



**Costume and Textiles Internship
Winnetka Historical Society
Winnetka, IL**

The Winnetka Historical Society is accepting applications for unpaid interns for Summer 2019 to assist with the Winnetka Historical Costume Collection Inventory Project. This position will report to the curator of collections.

The intern will assist in inventorying and cataloging artifacts from the WHS Costume collection, stored at an offsite facility, under the guidance of the curator. The intern will learn cataloging, textile handling, costume storage techniques, and gain knowledge of historical clothing and textile types.

The ideal candidate will be enrolled in a graduate program in Fashion History, Fashion and Textile Studies, Public History, Museum Studies, or similar field of study. Strong attention to detail and experience with artifact handling and textiles preferred.

This position involves regular transporting and lifting costume/textile boxes up to 30 lbs.

TO APPLY: Please send your resume and cover letter to curator@winnetkahistory.org with the subject line: 2019 Costume Collection Internship. Please introduce yourself and indicate if you plan to apply for course credit for the internship in the body of your email. Applications will be accepted until April 30, 2019.