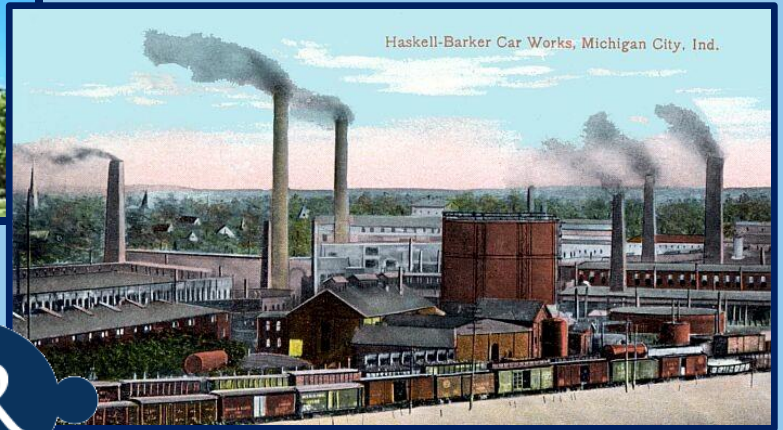


# Interns wanted at Michigan City's Barker Mansion



**Who:** College students studying history, preservation, education, communications, social studies, tourism, interpretation, writing, and more.

**What:** An internship with credits and hours TBD by your advisor.

**When:** Time frames flexible depending on academic requirements.

**Why:** Jump-start your museum career. Opportunities include:

- Archives organization
- Leading tours
- Planning special events
- Marketing

**Pay and housing:** None, though we can assist in finding housing

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# Meet our previous interns:

## *Keri Jakubowski*

**University:** Purdue North Central

**Major:** History major, Holistic Wellness minor

**Internship scope:** Keri created field trip curriculum based on State of Indiana Academic Standards. She was able to conduct research at local history institutions and meet with teachers to seek advice. Keri also participated in webinar training through the Indiana Historical Society. When not researching, Keri led mansion tours.



## *Bryn Cooley*

**University:** Valparaiso University

**Major:** History, English, and Humanities triple major

**Internship scope:** Bryn's interest in artifacts led her to create a user-friendly inventory of the mansion's artwork. Much photography and research went into obtaining facts that could be woven into mansion tours. When not working on this, Bryn gave tours and assisted with our arts-based "First Fridays" events.



## *Emily Reth*

**University:** Valparaiso University

**Major:** History major, Music minor

**Internship scope:** Emily's interest in planning events led her to create the "Barker Birthday Bash" which celebrated the anniversary of the mansion's placement on the National Register of Historic Places. Her time also included behind-the-scenes work with budgeting and advertising. Emily also led tours of the mansion. Emily has since been hired as the mansion's first-ever Heritage Interpreter and does everything from leading tours to organizing the archives to community outreach.

