# Internship Opportunity with St. Andrew’s Society of Montreal

**Summer 2019**

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## Description of Host Organization:

Founded in 1835, the St. Andrew’s Society of Montreal is a charitable society. The Society, through its Scottish cultural activities, including the St. Andrew’s Ball, Burns Supper and Montreal Highland Games, raises funds for various causes and to preserve Scottish culture and history in Montreal, Quebec and Canada. The Society supports a number of groups such as the Black Watch Cadet Pipe and Drums and the Montreal Highland Dancing Association. It strongly supports education through annual bursaries awarded to post-secondary students, and the Chair of Canadian-Scottish Studies.

## Intern’s Duties and Responsibilities:

The intern will transcribe the Minute Book of the Caledonian Society of Montreal which are in the care of the Archives of the St. Andrew’s Society of Montreal into a word document. If time permits the intern will also transcribe the Minute books of the St. Andrew’s Society of Montreal dating from 1956 to 1990, into a word document.

*Interns’ duties and projects may not be as listed. These will depend on the needs of the host organization.*

## Host Organization’s Requirements:

- Student in history or with knowledge and interest in Canadian history.
- Excellent communication skills.
- Ability to work independently.
- Excellent interpersonal skills.
- Good organizational and research skills.
- Knowledge of MS Office (Word, Outlook, Excel).
- Experience in the museum sector or with museum volunteers and volunteering an asset.
- Experience in presenting to a non-academic audience an asset
- Student will need to bring their own laptop.

## Hours:

Full time

## Dates:

May 6 – July 26, 2019

## Remuneration:

$4,000 CAD issued through a Faculty of Arts Internship Award.

## How to Apply:

Students must complete the online Arts Internship Application Form available on the AIO website: [https://www.mcgill.ca/arts-internships/internships/postings/application](https://www.mcgill.ca/arts-internships/internships/postings/application)

## Deadline to Apply:

January 28, 2019

## Citizenship Requirements:

None

## Eligibility:

- McGill Faculty of Arts student (completed 60 credits)
- Minimum CGPA of 2.7
- Returning to McGill in the fall semester following the internship
- Students must fulfill Faculty of Arts requirements as outlined in the Handbook for Interns [https://www.mcgill.ca/arts-internships/resources](https://www.mcgill.ca/arts-internships/resources)

## Costs:

The intern is responsible for all costs associated with the internship including transportation, accommodations, etc.

## Travel Arrangements:

Preparing travel arrangements to and from the internship host organization is the responsibility of the intern.

## Accommodation:

Finding suitable lodging during the internship is the responsibility of the intern.
| WORKSHOPS: | Successful candidates are required to attend the following sessions:  
- Faculty of Arts Interns Meeting (All internships)  
- Cross-Cultural Workshop (Internships outside of Canada, the U.S & Europe)  
- Success in a Professional Environment (Internships in an office setting)  
- University-Wide Pre-Departure Session (Internships outside of Canada)  
- Interns Responsibilities and Guidelines (All internships)  
- International Internship Debriefing Session (Internships outside of Canada, the U.S & Europe) |
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| HEALTH & SAFETY: | All applicants should consult the Global Affairs Canada Travel Reports for the internship host country prior to applying for this internship. [https://travel.gc.ca/travelling/advisories](https://travel.gc.ca/travelling/advisories)  
Traveling, living and working abroad can involve certain risks to your health and safety that differ from your home country. These may include: crime, political/social instability, tropical diseases/infections, extreme weather conditions, poor infrastructure, etc.  
The Arts Internship Office cannot guarantee the safety of any intern in their host country. It is up to the student to fully assess and prepare for any health or security risks that may be involved in pursuing this internship. Applicants are encouraged to discuss potential risks with their family prior to applying.  
Applicants must ensure that they are physically and mentally capable of successfully completing an internship in the internship host country. The Arts Internship Office may request a doctor’s attestation that an applicant is sufficiently healthy to complete an internship. |
| ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: | Interns are responsible for informing themselves of what entry requirements are required to visit and work as an intern in the internship host country. These may include a visa, work permit, passport valid for at least 6 months after entry, and proof of certain vaccinations.  
The intern is responsible for acquiring all necessary documents in time for the beginning of their internship. |

**Please Note:**  
Only short-listed candidates will be contacted. At that time, you may be asked to come in for an interview. The Arts Internship Office will then transmit the selected applications to the host organization, which will ultimately be responsible for the selection of the candidate(s).  
*If you feel you have experienced barriers which have had an impact on your academic performance and wish to highlight these to the selection committee, the documents/comments will be taken into consideration*