This directory lists all institutions offering ALA-accredited Master’s Programs in Library and Information Studies. The status of each program is correct as of the date noted above. Please consult the searchable database of ALA-accredited programs, available online at [http://www.ala.org/accreditedprograms/directory/search](http://www.ala.org/accreditedprograms/directory/search), to search by specific program criteria, including location, distance education offerings, and areas of concentration or career pathways.
This directory provides information about all library and information studies programs that are accredited by the American Library Association (ALA). The information in this directory is current as of the report date above.

Programs are listed alphabetically by the name of the institution. Each entry includes contact information, the name of the accredited program, the date through which it is accredited, the accreditation status, distance education opportunities, and areas of concentration or career pathways within the program. If you have any questions about a program, please contact the program directly. ALA accredits master’s programs in the U.S., Canada, and the United Kingdom only.

All programs listed in this directory are accredited by the ALA and hold one of four accredited statuses:

- **Conditional accreditation status** is assigned to a program that must make changes to comply with the Standards for Accreditation to enable accreditation beyond the date specified. Programs with conditional accreditation status remain accredited and are listed in the directory of ALA-accredited programs. This status may be conferred following the comprehensive review or following issuance of a Notice of Concern.
- **Continued accreditation status** is granted to accredited programs following a comprehensive review that demonstrate with evidence their conformity to the Standards. Also known as “accredited.”
- **Initial accreditation status** indicates that a program has demonstrated compliance with the Standards for Accreditation and has been granted accreditation for the first time following a period of Candidacy status and comprehensive review. Initial accreditation applies retroactively for students who complete degree requirements 24 months prior to the date that Initial accreditation is granted.
- **Withdrawn, Appeal Pending.** While an appeal is in process, the program retains Conditional accreditation status with regard to student status and program reporting requirements. When the COA withdraws accreditation from a program, any student who is enrolled in the program before the withdrawal of accreditation and who completes the degree requirements within twenty-four (24) months after the withdrawal date is considered to have graduated from an ALA-accredited program.

For more information on accreditation statuses, see Accreditation Process, Policies and Procedures (AP3), available online at [www.ala.org/accreditation](http://www.ala.org/accreditation).
ALABAMA, UNIVERSITY OF

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association

Master of Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2025)

Accreditation granted June 24, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs

Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Book Arts
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other: NOTE: School Library Media is a formal concentration; all others are career pathways

Other degrees/educational opportunities

Other Master's Degree
PhD
**ALBANY, UNIVERSITY AT, SUNY (Continued accreditation)**

Degree programs accredited by the American Library Association

Master of Science in Information Science (Next Review: 2027)


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Web: [http://www.albany.edu/cehc/programs/ms-information-science](http://www.albany.edu/cehc/programs/ms-information-science)

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| Student Achievement data: | [https://www.albany.edu/cehc/office-dean/assessment-and-accreditation](https://www.albany.edu/cehc/office-dean/assessment-and-accreditation) |

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| Contact: Graduate Admissions  
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Phone: (518) 442-3980 |

| Admissions  |

| Contact: Student Financial Center  
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Phone: (518) 442-3202 |

| Financial Aid  |

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**Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)**

100% online program available

**Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs**

- Academic Librarianship  
- Archival Studies  
- Information Systems Design/Analysis  
- Management and Administration  
- Organization of Information  
- Public Librarianship  
- Records Management  
- Reference and User Services  
- School Librarianship  
- Special Collections  
- Special/Corporate Librarianship  
- Thesis Option  
- Young Adult Services  
- Other: Information Policy; Intelligence Analysis; Data Analytics

**Other degrees/educational opportunities**

- Dual/Joint Degree  
- PhD  
- Post-Master's Certifications

**Notes:** Dual degree avail. with M.A. in English or History; Combined Bachelor's/Master's Program
ALBERTA, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2028)


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Student Achievement Click here to view Achievement data:

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD

Notes: MLIS, MA Humanities Computing/MLIS, MBA/MLIS, PhD
ARIZONA, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Arts in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2027)


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Student Achievement data:  Click here to view Achievement data:

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
Satellite or other broadcast methods
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Dual degree with Middle Eastern Studies; Dual degree with Journalism

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Our certificates include: Archival Studies, Medical & Community Health Information, Instruction & Teaching for Librarians & Information Professionals, Digital Information Management, Law Librarianship and Legal Information & Scholarly Communication
BRITISH COLUMBIA, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2024)
Accreditation granted January 22, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Human-Computer Interaction; First Nations Curriculum Concentration

