

The Wolfsonian-FIU Fellowship (Deadline: 31 Dec 10)

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The Wolfsonian-FIU Fellowship Announcement

The Wolfsonian-Florida International University is a museum and research center that promotes the examination of modern visual and material culture. The Wolfsonian's fellowship program is intended to support research on the museum's collection, generally for periods of three to four weeks. The program is open to holders of master's or doctoral degrees, Ph.D. candidates, and others who have a significant record of professional achievement in relevant fields.

The focus of the Wolfsonian collection is on North American and European decorative arts, propaganda, architecture, and industrial and graphic design from the period 1885-1945. The United States, Great Britain, Germany, Italy, and the Netherlands are the countries most extensively represented. There are also smaller but significant collections of materials from a number of other countries, including Austria, Czechoslovakia, France, Japan, the former Soviet Union, and Hungary. The collection includes works on paper (including posters, prints, and design drawings), furniture, paintings, sculpture, glass, textiles, ceramics, lighting and other appliances, and many other kinds of objects. The Wolfsonian's library has approximately 50,000 rare books, periodicals, and ephemeral items.

Applicants are encouraged to discuss their project with the museum staff prior to submission to ensure the relevance of their proposals to The Wolfsonian's collection. For more information about The Wolfsonian and its collection, visit the website at

<http://www.wolfsonian.fiu.edu><<http://www.wolfsonian.fiu.edu/>>,
call 305-535-2686,

or email to research@thewolf.fiu.edu<<mailto:research@thewolf.fiu.edu>>.

Applications for the 2011-12 academic year must be postmarked by December 31, 2010.

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