

## DeGolyer Library Internship

Overall description: DeGolyer Library seeks an intern to assist with preparation for an exhibition on women's rights and suffrage, July-September 2020, on the occasion of the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the passage of the 19<sup>th</sup> amendment, giving women the right to vote in American elections.

exhibition. The exhibit will include materials on loan from two

Duties will include the following:

- x Create an overview of the exhibition
- x Research content for the exhibition
- x Determine content for the exhibition
- x Complete drafts of the exhibition
- x Identify and document materials on loan
- x Assist with digitization of materials

Qualifications:

- x Major or minor in history or related field, or demonstrated interest in the subject

19<sup>th</sup> c. to the present

- x Excellent research and writing skills
- x Strong attention to detail
- x Ability to meet deadlines
- x Ability to work well alone and in a group

Benefits:

- o A deeper understanding of American women's history in the period 1820-1920, through engagement with primary sources
- o Unpaid, but useful experience to add to one's resume, especially for someone interested in graduate school or a career in libraries, archives, or museums
- o Possible course credit (for history majors) as an independent study project
- o Estimated 8-10 hours per week

Start date:

Spring semester, 2020; possible extension to summer, 2020, depending on circumstances