Foucault, what’s the best part of the new dorms?

The Weekly Archive

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Upcoming Events:

Monday, February 23 – March 5 – Registration for Spring Term

Tuesday, February 24 – Tabling in Sayles by Beloit College Summer Language Program – Learn Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, or Russian at Dean Bierman’s new home. Email falkt for a student’s view of the program.

Thursday, February 26 – Veblen-Clark Lecture - Gregory Clark, Professor of Economics, University of California, presents: "Was There Ever a Ruling Class? Surnames and Social Mobility in England over the Very Long Run, 1200–1914" in Severance Great Hall at 7:30PM.

Sunday, March 1 - Columbia and the London School of Economics Dual MA deadline.
http://www.worldhistory.columbia.edu/

Internship and Job Opportunities:

James Madison Memorial Fellowship: The Foundation offers two types of fellowships: Junior Fellowships are awarded to students who are about to complete, or have completed, their undergraduate course of study and plan to begin graduate work on a full-time basis for two years. Senior Fellowships are awarded to teachers who wish to undertake work for a graduate degree on a part-time basis through summer and evening classes for five years. Visit www.jamesmadison.com for more info.

Institute for Humane Studies will be offering free summer seminars on the ideas of liberty. Details about the dates and locations of all 12 seminars we’re offering are available at www.TheIHS.org/seminar.

Northwestern University - Global Engagement Summer Institute – March 2 application deadline. The program involves a 10-day preparatory institute in Chicago, followed by a 7 week, team based nonprofit immersion in either India, Argentina, and Uganda. The program concludes with a three day summit in Chicago. Visit http://www.mycge.org/ for more information.

Civitas Summer Professional Internship Program — Warsaw, Poland – Full-time private and non-profit internships in English. (June 1 - July 31, 2009). For more information, visit: http://www.globaleducationleadership.org/

United States International Trade Commission Internships, submitted by Falan Yinug, 96:
Economist: http://tinyurl.com/dyccas
Paralegal: http://tinyurl.com/d5zwx8
Management: http://tinyurl.com/d48cat

Nixon Presidential Library – Summer Internship and other intern and research opportunities at the Nixon Library on the Cold War and Presidential History. To apply, send a current resume, one or two letters of recommendation, a current transcript, and a cover letter to nixon@nara.gov. For Summer Internships, contact paul.musgrave@nara.gov, directly.
See also: http://www.nixonlibrary.gov

Midwestern State University, Wichita Falls, Texas. For the 2009-10 academic year several graduate assistantships for qualifying students seeking the MA degree in History. Total compensation for each one is $8,500 for nine-month academic year. Non-Texas residents will be recommended for in-state tuition. For more information, see http://www.mwsu.edu
For More Assistantships, Fellowships and Internships, see:

https://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/after/fellowships/

To contact Carleton History Alumni about grad schools and other opportunities, visit:

https://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/after/graduateschool/
https://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/after/careers/

Full listings of all available jobs, internships, and grants are available on the Carleton History Department website at:

http://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/after/

Links of Interest:

Gilda Lehrman Institute of American History

http://www.gilderlehrman.org/index.html

20th Century International Archives (Oxford Project)
The Fell funded project on 20th Century International Archives available in Oxford University is now live and on line. Click below, and try it out!
http://tcho.bodley.ox.ac.uk

For many other links of interest to historians, visit:
https://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/resourcesindex/

Today in HISTORY!

1455 - Traditional date for the publication of the Gutenberg Bible, the first Western book printed from movable type.
1868 - W.E.B. DuBois is born.

See also W.E.B. DuBois Institute for African American Research at Harvard, http://dubois.fas.harvard.edu/

1903 - Cuba leases Guantanamo Bay to the United States "in perpetuity".

1945 - During the Battle of Iwo Jima, a group of United States Marines and a commonly forgotten U.S. Navy Corpsman, reach the top of Mount Suribachi on the island and are photographed raising the American flag.

1991 - Ground troops cross the Saudi Arabia border and enter Iraq, thus starting the ground-phase of the Gulf War.
Across
3 AKA Iran
5 AKA Izmir
6 AKA London
8 AKA Sudan
10 AKA Thailand
13 AKA Myanmar
14 AKA India
15 AKA Nicaragua (two words, no space)

Down
1 AKA France
2 AKA Hawai‘i (two words, no space)
4 AKA Zimbabwe
7 AKA New York (two words, no space)
9 AKA Ireland
11 AKA Sri Lanka
12 AKA Congo