

## American Museum of Natural History Saltz Internship Program

### Fall 2013

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, September 6th**

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##### **Eligibility and Requirements**

New York City high school students who are 16-18 years old are eligible to apply. Applicants must live or attend school within the five boroughs of New York City. Strong preference will be given to students who have taken at least two AMNH high school After School Program courses, preferably in one of the subject areas relevant to the halls where the Saltz carts are deployed (Milstein Hall of Ocean Life and Cullman Hall of the Universe). Students who have not met this preference may still apply.

##### **School Year Program Schedule**

The Fall 2013 Session will be September 22<sup>nd</sup> – December 15<sup>th</sup>.

During this session, students will participate in three elements of the program: training, monthly seminars, and internship hours.

**Training:** Training for the Fall Session will take place on Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10:0 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**\*\*Training is MANDATORY.\*\*** Students will become more familiar with the Milstein Hall of Ocean Life and learn to use the equipment on three interactive carts to encourage the public to think like scientists.

**Seminars:** Monthly after-school or weekend sessions will provide continued training and science enrichment, as well as a chance for students to reflect on and share their museum experiences with each other. Seminar dates are to be determined.

**Internship hours:** Interns are expected to work at least two 2.5 hour shifts per week for ten weekends, September 28<sup>th</sup> – December 15<sup>th</sup> (there will not be shifts over Columbus and Thanksgiving Day weekends: October 12-13 and November 30-December 1). Shifts will be on Saturdays and Sundays, 10:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. A shift schedule will be developed every 2-3 weeks to accommodate each intern's schedule.

More information about the Saltz Internship Program can be found on our website: <http://amnh.org/education/saltz>

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