

MUSEUM OF MOTHERHOOD INTERN/VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Welcome. The Museum Of Motherhood is invested in you having a productive and positive experience. This means that it's important to identify realistic, concise and achievable goals during your time with us.

Each project should have a start, middle and a finish, with the objective of expanding the student's comprehension of mothers, fathers, and family studies. Internships should benefit the museum's growth and ability to disseminate information for broad public consumption.

Once you have signed up for volunteer/intern service, you should become acquainted with the museum's exhibits, and project opportunities. All projects will be made available online or in-book at the museum.

General Staff and Intern/Volunteer Details

Projects commence when classes begin and end when the semester is completed:

- a) Plan on setting up a meeting in person or via phone with the museum director.
- b) All projects should be generally understood and executed.
- c) If you live far from the museum and want to negotiate a remote internship, then your time at M.O.M. may be managed from an off-site location.
- d) Special internships are organized for targeted short-term projects or during summer sessions.

Weekly/Monthly Reports:

- a) Please make sure to deliver a weekly/monthly report based on your experiences. Give a brief summary of what was accomplished. Blog content can be delivered at an attachment.

General Schedule

- a) During the first two weeks you should be determining a direction for your internship. This should be delivered via a Word Document that spells out the specifics of your project(s).
- b) The last two weeks of the semester, you will be organizing data into a report or concise presentation to be archived at M.O.M.

The Museum of Motherhood seeks to work hand in hand with academic institutions, women's organizations, birth centers, and youth organizations, as well as compatible community initiatives.

Questions or Concerns:

We pride ourselves on being approachable and available for conversation about your projects, passions, studies and general wellbeing.

Martha Joy Rose, Museum Director is available by cell phone for discussions if any concerns come up for you: 207.504.3001. E. MarthaJoyRose@gmail.com

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Mission: We Are A Social Change Museum

The Museum of Motherhood (M.O.M.) is an exhibition and education center devoted to the exploration of the art, science, and history of mothers, fathers, and families.

M.O.M.'s mission is to start great conversations, feature thought-provoking exhibits, and share information and education—we believe a more comprehensive understanding of pregnancy, birth, and the value of caregiving labor will lead to healthier and happier homes, more productive workplaces, and better social policies.

At the M.O.M. we aim to collect, preserve, and disseminate articles, books, artifacts, images, and research on all aspects of motherhood and we actively promote members of the community interested in Mother Studies.

We do not discriminate, are open to all perspectives, and recognize diversity as a guiding premise.



M.O.M. Organization:

Museum of Motherhood is a certified 501c3 non-profit established through the New York based Motherhood Foundation Inc. The annual academic M.O.M. conference has been organized each year since 2005. Long-term goals include a fully funded, large-scale teaching and exhibition facility. M.O.M. is currently online after being located on the UES of Manhattan from 2011-2014.

MOM Art Annex is located in the AEHK of St. Petersburg, Florida. Since 2017, the Annex promotes the MOM Mission while offering *tours* by appointment, *classes* onsite, as well as arts and research *residency programs* by application.

MOM PoP Up is a traveling museum experience. MOM popped up as part of the Lasallian Women and Gender Resource Center in 2018 and is ongoing. Located at Manhattan College, New York.

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