

MIKAYLA R

GEOGRAPHY: Northern California and Bay Area, Pacific Northwest, Southern California

INDUSTRY: [Architecture/Planning](#), [Museum Work](#)

Education

Scripps College, Claremont Colleges • Claremont, Ca

- *Bachelor of Arts* in Art Conservation and French, Minor in Studio Art. Cum GPA 3.2

IFE, Internships in Francophone Europe • Paris, France *Semester Abroad*, January-May 2015

Preservation-related Experience

Wilson Conservation Intern, **Ruth Chandler Williamson Gallery**, Claremont, Ca • September 2013 to Present

- Lead initiatives in the preservation of pieces in the Scripps Collection
- Treated a variety of pieces in a variety of media, with an emphasis on outdoor sculpture
- Worked with conservator Donna Williams on projects including the Ft. Moore Pioneer Memorial
- Co-hosted and Curated 1 show per year
- Presented original research on plaster conservation to the museum's Advisory Committee

Museum Assistant, **Clark Humanities Museum**, Claremont, Ca • January 2013 to Present

- Assisted the director of the museum in organizational and office tasks
- Provided assistance and information to museum visitors
- Aided in the installation of approximately 4 exhibitions per semester

Conservation Intern, **Art Conservation de Rigueur**, San Francisco, Ca • June to August 2014

- Assisted the conservators in approximately 20 different conservation projects
- Executed projects including textiles, decorative arts, paintings, and sculpture

Researcher, **Potagers de France**, Versailles, France • April to May 2014

- Analyzed primary early 20th century texts on the history and foundation of the kitchen garden
- Assisted the yearly meeting of the association

Archival Assistant, **Potager du Roi**, Versailles, France • March to April 2014

- Created an organized and complete archive of written materials and texts on the garden
- Researched historic and modern conservation efforts undertaken at the garden
- Helped tend to the site with the gardening staff

Archivist Assistant, **Honnold Library**, Claremont, Ca • September 2012 to September 2013

- Created and organized collections of new acquisitions
- Provided care and preservation treatments to delicate books and manuscripts
- Created user-friendly online archives

Activities and Skills

- *Mellon Research Grant Recipient*, **Scripps College**, Claremont, Ca • May to July 2013
- *Leader of Japanese Print Archival Project*, **Student Philanthropy Day** • Oct 2014
- *Junior Class President*, **Scripps Associated Students** • May 2013- May 2014
- *Media Relations Chair*, **Scripps Associated Students** • May 2012- May 2013
- *President*, **Babes and Blankets** (a club that knits blankets for charity) • Sept 2012-May 2014

Skills

- Film and Digital Photography, including Photoshop, InDesign
- Writing and reading Condition Reports
- Conservation practices for many media, including plaster, textiles, paintings, outdoor sculpture, and objects
- Web Design, including WordPress; Social networking, including Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, etc.
- Fluent French speaker, reader, writer