

SCHOOL OF LIBRARY SCIENCE

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Courses

Library Science

LSC 500 Library Foundations 3 Credit hours

Includes the basics of library careers including topics on library types, information organization, collection development, reference services, library management, and library history.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 505 Library Organization 3 Credit hours

Introduction to practices, tools, and standards for information environments such as information structures, retrieval systems, cataloging, the MARC record, metadata standards, description, subject analysis, vocabularies, and systems for categorization.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 510 Library Research Skills 3 Credit hours

This course covers the techniques to design and implement effective information literacy programs, use discovery tools, perform research, reference interviews, resource evaluation, and deploy innovative teaching techniques.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 515 Library Management 3 Credit hours

Prepares students to lead and evaluate library services; includes topics on organizational structure, basics of personnel management, strategic planning, policy development, external reporting, and metrics for closing the assessment loop.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 520 Ethical Librarianship 3 Credit hours

This course explores ethical challenges for libraries in the digital age, focusing on DEI, community advocacy, legal frameworks, combating misinformation, and AI implications in library settings.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 580 Special Topics 3 Credit hours

This special topics course will cover a specific area of interest in Library and Information Science for the MSLS. Topics will vary based on trends, faculty expertise, and student interest.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 581 Special Topics 3 Credit hours

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LSC 582 Special Topics

3 Credit hours

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LSC 583 Special Topics

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 585 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

This course is set as an independent study in Library and Information Science. The independent study will vary based on faculty expertise and student needs.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 586 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 587 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 588 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 600 Library Access Services

3 Credit hours

This course explores strategies and technologies for seamless user access and resource sharing in libraries, enhancing web-based, print, and in-person experiences to improve patron satisfaction and engagement.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 605 Collection Development

3 Credit hours

This course develops proficiency in building, managing, and assessing library collections, covering principles, strategies, budget considerations, and demographic alignment to meet diverse user needs.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 610 Library Resource Management

3 Credit hours

This course introduces practical skills in the latest library technologies, enhancing services for efficient access, organization, and preservation of information resources.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 615 Print/Digital Preservation

3 Credit hours

This course provides an in-depth exploration for preserving cultural heritage and information resources in evolving library landscapes, covering both print and digital formats.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 620 Library Marketing Skills

3 Credit hours

Introduces marketing techniques and programming for various library types and services. Topics include, but are not limited to, messaging, grant writing, and fundraising to enhance library facilities, services, and collections.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 625 Library Internship

3-9 Credit hours

An optional hands-on experience applying theoretical knowledge to practical scenarios while enhancing skills under professional guidance. Current library workers must intern in a different department or library from their area.

Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 650 Special Topics

3 Credit hours

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LSC 651 Special Topics

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 652 Special Topics

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 653 Special Topics

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 685 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 686 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 687 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode

LSC 688 Independent Study

3 Credit hours

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Grade Mode: Normal Grading Mode