

## California State University, Chico Certificate in Public History Program

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**Program Description:** Established in 1993, the Certificate in Public History Program is a 30-unit program open to both undergraduate History majors and to graduate students enrolled in the History Department's MA degree program.

### Degrees Offered:

- B.A. in History with a Certificate or Concentration in Public History
- M.A. in History with a Certificate or Concentration in Public History

**Program Strengths:** Archival Practices  
Cultural Resources  
Management  
Historic Preservation  
Local/Community  
History  
Museum Studies

**How Many Students are Admitted Annually:**  
BA: 60 MA: 15 PhD: N/A

**Financial Aid Available:**

**Deadline to Apply:** November 31 of preceding Fall Semester

**Credit Hour Requirement:** 30

**Internship Requirement:** Internships are arranged in consultation between the student, program director, and internship host. 3 units of internship work are required, but additional units may be taken if desired.

### Places Where Students Have Interned During the Past Three Years:

- Meriam Library Department of Special Collections at CSU Chico
- Butte County Clerk-Recorder
- Colusa County-Clerk-Recorder
- Northeast California Archaeological Information Center
- Chico Museum
- Bidwell Mansion State Historic Park
- South Feather River Water and Power Agency
- Oroville Chinese Temple Museum

**Job Placement Assistance Offered:** Program Director acts as advisor to students applying for graduate programs in public history and for public history employment

### Employers Who Have Hired Graduates from this Program within the Past Five Years:

- California State Archives
- JRP Historical Consulting Services
- Jones and Stokes
- City of Chico
- Butte County Clerk-Recorder