

Special Libraries Association, Military Libraries Division (DMIL)

STUDENT LIAISON UPDATE

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The following resources were compiled by DMIL for the interest of current students and recent graduates in library and information science.

Professional Opportunities

INTERNSHIPS, FELLOWSHIPS & JOBS

Library and Research Intern, AARP (Washington, DC)

<https://careers.aarp.org/ShowJob/Id/2076127/Library-and-Research-Intern/>

The Library & Strategic Services Department of AARP is looking for a strong Master's-level Library graduate student to serve as a paid year-round intern. The internship will provide the student with hands-on experience in conducting secondary research using a vast array of databases, as well as experience in interpreting and synthesizing research findings. It provides the chance to do meaningful work that impacts society, and the opportunity for making relevant professional connections. This position offers an exciting opportunity to work with the largest social welfare organization in the country and is an excellent way for a talented graduate student interested in Library Science and research to acquire hands-on experience as part of a small, committed and professional team.

Digitization Internship, National Archives and Records Administration (Washington, DC)

<https://archivesgig.com/2019/07/29/washington-dc-paid-student-intern-joint-institute-for-the-study-of-atmosphere-the-ocean/>

<https://www.archives.gov/press/press-releases/nr18-24>

Student-interns are trained to operate high-resolution digital imaging equipment located in the National Archives Innovation Hub. They learn about archives operations, document handling and preservation, metadata creation, and the technical details underlying the digitization of cultural heritage materials. During the academic year, the internship will be a time commitment of around 20 hours per week, and interns are provided a monthly stipend of \$1,260. All student interns on this program must be U.S. Citizens or Permanent Residents.

See also:

- *Internships, Fellowships, and Other Work Experience Opportunities in the Federal Government*
<https://www.everycrsreport.com/reports/98-654.html>
- *Information Science, Library and Archives Internships*
(<https://libternshipwordpress.wordpress.com/blog/>)
- USAJOBS (<https://www.usajobs.gov/>). Search for the following job codes: "1410" (librarian), "1411" (library technician), or "1420" (archivist).
- Special Library Association Career Center Home (<https://careers.sla.org/>)

UPCOMING CONFERENCES & TRAINING

The Breakthrough Conference: Preparing Today's Librarians for Tomorrow's Possibilities

September 12, 2019, in Washington, DC

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-breakthrough-conference-tickets-60648744026>

Computers are getting faster and more connected, new applications are introduced daily, & Artificial Intelligence (AI) is making leaps. Libraries must show their importance to their institutions and help their customers see the benefit they bring to their organizations. At this inaugural Breakthrough Conference, hosted at the International Monetary Fund in collaboration with The World Bank and the Special Libraries Association Washington DC Chapter, library and information professionals will explore themes about the future of library and information work in an era of rapid technological change and the role of librarianship in our data driven economy.

Military Libraries Training Workshop (MLTW) 2019

December 10-12, 2019 in Crystal City, VA

Application deadline for the Student Stipend Award is September 30, 2019!

MLTW is the biennial conference of the Military Libraries Division of SLA. It is open to all that have an interest in the military library community. The Workshop features nationally known keynote speakers and high-quality programs addressing issues pertinent to the military librarianship. It is the best opportunity to meet librarians from all branches of the military and from different types of libraries (academic, technical, medical, and MWR). For more information contact the newsletter editor at mjkwon@gmail.com.

Western Association of Map Libraries (WAML) Annual Conference

September 18-21, 2019 in Reno, NV

<http://www.waml.org/conf/>

In celebration of the interdisciplinary character of mapping, this year's annual meeting will highlight the growing fields of Spatial Humanities and STEAM education (Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts and Mathematics). These are two areas where geospatial libraries are already having influence and can make rich contributions to scholarship and practice, with both physical and digital spaces, collections, and services.

WAML is an independent association of map and geospatial librarians and other people with an interest in maps and geospatial librarianship. WAML is committed to actively encouraging diverse voices and new perspectives in the field of map and geospatial librarianship and within our organization.

See also:

- [Conference Calendar](#), compiled by *Information Today*

Libraryland News & Articles

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[http://shfg.wildapricot.org/resources/Documents/FH%207%20\(2015\)%20Anderson.pdf](http://shfg.wildapricot.org/resources/Documents/FH%207%20(2015)%20Anderson.pdf)
- Irvin, Aaron (A1C). "Airman bridges the gap with Career Skills Program," U. S. Air Force Personnel Center, July 19, 2019. <https://www.afpc.af.mil/News/Article-Display/Article/1914211/airman-bridges-the-gap-with-career-skills-program/>
- "NAS Pensacola MWR Library Recognized for Breaking Reading Record," Defense Visual Information Distribution Service, July 31, 2019. <https://www.dvidshub.net/news/333873/nas-pensacola-mwr-library-recognized-breaking-reading-record>
- "Newly renovated Eisenhower museum reopens in Kansas," *Military Times*, July 30, 2019.
<https://www.militarytimes.com/off-duty/military-culture/2019/07/30/newly-renovated-eisenhower-museum-reopens-in-kansas/>

Military Libraries Division Activity

- Facebook (<https://www.facebook.com/sladmin>)
- Military Libraries Division Website (<https://connect.sla.org/military/home>)

Military Librarianship Resources

- [Greta's Gouge](#) (Naval Postgraduate School)
- [Periodical Articles for Current Awareness](#) (U.S. Army War College)

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