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: One core and some elective courses offered online
BUFFALO, UNIVERSITY AT, SUNY (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Information and Library Science (also encompasses the Master of Science in School Librarianship) (Next Review: 2023)
Accreditation granted June 28, 2015. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Music Librarianship
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Thesis Option

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES, UNIVERSITY OF  
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2026)


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**Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)**
None available

**Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs**
- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Book Arts
- Children’s Services
- Cultural Heritage Information Management
- Digital Libraries
- Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
- Information Systems Design/Analysis
- Knowledge Management
- Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
- Management and Administration
- Music Librarianship
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- Records Management
- Reference and User Services
- Science Librarianship
- Special Collections
- Special/Corporate Librarianship
- Thesis Option
- Young Adult Services

**Other degrees/educational opportunities**
- Other Master's Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications
CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA, THE (Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2024)

Accreditation granted June 26, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Organization of Information
School Librarianship
Other: Community Services Librarianship, Data Science, Generalist, Information Analysis, Information Architecture

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
Post-Master's Certifications
**CHICAGO STATE UNIVERSITY  (Initial accreditation)**

**Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association**

Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2027)

Accreditation granted June 23, 2019. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Student Achievement: [http://www.csu.edu/macs/infostudies/lib_info_science_ms.htm](http://www.csu.edu/macs/infostudies/lib_info_science_ms.htm)

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**Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)**
- Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
- 100% online program available

**Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs**
- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Public Librarianship
- School Librarianship

**Other degrees/educational opportunities**
None available

**Notes:** Non-school library concentrations are 100% online. School library concentration is primarily online with some face-to-face courses.
DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Information (Next Review: 2027)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Other: Librarianship, Archives, User-centred design, Information management and policy, Data management.

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/ Joint Degree
Other Master’s Degree

Notes: MLIS/JD, MLIS/MPA, MLIS/MREM; Interdisciplinary PhD
DENVER, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2026)
Accreditation granted June 24, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Student Achievement data: https://morgridge.du.edu/about/accreditation/library-and-information-science-ala-accreditation

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Still offers a face-to-face program.
DOMINICAN UNIVERSITY (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2022)
Accreditation granted January 10, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
- Face-to-face courses at other locations
- Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
- Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
- Satellite or other broadcast methods
- 100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Book Arts
- Children's Services
- Cultural Heritage Information Management
- Digital Libraries
- Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
- Information Systems Design/Analysis
- Knowledge Management
- Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
- Management and Administration
- Music Librarianship
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- Records Management
- Reference and User Services
- School Librarianship
- Science Librarianship
- Special Collections
- Special/Corporate Librarianship
- Young Adult Services
- Other: Informatics

Other degrees/educational opportunities
- Continuing Education (non-degree)
- Dual/Joint Degree
- Other Master's Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications
DREXEL UNIVERSITY (Continued accreditation)
Degree programs(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science (Library and Information Science) (Next Review: 2025)

Accreditation granted February 11, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Archival Studies
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Knowledge Management
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Library and Information Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: 6 optional MS concentrations available.
EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY  (Initial accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library Science (Next Review: 2022)

Accreditation granted February 1, 2015. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Continuing Education (non-degree)
EMPORIA STATE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)  
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association  
Master of Library Science (Next Review: 2023)  
Accreditation granted January 9, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.  

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)  
- Face-to-face courses at other locations  
- Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered  
- Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required  

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs  
- Archival Studies  
- Children's Services  
- Management and Administration  
- School Librarianship  
- Thesis Option  
- Young Adult Services  

Other degrees/educational opportunities  
- Continuing Education (non-degree)  
- Dual/Joint Degree  
- Other Master's Degree  
- PhD  
- Post-Master's Certifications
FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)  
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association  
Master of Science (Next Review: 2027)  
Master of Arts (Next Review: 2027)  


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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)  
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs  
Academic Librarianship  
Children's Services  
Digital Libraries  
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics  
Information Systems Design/Analysis  
Management and Administration  
Organization of Information  
Public Librarianship  
Reference and User Services  
School Librarianship  
Thesis Option  
Young Adult Services  
Other: Specialized Study in Museum Theory and Practice (on campus)

