



Helpline Enquiries

Art Restoration short courses

Enquiry

I have a Year 13 student who is planning to take a year out. She might be keen to pursue Fine Art Restoration. Are you aware of any short courses or summer schools that might offer her a chance to experience this?

Our reply

Fine Art Restoration is a specialist role and there are a limited number of courses available at any level or duration.

We recommend that the student contacts the professional bodies in the art conservation sector to ask for their recommendations as follows:

1. [The Institute of Conservation](#)

Training & Development Manager, Patrick White on [email](#) or on 0203 142 6788.

The student may also be interested in the information they supply on Undergraduate, Post Graduate and Apprenticeships.

2. [The British Association of Paintings Conservator-Restorers](#)

Short Courses (Most in London).

1. London Metropolitan University – [Short Course in Restoration and Conservation](#)

2. West Dean College, West Sussex – [Short Course in Conservation](#)

3. University of The Arts London – [Principles of Collections Management – 2 days](#)

4. Sotheby's Institute of Art – [Online Short Course Catalogue](#)

5. The London School of Picture and Frame Conservation – courses typically run for 1 day per week across 3 or 4 terms. For a list of courses click [here](#).

6. Victoria and Albert Academy – [Short courses](#)

7. The Courtauld Institute of Art – [Short Courses](#)

8. City and Guilds of London Art School – [Art Summer School](#)

Volunteering

There are also number of volunteering opportunities that may be of interest

[English Heritage](#)

[National Trust](#)

[The Russell Cotes Gallery](#)

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