

Fellowships for DigCCurr II Doctoral Study

DigCCurr II is now recruiting for 2010 Ph.D. Fellows in Digital Curation

The School of Information and Library Science (SILS), University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC-CH), is seeking applicants interested in Digital Curation and in earning a Doctoral Degree. The Fellowships are funded by the Institute for Museum and Library Services.

What the 2-Year Fellowships Offer:

- 20 hr/wk position as a Research Fellow in Digital Curation
- Annual stipend of \$19,000
- In-state tuition and health coverage
- Annual enrichment funds of \$800
- Extensive opportunities to meet key leaders in the Digital Curation research and practice arenas through workshops and symposia to be held at UNC.

About DigCCurr II

“DigCCurr II: Extending an International Digital Curation Curriculum to Doctoral Students and Practitioners” seeks to develop an international, doctoral-level curriculum and educational network in the management and preservation of digital materials across their life cycle. This project will prepare future faculty to perform research and teach in this area, as well as provide summer institutes for cultural heritage information professionals already working in this arena.

Applying for the Fellowship

- Please follow the regular application procedures found on the SILS Ph.D. Admissions page (<http://sils.unc.edu/programs/phd/admissions.html>). Students are encouraged to apply by January 1 as this ensures consideration of the greatest amount of university funding, but we are accepting applications for this program up to February 15
- In addition to the required written statement of your intended research focus, we ask that you write a separate essay elaborating on your goals and how they are related to the goals of DigCCurr II. See the DigCCurr II web page for more details (<http://ils.unc.edu/digccurr/aboutII.html>). Please send your essay via email to Dr. Helen Tibbo (tibbo@email.unc.edu) or Dr. Cal Lee (callee@ils.unc.edu) **no later than February 15, 2010**. Earlier applications are encouraged. We only accept applications from United States Citizens.

Interested applicants may also direct correspondence to:

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