Other degrees/educational opportunities  
Bachelor's Degree  
Dual/Joint Degree  
Other Master's Degree  
PhD  
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Graduate Certificates; Specialist Degree
HAWAII, UNIVERSITY OF
(Continued accreditation)
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2023)
Accreditation granted January 10, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Management and Administration
Organizational Information
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Asian and Pacific Materials Specialization

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: PhD Info: http://www.hawaii.edu/cis/
ILLINOIS AT URBANA-CHAMPAIGN, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2026)


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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs

Academic Librarianship  
Archival Studies  
Children's Services  
Cultural Heritage Information Management  
Digital Libraries  
Information Systems Design/Analysis  
Knowledge Management  
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services  
Management and Administration  
Music Librarianship  
Organization of Information  
Public Librarianship  
Reference and User Services  
School Librarianship  
Science Librarianship  
Special Collections  
Special/Corporate Librarianship  
Thesis Option  
Young Adult Services  
Other: Data Curation; Data Analytics; Community Informatics; Information Consulting

Other degrees/educational opportunities

Continuing Education (non-degree)  
Dual/Joint Degree  
Other Master's Degree  
PhD  
Post-Master's Certifications
INDIANA UNIVERSITY - BLOOMINGTON (Continued accreditation)

Degree programs accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library Science (Next Review: 2027)
Master of Information Science (Next Review: 2027)

Accreditation granted June 23, 2019. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)

Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs

Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Music Librarianship
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Young Adult Services
Other: African Studies Librarianship; Chemical Information Specialist; Information Architecture; Library Technology Management; Rare Books and Manuscripts

Other degrees/educational opportunities

Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
INDIANA UNIVERSITY PURDUE UNIVERSITY INDIANAPOLIS  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2027)
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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited programs
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
IOWA, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Arts in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2024)
Accreditation granted June 26, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Book Arts
Children's Services
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Digital Humanities, Informatics

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree

KENT STATE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree programs accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2026)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children’s Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Knowledge Management
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Museum Studies

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master’s Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
KENTUCKY, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Library Science (Next Review: 2026)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2023)

Accreditation granted January 10, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Public Librarianship
Records Management
School Librarianship
Special Collections
Young Adult Services
Other: Rare Books

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Dual Degree Program with NYU
LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY (Continued accreditation)

Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2029)

Accreditation granted June 2029, with Special Report due by March 1, 2023: Describe the student services offered to SLIS Online students by SLIS or the University to meet their needs and how they compare to services offered to LSU Online students (IV.5.4). Provide updates on a broad-based systematic planning process that involves all constituencies the program seeks to serve (I.1, I.1.4) and show that the curriculum includes input from representatives from those served including “students, employers, alumni, and other constituents”) (II.5). Demonstrate that the program has the “administrative infrastructure, financial support, and resources to ensure that its goals and objectives can be accomplished,” including availability of institutional information to address the lack of compliance with the abovementioned standards (V.1).

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Children's Services
- Digital Libraries
- Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
- Information Systems Design/Analysis
- Knowledge Management
- Management and Administration
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- Reference and User Services
- School Librarianship
- Special Corporate Librarianship
- Thesis Option
- Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
- Dual/Joint Degree

Notes: Joint degree: LIS/History
MARYLAND, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree programs accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2028)


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Distance education options for ALA-accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Children's Services
- Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
- Knowledge Management
- Public Librarianship
- Records Management
- School Librarianship
- Special/Corporate Librarianship
- Thesis Option
- Young Adult Services
- Other: E-Government, Information and Diverse Populations, Lifelong Access

Other degrees/educational opportunities
- Other Master's Degree
- PhD

Notes: Other location-Universities at Shady Grove (MD)
MCGILL UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)  
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association  
Accreditation granted January 22, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)  
None available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs  
Archival Studies  
Knowledge Management  
Other: Librarianship

Other degrees/educational opportunities  
PhD  
Post-Master's Certifications
MICHIGAN, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Information (Next Review: 2025)
Accreditation granted June 24, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
None available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Music Librarianship
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
School Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Information Analysis and Retrieval, Social Computing, Information Economics

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD

Notes: Masters of Health Informatics and 7 dual degrees
MISSOURI, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program/s accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2023)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
- Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
- 100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Digital Libraries
- Management and Administration
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- Reference and User Services
- School Librarianship

