

Women in Parks: Greater Boston Indigenous History Internship  
**National Parks of Boston**  
**Spring 2022**

**Description:**

Working with the National Parks of Boston and in consultation with an Indigenous advisor, this internship will target three primary research areas:

- The impact of colonization on matrilineal Indigenous communities in the Massachusetts area;
- The impact of the American War for Independence on Indigenous women and families in the Massachusetts area;
- The role of Indigenous women in historic social revolutions in Greater Boston.

For each topic, the intern will conduct original research and publish at least one form of content (web and/or social media) that will be shared with visitors. The intern will also compile a resource guide for National Parks of Boston staff composed of primary and secondary sources, key databases and research collections, and a summary of findings. The intern may also be expected to present their findings internally to park staff and volunteers.

**Qualifications:**

- Graduate student (preferred) or upper-level college student with Indigenous affiliation
- Have experience and/or interest in Indigenous history and culture
- Proficiency in different writing styles (social media posts, web articles, research briefs)

**Logistics:**

- 18 weeks, 20 hours per week (Tentative Start: mid/end of January)
- Stipend of \$24.00/hour
- Travel Stipend: \$400.00

**To Apply:**

Please submit a **resume/CV**, **one-page cover letter**, and a **list of two (2) references**.

In your cover letter, please address:

- Why you are interested in this internship
- Whether you have conducted similar research
- What you hope to get out of this internship
- Why you are a good candidate for this position

**Please submit all application documents to Amelia Benstead ([amelia\\_benstead@nps.gov](mailto:amelia_benstead@nps.gov)) by Monday, January 3, 2022.**