Undergraduate Research Assistant, Map of Inclusive Symbols and Spaces
Temporary, Part-Time Appointment, Fall 2020

The Map of Inclusive Spaces and Symbols at Harvard is an interactive web application that visualizes spaces around campus. Each data point will feature background and information on the symbol (e.g., public art honoring social justice leaders) and space (e.g., named buildings and departments). The data will also be tagged so that similar objects can be found by searching keywords. Learn more about MISS here.

With funding provided by the Culture Lab Innovation Fund from Harvard University's DIB Office, MISS is hiring an undergraduate research assistant for 6 weeks at 15-20 hours per week.

The research assistant will work closely with the MISS team over the fall semester to conduct a landscape analysis and build out content for the MISS online map. Tasks will include leading outreach to schools on their inclusive symbols and spaces, researching the history of symbols and spaces at Harvard, and other tasks as needed.

This remote, part-time position (15-20 hours per week) is only open to Harvard College students. The payrate is $20/hour.

Basic Requirements

Undergraduate studies in related discipline. Excellent research, writing, and organizational skills required. Experience with landscape analysis and literature reviews preferred. Interest in diversity, equity, and inclusion is a plus.

This is a temporary, non-residential appointment for six weeks.

Please send cover letter and CV to MISS project lead Tina Wei, at jtwei@g.harvard.edu.