Other degrees/educational opportunities
- Dual/Joint Degree
- Other Master's Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Joint Degree with MU School of Law
MONTRÉAL, UNIVERSITÉ DE  (Continued accreditation)
Maitrise en sciences de l'information (Next Review: 2022)
Accreditation granted February 1, 2015. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Thesis Option

Other degrees/educational opportunities
PhD
### Directory of ALA-accredited programs

**NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL, UNIVERSITY OF (Continued accreditation)**

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association:
- Master of Science in Library Science (Next Review: 2029)
- Master of Science in Information Science (Next Review: 2029)

Accreditation granted through June 2029. Meets all standards. Follow-up reporting required by February 15, 2024: 1) Student Learning Outcomes for the MSLS degree (Standard I.2) assessment through direct and indirect measures, and what data have been collected about these outcomes (Standard I.1.2) and 2) What is learned from these assessments and are changes planned or have been implemented based on the data collected (Standard I.6).

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### Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)

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### Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs

- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Children's Services
- Cultural Heritage Information Management
- Digital Libraries
- Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
- Information Systems Design/Analysis
- Knowledge Management
- Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
- Management and Administration
- Music Librarianship
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- Records Management
- Reference and User Services
- School Librarianship
- Science Librarianship
- Special Collections
- Special/Corporate Librarianship
- Thesis Option
- Young Adult Services
- Other: Data Management/Curation; Social Studies of Information

### Other degrees/educational opportunities

- Bachelor's Degree
- Dual/Joint Degree
- Other Master's Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications
NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO, THE UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Master of Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2026)


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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
School Librarianship
Other: General program with option to work with advisor to develop specialization.

Other degrees/educational opportunities
None available
NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library Science (Next Review: 2024)

Continued Accreditation granted January 22, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
Post-Master's Certifications
NORTH TEXAS, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science (Next Review: 2028)

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Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Music Librarianship
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Distributed Learning Librarianship
Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
Notes: Face-to-face, blended and online courses available
OKLAHOMA, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2029)

Accreditation granted June 29, 2029. Meets all Standards. No follow-up reporting.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
Satellite or other broadcast methods
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD

Notes: Accelerated BA/MLIS, Graduate Certificates
OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY  (Initial accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
(Next Review: 2028)
Accreditation granted January 20, 2022. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Assessment and Evaluation

Other degrees/educational opportunities
None available
OTTAWA, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Information Studies (Next Review: 2028)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
None available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
- Academic Librarianship
- Knowledge Management
- Management and Administration
- Organization of Information
- Records Management
- Thesis Option
- Other: Information Policy

Other degrees/educational opportunities
- Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Bilingual program (English/French)
PENNSYLVANIA WESTERN UNIVERSITY - CLARION (Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association

Master of Science in Library Science (Next Review: 2026)
Accreditation granted June 24, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Management and Administration
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: No longer offer classes in Harrisburg
PITTSBURGH, UNIVERSITY OF  

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association

Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2028)

Accreditation granted June 25, 2021, with follow-up reporting due on February 15, 2024, on Standards I.1 (program’s mission and goals pursued through implementation of an ongoing, broad-based, systematic planning process), I.1.1 (continuous review and revision of the program’s vision, mission, goals, objectives, and student learning outcomes), I.1.2 (assessment of attainment of program goals, program objectives, and student learning outcomes), I.1.3 (improvements to the program based on analysis of assessment data), I.1.4 (communication of planning policies and processes to program constituents), I.5 (program has explicit, documented evidence of its ongoing decision-making processes and the data to substantiate the evaluation of the program’s success in achieving its mission, goals and objectives), I.6 (program demonstrates how the results of the evaluation are systematically used to improve the program and to plan for the future), II.6 (documented evidence to substantiate evaluation of curricular), III.1 (faculty capable of accomplishing program objectives), and III.7 (faculty assignments relate to the needs of the program and to the competencies of individual faculty members).

