AAAP 431/531 Spring 2021

NATIONAL REGISTER NOMINATION

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National Register Nomination is a core course for students in the Historic Preservation program that examines the regulatory and technical requirements for nominating a property to the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). Mastery of the National Register (NR) evaluation framework is required for most types of historic documentation at the local, state, and federal levels. In order to develop the necessary NR evaluation skills, each student will thoroughly document an individual historic property through field survey and research; complete a well-researched, persuasive NR nomination; and deliver key findings in a formal class presentation. This lecture- and discussion-based course also introduces historic districts with a field trip to a historic district in Portland.

With satisfactory completion of the nomination report, class presentation, tour, and supporting assignments, students will be able to (1) complete the NR nomination form for historic Oregon properties; (2) assess individual historic properties using the NR Criteria for Evaluation, Criteria Considerations, and seven aspects of historic integrity; (3) develop historic contexts; (4) identify and justify historic property boundaries; and (5) implement enhanced property research skills and strategies. Due to academic calendar time constraints, students are not required to formally submit their nominations to the National Park Service.

Degree requirement fulfillment: Cultural Resource Management and Resource Identification and Evaluation

Prerequisite: AAAP 511 / Introduction to Historic Preservation



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