

Idaho State University
Historical Resources Management

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The M.A. program in Historical Resources Management was established in 2007 as the country's only GIS-based graduate program in history. The program now admits at least 6 students each year. Beginning in 2010, a new digital media track was created to complement the existing GIS track. The program is run in collaboration with the GIS Training and Research Center and the James E. Rogers Department of Mass Communication at ISU.

Type of Program: Public History Graduate Program

Degree(s) offered: B.A. in History
M.A. in Public History
M.A. in Historical Resources Management

Concentration(s):

- Museum Studies
- Local/Community History
- Editing
- Non-Print Media/Media studies
- Publishing
- Geographic information systems (GIS)

Course Offerings:

- Cartography, required, offered annually
- Proseminar, required, offered annually
- GIS in Historical Studies, required, offered annually
- Communication through Web Design, required, offered annually
- Internship, required, offered every semester
- Independent Research Project or Thesis, required, offered every semester

Thesis required? No

Special project required? No

Description: N/A

Credit Hour Requirement: 30

Internship Required? Yes

Who arranges internships? Student

Credit hours earned for internships: 3

Who evaluates internship? What are the criteria for evaluation? Internship director and department faculty. Evaluated by hours spent, collaborative experiences, product

Places where students have interned in the past three years:

- Local county governments
- historical societies
- research centers
- research projects at other universities

Admission Requirements:

- Minimum GPA: N/A
- Statement of Purpose
- Letter(s) of Recommendation
- Transcripts
- Writing Sample
- GRE Aptitude Score

Financial Aid Available:

- Assistantships
- Stipends
- Tuition Waiver
- In-State Status

Maximum annual stipend for: MA: Minimum of \$9,400 PhD: N/A

Average number of students who receive: Stipend: 5 Scholarships: N/A

How many students are admitted annually? BA: N/A MA: 6 PhD: N/A

Placement assistance offered? N/A

Employers who have hired your graduates in the past three years:

GIS consulting firms