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## PUBLIC HISTORY

With a passion for the past and a need to share history for the future, TU's public history program goes far beyond the walls of a history classroom. Public history focuses on insight of historical events and the best ways to communicate history to the masses. Our classes focus on research, critique and various means of communication through written word, filmmaking and design, to ensure future generations will know historical value.

The BA in Public History is an applied history program. Students who earn this degree will be prepared to work in various applied history professions, including historical consultants, museum professionals, government historians, archivists, oral historians, cultural resource managers, curators, film and media producers, historical interpreters, historic preservationists, policy advisers, local historians, and community historical activists.

In 2020, the number of archivists, curators and museum workers jobs in the public history field totalled at 35,000, and the job outlook in 2020-2030 is set to increase by 19%, or 6,600 jobs, which is faster than average. The 2020 median pay for archivists, curators and museum workers was \$52,140 per year.

With TU's curriculum, a student also has the opportunity to apply to a graduate history program.

We will provide you with a solid background for a successful career in public history. Our coursework will further differentiate you from other candidates:

### Public History Major: 36 hours

- HIS122 Research and Writing for History
- HIS114 Public History I
- HIS231 Creating a Nation: The United States through the Civil War
- HIS242 The United States, 1865-1945: Consolidation, Industrialization and the Rise to Global Leadership (w)
- HIS267 The Challenges of Global Leadership: The United States after 1945
- HIS214 Public History II
- HIS303 Civilizations Emerge and Develop
- HIS323 The Emerging West, Exploration, Colonization, and Commerce
- HIS314 Public History III
- HIS410 The Inter-Connected World: Globalization In a Post-Colonial World
- HIS425 Historiography
- HIS475 Practicing Public History



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