



WHERE

World Heritage
Research Experience
Scholars Program



The World Heritage Research Experience (WHERE) Scholars Program at the University of California, Merced is a new innovative, one-year undergraduate research program for students across all academic disciplines. The program focuses on natural and cultural heritage, the legacy of the human past, and how it is reflected today. Scholars conduct faculty-mentored research in conservation, preservation, management, and outreach related to cultural and natural heritage.

WHERE Scholars will be able to engage in:

- Design and develop research projects in the humanities and social sciences
- Make digital maps and GIS Databases of heritage places
- Create 3D visualizations and reconstructions of ancient cities and monuments
- Design virtual exhibits and museums to support heritage tourism

Previous projects include historic preservation research at Bodie State Historic Park using 3D modeling and drones to create more awareness and promote conservation and tourism. Another project by Dr. Nicola Lercari created the Fort Ross Virtual Warehouse Project, an educational video game designed to visualize history and educate through playing.

For more information visit:

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Application closes - Oct. 15, 2016

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Requirements for application:

Unofficial Transcript, Personal Statement, and Resumé

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