

# Introduction to Public History

## Hist 3368A

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### Course Description:

Public history is the practice of history outside the classroom in diverse community and institutional settings that may include such specializations as archival management, cultural resource management, preservation, historic site management and interpretation, documentary media, museum science, editing and publishing, and heritage tourism. This class is an introduction to the field of public history and the methodological and theoretical approaches that shape its practice. The class may include field trips, individual and group projects.

**Required Texts:** Lyon, C. M., Mix and Shrum, Introduction to Public History, 2017