

# Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History High School Internship Program – Statement of Interest Questions



*There are three questions. Please respond to each question in 250 words or less.*

**Question 1: Why are you interested in interning at the National Museum of Natural History?**

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**Question 2: What do you enjoy doing when you are not at school?**

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**Question 3: How will this experience help you achieve your personal/academic goals?**

**Please rank your interests in the following topics.**

*(1 = Most interested, 3 = Least interested)*

\_\_\_ **Entomology:** Sorting of and classifying moth specimens for the Museum's collections.

\_\_\_ **Entomology:** Exploring key aspects such as acquisition, organization, preservation, maintenance, and enhancement of collections of insects including spiders, centipedes, and millipedes.

\_\_\_ **Exhibits:** Learning about the process of exhibit development and contribute to ongoing projects.