

**Fall/Spring Internship**  
**Owyhee County Historical Museum Collections Department**

The purpose of the Owyhee County Historical Society is to investigate and preserve for future generations any kind of historical records, documents, sites building, articles, oral histories, and artifacts pertaining to Owyhee County, to provide a library and museum complex, to promote interests in and a concern for Owyhee County History.

The OCHS seeks upper-division undergraduate and graduate interns for work with our collections group and our archive/library group. Interns will gain broad, hands-on experience in collections management and care, documentation and registration methods, and researching collection objects and materials. Interns will actively participate in collections preservation and maintenance, and if schedule allows, assist with an exhibit installation. Interns will complete a survey of at least one OCHS artifact collection and make a final presentation to appropriate staff.

Internship timeframe is one semester (minimum of three credits). Exact timeframe and hours will be mutually determined by the supervisor and the successful candidate.

Minimum requirements: Upper division standing and currently enrolled in a program working towards a degree in History or other related field. Interns must be able to work in environments with reduced light levels, dust, low temperatures, tight spaces, as well as be able to climb stairs. It is also recommended that applicant be able to carry a minimum of 30 pounds.

**Due to the sensitive nature of some of our artifacts non-smokers are preferred.**