



**University of Pennsylvania, School of Design
Assistant Professor / Graduate Program in Historic Preservation**

The School of Design at the University of Pennsylvania invites applications for a junior faculty member to join the Graduate Program in Historic Preservation, beginning in July 2012.

The School seeks a scholar and practitioner for an entry-level, tenure-track position who will contribute to the visibility and strategic vision of PennDesign, through collaboration with the Dean, other department and program leaders, and faculty. The appointment will be at the Assistant Professor level. The successful candidate's qualifications will include: a record of original research related to historic preservation; evidence of professional practice (in private, public or nonprofit sector); potential for leadership in the field; and the ability to teach core courses as well as advanced specialty topics. A Ph.D. or other terminal degree is required. Desirable areas of specialty include: history of architecture, landscape or technology; historic site management; documentation and recording methods; and community centered preservation advocacy. We encourage individuals with a commitment to leadership, scholarly research, and multidisciplinary practice, conducted in a lively intellectual environment, to apply for this position.

The University is an equal opportunity employer. Members of minority groups, women, individuals with disabilities and veterans are encouraged to apply.

The University of Pennsylvania was founded in 1740 by Benjamin Franklin to create a place that would offer practical as well as classical instruction in order to prepare students for real-world pursuits—a tradition that persists today. The Graduate Program in Historic Preservation offers the Master of Science in Historic Preservation degree, as well as dual-degrees (with other departments in the School of Design) and Certificates. The Graduate Program in Historic Preservation, with a body of approximately 70 students, is one of PennDesign's five distinguished academic programs, which also include Architecture, City Planning, the Fine Arts, and Landscape Architecture. PennDesign has a rich tradition of intellectual leadership in redefining the field of historic preservation and a reputation for excellence in conservation, planning, interdisciplinary thinking, history and theory, and cutting-edge research and application. The successful candidate will bring leadership and presence that builds upon the Department's long-standing reputation and be an effective advocate for the field in an increasingly open, dynamic, and international environment.

The Search Committee will accept applications until January 15, 2012. The position has an expected start date of July 1, 2012. To be considered, please submit the following:

1. A letter of intent;
2. A curriculum vitae including recent publications, research and professional experience; and
3. The names and contact information of three referees.

Please send materials via email to Karen Gomez (karenob@design.upenn.edu) according to these directions:

- The subject line of your email should read: "2012 HSPV Position_[YOUR NAME]"
- Save your material in one Adobe .pdf file titled: "2012 HSPV Position_[YOUR NAME]"

Questions can be directed to Karen Gomez by email or at the following address:

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