



# SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE, ART AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION

## Past Internships

Albert Michaels Conservation, Inc.  
Adirondack Architectural Heritage  
Frank Lloyd Wright Preservation Trust  
Harpers Ferry, National Park Service  
Higgins Armory and Museum  
Historic Charleston Foundation  
The Hopi Foundation  
Lyndhurst, National Trust for Historic Preservation  
Preservation Action  
Preservation Massachusetts  
Providence Planning Department  
Strawbery Bank Museum

## Employers

### Government agencies

Edificios y Monumentos Nacionais  
General Services Administration  
National Park Service  
State Historic Preservation Offices

### Non-profit organizations

Indiana Landmarks  
National Trust for Historic Preservation  
New York Landmarks Conservancy  
US/International Council on Monuments and Sites

### Historic sites

Fairmount Park  
Preservation Society of Newport County  
Mystic Seaport  
Slater Mill Historic Site

### Private practice

Capital Properties  
Goody-Clancy Architects  
Design and Construction

## Graduate Study

Blekinge Institute of Technology  
Columbia University  
Cornell University  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Pratt Institute  
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute  
Savannah College of Art and Design  
Tel Aviv University  
University of Hawaii  
University of Oregon  
University of Vermont

## Research

- Conservation assessments, Heritage Preservation
- Clan-house restoration, The Hopi Foundation
- Documentation, Historic American Building Survey, NPS
- Early Architecture and Landscapes of the Narragansett basin, Vernacular Architecture Forum

## 4+1 B.S./M.S. IN HISTORIC PRESERVATION

Roger Williams University continues to offer its four-year Bachelors of Science in Historic Preservation. The program can also be coupled with a new dual-degree, 4+1 year, B.S./M.S. in Historic Preservation, described here.

For over three decades the program has harnessed University- and community-wide resources to provide in-depth preservation studies and professional practice in the context of a liberal arts education, whose diversity mirrors the communities and cultures we help preserve.

The goal of the program is to provide an education in historic preservation that empowers students to realize their own personal and professional potential. The program couples a multi-disciplinary approach with a rigorous core of field-based professional offerings.

Students gain an understanding of the preservation field through coursework in preservation history and philosophy, documentation and research, architectural conservation, community planning, law and regulation, design and economics. Students are placed into practice through field-based workshops and an internship—all in partnership with regional, national and international organizations and firms

## School of Architecture, Art and Historic Preservation

Architecture, Visual Arts, Historic Preservation and Art and Architectural History are all majors located within the School of Architecture, Art and Historic Preservation (SAAHP). SAAHP strikes a unique balance between creation and conservation, aesthetic and technical pursuits, national and international perspectives, individual exploration and community involvement, classroom and lifelong learning. Students learn in the classroom, but also in studios, lectures, seminars, internships, study abroad, field work, tutorials, public forums and community service.

SAAHP is located in an award-winning 65,000-square-foot building that includes design studios, a design computing lab, the architecture library, photography studio and darkroom, digital media lab, conservation lab and digital manufacturing lab.

## Roger Williams University

Roger Williams University is an independent, co-educational institution, accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. *U.S. News and World Report's* Best Colleges Guide has once again listed Roger Williams University among the top ten Best Baccalaureate Colleges in the North.

Situated on 143 acres overlooking Mount Hope Bay, the Roger Williams campus takes advantage of New England's natural beauty. Centrally located amid the area's abundant resources and attractions, and easily accessible from urban centers such as Providence, Boston and New York, RWU offers 41 majors through a liberal arts college and five professional schools.

## Program Outline

Bachelor of Science + Master of Science in Historic Preservation  
150 credits total, 32 graduate (6 credits for MS taken at undergraduate level)

### First Year – Fall

HP 150 Intro to Historic Pres  
Arch 101 Foundations of Arch  
AAH 121 History of Art & Arch 1  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Second Year – Fall

HIIST 151 US History 1  
HP 224L Archival Research  
HP 341 Pre-Industrial America  
WRITNG 220 Critical Writing for Prof.  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Third Year – Fall

HP 301 Princ of Arch Cons  
HP 384L Pres Planning lab  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Summer

HP 469 Preservation Internship

### Fourth Year – Fall (Study Abroad Option)

HP 391 Arch and Pres Abroad  
HUM 399 Cultures in Contact  
ITAL 101 Elementary Italian 1  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Fourth Year – Fall (Bristol Option)

HP 542 or Prof Practices (grad req.) or HP elective  
HP 4xx-5xx HP elective  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Summer

HP 569 Preservation Internship

### Fifth Year – Fall

HP 681L Historic Rehabilitation Workshop  
HP 526 Preservation Law and Regulation  
HP 631 Graduate Thesis Seminar in HP  
HP 542 or Prof Practices in HP or HP elective

### First Year – Spring

HP 175 Hist Bldg Doc  
HP 160 American Buildings  
AAH 122 History of Art & Arch 2  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Second Year – Spring

HIIST 152 US History 2  
HP 202 Princ of Pres Planning  
HP 342 Industrial America  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Third Year – Spring

HP 382L Arch Conservation lab  
HP 351 Hist and Phil of Hist Pres.  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Fourth Year – Spring

HP 525 Preservation Economics  
HP 452 Senior Seminar  
Gen Ed or Elective Courses

### Fifth Year – Spring

HP 684L Preservation Planning Workshop  
HP 651 Preservation Graduate Thesis  
HP grad elective  
HP grad elective

## General Education

It is the mission of the General Education Program at Roger Williams University to develop in students the capabilities and habits of mind required for a life of intellectual curiosity, localized and global civic engagement, personal growth and professional development. The faculty at Roger Williams University is currently considering ways for General Education to bring together diverse modes of inquiry that cross disciplines and sometimes fall outside of disciplines.

## 2010-2011 Expenses

Average Tuition (12-17 credit hours)	\$27,840/year
Architecture Tuition	\$31,344/year
Average Room & Board	\$12,740/year
Average Fees	\$1,878/year

## Application Deadlines

Early Action	November 1
Regular Decision	February 1

Apply online using the Common Application at [admissions.rwu.edu](http://admissions.rwu.edu) or at [www.commonapp.org](http://www.commonapp.org)

## Financial Aid

(For US citizens & permanent residents)

Percentage of students receiving financial aid	88%
Average freshman financial aid package	\$20,807

CSS Profile Form Deadline

Apply at [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com) by January 1

FAFSA Deadline

Apply at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov) by February 1



## Admission

Roger Williams University seeks students with a demonstrated capacity for academic achievement, who also possess intellectual curiosity, strength of character and a sense of social responsibility. The admission committee will evaluate your application based on a number of factors: the rigor of your high school curriculum (for transfer students, your academic performance at the college level), your scholastic record, standardized test scores, writing ability, interests, community involvement and talents.

### Early Action - Deadline is November 1st

The Early Action program is an option for those students who are prepared to complete the application process early in the senior year. The Early Action Application Deadline is November 1. Decisions will be mailed on January 15th.

### Regular Decision - Deadline is February 1st

All applications and supporting materials must be submitted by February 1st for consideration. Decisions will be mailed on March 15th.

**Transfer Students** - visit us online at [www.rwu.edu/admission/transfer](http://www.rwu.edu/admission/transfer).



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