately 20 weeks, July – December 2021, start and end dates are flexible. The work schedule will be approximately 25 hours per week, Monday – Friday, during regular business hours.

WHERE: Atwood Resource Center at the Anchorage Museum in beautiful downtown Anchorage, Alaska. This is a hands-on internship working within the Resource Center. Remote participation is not available, and COVID safety precautions will be in place.

WHAT: The Atwood Resource Center is seeking enthusiastic applicants for this year’s Cook Inlet Historical Society Internship. This position is funded by the Cook Inlet Historical Society, the Gilbert Family, and the Anchorage Museum. The focus of this internship will be to uplift and highlight Black, Indigenous, and Persons of Color voices located amongst the museum’s numerous archival collections. Opportunities and training may include assisting with developing a resource guide, researching and reference, and processing and describing archival collections.

The incumbent will receive a stipend of $6,000 for the term of the internship. Housing, benefits and transportation are not provided.

WHO: The successful applicant will be a recent Master’s graduate or, or in their second year of, Library and Information Science, Museum Studies, History, or an allied field. Previous experience with archival collections, historical photographs, Alaskan history and/or special collections research preferred, but not required.

HOW TO APPLY:

To apply, go on-line to www.anchoragemuseum.org/About-Us/Employment. Please include resume’ and a cover letter describing your background and interest in the position. For more information contact Human Resources, Anchorage Museum, 625 C Street, Anchorage, AK, 99501 or email: employment@anchoragemuseum.org.

Please note background checks will be required for the successful applicant. All resumes must be accompanied by a completed application.

DEADLINE: April 31, 2021