

Management & Administration in Historical Organizations

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This course provides an introduction to the non-profit based management, leadership and administration issues and practices for historical and cultural heritage organizations. The goal of this course is to provide students who will be entering the public history field with the background knowledge and tools to be effective managers and leaders in their institutions. Students will be introduced to the complexity of issues in historical management and administration as reflexive practitioners and will engage a wide variety of case studies, issues analysis and 21st century examples from historical institutions.



Required Texts:

Museum Administration 2.0, Genoways, Ireland, & Catlin-Legutko, Rowman & Littlefield, 2017

Small Museum Toolkit, Catlin-Legutko and Klingler, eds. AltaMira Press, 2012

Vol. 1 – Leadership, Mission, and Governance

Vol. 2 – Financial Resource Development and Management

A Practical Guide to Museum Ethics, Sally Yerkovich, Rowman & Littlefield, 2016

Writing for Museums, M. Wallace. Rowman & Littlefield, 2014