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Data Stewardship

Other degrees/educational opportunities
PhD
PRATT INSTITUTE  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association  
Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2024)
Accreditation granted January 22, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)  
None available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs  
Academic Librarianship  
Archival Studies  
Children's Services  
Cultural Heritage Information Management  
Digital Libraries  
Information Systems Design/Analysis  
Knowledge Management  
Management and Administration  
Organization of Information  
Public Librarianship  
Reference and User Services  
Special Collections  
Special/Corporate Librarianship  
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities  
Dual/Joint Degree  
Other Master's Degree  
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: MSLIS & MA History of Art and Design
**PUERTO RICO, UNIVERSITY OF**
(Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Information Sciences (Next Review: 2023)
Accreditation granted June 28, 2015. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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**Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)**
Face-to-face courses at other locations
100% online program available

**Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs**
Knowledge Management
School Librarianship

**Other degrees/educational opportunities**
Post-Master's Certifications

**Notes:** School Library Media Cert. Program is 100% online
QUEENS COLLEGE, CUNY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library Science (Next Review: 2023)
Accreditation granted February 1, 2015. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Post-Master's Certifications
RHODE ISLAND, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2026)
Accreditation granted June 24, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Children's Services
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
RUTGERS, THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW JERSEY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Information (Next Review: 2026)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Archival Studies
School Librarianship
Other: Library and Information Science; Data Science; Interaction Design and Informatics; Technology, Information & Management

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
PhD

Notes: Both campus & online delivery options available.
SAN JOSE STATE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2029)
Accreditation granted June 29, 2029. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Management and Administration
Organizations of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Emerging Technologies; Web Programming; digital curation

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
SIMMONS UNIVERSITY (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
(Next Review: 2025)
Accreditation granted February 11, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered
Satellite or other broadcast methods
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
SOUTH CAROLINA, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2025)
Accreditation granted June 24, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
Satellite or other broadcast methods
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Knowledge Management
Management and Administration
Music Librarianship
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
SOUTH FLORIDA, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Arts in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2024)
Accreditation granted June 26, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Other Master's Degree

Notes: MS in Intelligence Studies available. VA, WV & DE residents are treated as in-state students.
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, UNIVERSITY OF   (Initial accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Management in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2024)

Accreditation granted January 22, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Management and Administration

Other degrees/educational opportunities
None available
**SOUTHERN CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY**  (Initial accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association

Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2028)

Initial Accreditation granted June 26, 2020 with follow-up reporting due February 15, 2022 related to Standard II. Curriculum, regarding progress on curriculum planning and development; Standard III.1-2 and 7 Faculty, regarding progress on faculty recruitment and with research productivity; and Standard V. 10 Administration, Finance, and Resources, regarding resolution of facility and space.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)  
100% online program available

**Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs**  
- Academic Librarianship  
- Archival Studies  
- Children's Services  
- Digital Libraries  
- Knowledge Management  
- Organization of Information  
- Public Librarianship  
- Reference and User Services  
- School Librarianship  
- Thesis Option  
- Other: Individualized Programs

**Other degrees/educational opportunities**  
- Bachelor's Degree
SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI, THE UNIVERSITY OF  
(Continued accreditation)
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2027)

Accreditation granted June 23, 2019. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Dual MA/M's with History, Anthropology or Political Science - only SLIS portion is online

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree

Notes: Real-time chats required for each online course, Graduate Certificates
ST. CATHERINE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2025)
Accreditation granted February 11, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Continuing Education (non-degree)

Notes:  15 cr.post-masters certificate of advanced study
ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2026)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Public Librarianship
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Dual Deg: MA Public History/MSLIS; MA Gov't/MSLIS
SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2023)

Accreditation granted January 10, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
School Librarianship
Other: Data Science

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
TENNESSEE, UNIVERSITY OF   (Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Science in Information Sciences (Next Review: 2024)
Accreditation granted June 26, 2016. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Knowledge Management
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services
Other: Data Curation; Social and Community Informatics; Information Technology; Human Computer Interaction

Other degrees/educational opportunities
PhD

Notes: Interdisciplinary minor Computational Sciences
TEXAS AT AUSTIN, UNIVERSITY OF
(Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association

Master of Science in Information Studies (Next Review: 2029)

Accreditation granted June 24, 2029. Meets all standards. Follow-up reporting required by February 15, 2024 regarding:
• How student learning outcomes are measured using the new program requirements, including the methods of assessment (direct and indirect performance measures) that indicate how students performed directly related to student learning outcomes, beyond a single grade, and how the findings are used in program and curriculum decision-making (Standards II.3, II.5-7, IV.4, IV.6, IV.7, and IV.8)
• Provide an update on the status of the Pathway Advising Tool implementation and its effect on faculty/student advising. Describe the advising process that ensures that students are constructing a coherent program of study. (II.3, IV.4 and IV.5.3)

