

ONLINE MUSEUM STUDIES CERTIFICATE

The University of Iowa offers the Museum Studies Certificate, an 18 semester hour (s.h.) certificate program administered through the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (CLAS). The academic home is the Department of Anthropology and the online certificate is supported by Distance and Online Education. The online courses are taught by the same faculty teaching in the on-campus courses.

Required Course

MUSM:3001	Introduction to Museum Studies	3 s.h.
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Museum Studies Topic Areas - Students must select one course each from three topic areas (9 s.h. total). They also must complete a fourth course (3 s.h.) from any of the topic areas.

Exhibition Development and Public Education

MUSM:3105	Engaging Museum Audiences	3 s.h.
MUSM:3125	Museums in a Digital World	3 s.h.

History, Theory, and Culture

MUSM:3120	Museum Origins	3 s.h.
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Museum Administration and Management

MUSM:3100	Historic House Management and Preservation	3 s.h.
MUSM:3500	Nonprofit Organizational Effectiveness I	3 s.h.
MUSM:4150	Introduction to Grant Writing	3 s.h.

Museum Studies Internship - After completing at least 12 s.h. of the required course work above, students must complete the following internship, earning a minimum of 3 s.h.

The Certificate in Museum Studies coordinator works closely with students and affiliated faculty members to ensure that the internship provides students with the instruction and experience they need.

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