

**American Library Association
Committee on Accreditation**

**Accreditation Decisions and Actions Taken
Midwinter Meeting 2021**

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At its Midwinter Meeting, held January 22, 2021, the ALA Committee on Accreditation (COA) took the following actions:

Accreditation Decisions

Continued Accreditation status was granted to the following program with the next comprehensive review visit scheduled to take place in spring 2028, reflecting a one-year extension to next visit extended to all programs due to the disruptions caused by the pandemic.

- Master of Library and Information Science at the University of Washington. Follow up reporting due on October 1, 2021, and October 1, 2022.

External Review Panel Appointments

- Approved External Review Panels (ERP) for fall 2022 comprehensive review visits to Louisiana State University, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, University of Oklahoma, San Jose State University, and University of Texas at Austin.
- Approved ERP chairs for fall 2022 comprehensive review visits to Dominican University, East Carolina University, University of Montreal, Queens College, CUNY, and University of Wisconsin-Madison.

Reports from programs

- Reviewed and responded to one special report.