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Distance education options for ALA-accredited program(s)
None available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Organization of Information
Records Management
School Librarianship
Special Collections
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library Science (Next Review: 2025)
Master of Arts in Library Science (Next Review: 2025)

Accreditation granted June 24, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Management and Administration
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
### Toronto, University of

**Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association**

Master of Information (Next Review: 2025)

Accreditation granted June 24, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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**Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)**

- Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

**Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs**

- Academic Librarianship
- Archival Studies
- Cultural Heritage Information Management
- Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
- Information Systems Design/Analysis
- Knowledge Management
- Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
- Management and Administration
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- Records Management
- Reference and User Services
- Science Librarianship
- Special Collections
- Special/Corporate Librarianship
- Thesis Option
- Young Adult Services

**Other degrees/educational opportunities**

- Bachelor's Degree
- Continuing Education (non-degree)
- Dual/Joint Degree
- Other Master's Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications

**Notes:** Dual degree: MI/JD; Concurrent Degree: MI/MMSt;
UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA  (Initial accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
(Next Review: 0)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Face-to-face courses at other locations
Primarily online with some face-to-face courses required
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Public Librarianship
School Librarianship
Thesis Option
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)

- Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs

- Archival Studies
- Children's Services
- Cultural Heritage Information Management
- Digital Libraries
- Health Sciences Librarianship
- Health Informatics
- Information Systems Design/Analysis
- Law Librarianship
- Legal Information Services
- Organization of Information
- Records Management
- School Librarianship
- Special Collections
- Thesis Option
- Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities

- Dual/Joint Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications
VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2028)

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
WASHINGTON, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2027)

Accreditation granted January 22, 2021, with follow-up reporting due October 1, 2021, and October 1, 2022, on Standards I.1 (program’s mission and goals pursued through implementation of an ongoing, broad-based, systematic planning process), I.4 (evaluation of program goals and objectives involving those served: students, faculty, employers, alumni, and other constituents), I.5 (explicit, documented evidence of its ongoing decision-making processes and the data to substantiate the evaluation of the program’s success in achieving its mission, goals and objectives), II.1 (The curriculum is based on goals and objectives, and evolves in response to an ongoing systematic planning process involving representation from all constituencies).

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Bachelor's Degree
Dual/Joint Degree
Other Master's Degree
PhD
Post-Master's Certifications
WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2024)

Accreditation granted January 22, 2017. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Cultural Heritage Information Management
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special Collections
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Urban Librarianship

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Dual/Joint Degree
Post-Master's Certifications

Notes: Online Graduate Certificates available
WESTERN ONTARIO, UNIVERSITY OF (WESTERN UNIVERSITY)  (Continued accreditation)
Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Library and Information Science (Next Review: 2026)
Accreditation granted June 24, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
Primarily face-to-face with select online courses offered

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Management and Administration
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services
Other: Community Development, Developing Collections, Information Officer (Specialist)

Other degrees/educational opportunities
PhD
WISCONSIN-MADISON, UNIVERSITY OF  (Continued accreditation)
Degree programs accredited by the American Library Association
Master of Arts in Library and Information Studies (Next Review: 2022)

Accreditation granted February 1, 2015. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)
100% online program available

Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs
Academic Librarianship
Archival Studies
Children's Services
Digital Libraries
Health Sciences Librarianship/Health Informatics
Information Systems Design/Analysis
Law Librarianship/Legal Information Services
Management and Administration
Music Librarianship
Organization of Information
Public Librarianship
Records Management
Reference and User Services
School Librarianship
Science Librarianship
Special/Corporate Librarianship
Young Adult Services

Other degrees/educational opportunities
Continuing Education (non-degree)
Dual/Joint Degree
PhD
**Wisconsin-Milwaukee, University of**  
(Continued accreditation)

Degree program(s) accredited by the American Library Association

Accreditation granted February 11, 2018. Meets all standards. No follow-up reporting required.

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**Distance education options for ALA-Accredited program(s)**

100% online program available

### Areas of concentration/career pathways within ALA-accredited programs

- Archival Studies
- Organization of Information
- Public Librarianship
- School Librarianship
- Other: Public Library Leadership; Archives & Records Management; Information Technology

### Other degrees/educational opportunities

- Bachelor's Degree
- Continuing Education (non-degree)
- Dual/Joint Degree
- PhD
- Post-Master's Certifications

**Notes:** Transcript Designations available