

## New Master's Degree in Historical & Cultural Visualization

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## NEW MASTER'S DEGREE in Historical and Cultural Visualization at Duke University:

Beginning in August 2014, The Department of Art, Art History & Visual Studies at Duke University will offer a Master's Degree in Historical and Cultural Visualization.

The 18-month program integrates historical disciplines and the study of cultural artifacts with digital visualization techniques for the analysis and presentation of research. The program builds on courses and well-developed strengths at Duke University, and requires 10 courses over three semesters in addition to summer research. Students affiliate with an existing faculty research initiative, from which they will develop their own independent research project for the M.A. thesis. Common themes that unite the various projects are the visualization of process, the representation of change over time, recontextualizing displaced objects, and object biographies.

The M.A. prepares students for future work in such fields as public history, city planning and architectural design, cultural heritage, museum exhibition design, and visualization-based journalism, and provides a springboard for more advanced study.

The ideal candidate seeks engagement with the Digital Humanities, and conceptualizes digital visualization as a way of doing research. The program encourages applicants from across the Humanities and Social Sciences, whether from established disciplines, such as history, archaeology, and art history, or emerging fields of study, such as spatial history, media arts & sciences, and cultural geography.

For more information and to apply, visit dukewired.org.

For the 2014-2015 academic year, applications will be accepted until March 31, 2014.

Post-deadline applications will be reviewed as space allows.

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