

## JPPM Archaeology Intern

Department: Jefferson Patterson Park & Museum/Maryland Archaeological Conservation Lab

Closing Date: April 18, 2026

Salary: \$18/hr for 400 hours - Not to exceed \$7,200

Employment Type: Temporary/Internship

Work Location: St. Leonard, MD

### Internship Description:

The Maryland Archaeological Conservation Laboratory (MAC Lab) at Jefferson Patterson Park and Museum (JPPM) in St. Leonard is seeking an undergraduate student for a paid internship in archaeology. Since the 1980s, JPPM and the MAC Lab Research department have identified and conducted investigations on over 70 archaeological sites within the park. This student will primarily work with MAC Lab Research staff to process artifacts and prepare documentation for one particular site, the Smith's St. Leonard Site (18CV91) an 18<sup>th</sup>-century plantation complex. The student will also have the opportunity to assist research staff with fieldwork as it arises in conjunction with park capital projects and other Public Archaeology programming at JPPM.

The internship will provide archaeological fieldwork, lab processing, and curation preparation, skills that can be applied to future education or a career in museums or archaeology. It will run through the spring and summer of 2026 with the potential to run into the fall of 2026 depending on the student's weekly scheduled hours. Work will be conducted during normal business hours (Monday-Friday, 8am-4:30pm) with the possibility of some work on Saturdays, however the exact schedule may be flexible depending on student availability

The intern will receive a total amount not to exceed \$7,200.00 paid in bi-weekly increments based on the number of hours worked at a base rate of \$18.00 per hour.

- Current undergraduate students in anthropology/archaeology or related field, with some experience excavating or processing archaeological material, are preferred.
- Students currently enrolled in or who have recently graduated from an accredited undergraduate program in anthropology/archaeology or other closely related field are encouraged to apply.

### Internship Location:

Maryland Archaeological Conservation Laboratory

Jefferson Patterson Park and Museum

10515 Mackall Road, St. Leonard, MD 20685

### To Apply:

The following must be submitted prior to the closing deadline to be considered for the internship. If submissions are missing, the application may be removed from consideration. Submissions received after the filing date WILL NOT be accepted.

Applicants must submit:

- Cover letter
- CV or Resume
- Letter of Recommendation

If you are interested in the JPPM Archaeology internship, please send the above items to Alex Glass at [alexandra.glass@maryland.gov](mailto:alexandra.glass@maryland.gov)