

The Department of Fine Arts at Mount Allison University invites applications to teach FINH 3991 (Museums, Education and Engagement) for the winter term (January to April, 2019), as a stipendiary (part-time) position. This course examines the expanding field of museum education and considers the broader educational role of the museum. Topics include: current practice in museum education, informal learning theories, visitor experience, visitor research, writing in the museum, accessibility, inclusion, relevance, and the ways in which museums use new media, social media and mobile technology.

This seminar course involves 3 contact hours of class time per week. This course is capped at 15 students to facilitate student collaboration within course assignments, to allow for greater depth of discussion, and to accommodate visits to the Owens Art Gallery.

The successful applicant should have completed a master's degree in Museum Education, Museum Studies or related discipline in addition to significant experience working within the museum field.

Applications should include a letter of application, a curriculum vitae, relevant supporting material including a teaching portfolio, and two letters of reference forwarded by the referees. **The deadline for receipt of complete applications, including letters of reference, is Monday, April 30, 2018.** Applications should be sent to:

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Mount Allison is a highly respected small (2500 students) undergraduate institution. The Department of Fine Arts, with 11 full and part-time faculty and technical staff and approximately 140 studio students, offers a BFA and a BA with majors and minors in studio art and art history, and studio courses in drawing, painting, photography, printmaking, open media and sculpture. The Owens Art Gallery, with a programme of contemporary and historical exhibitions and visiting artists' presentations, provides important support to the Department.

For further information see our website: <http://www.mta.ca/finearts>