

MAC New Librarians Panel Bibliography

Websites

Beyond the Job—"Professional tips for librarians: Articles, job-hunting advice, professional development opportunities, and other news and ideas on how to further your library career. Compiled by the Library Job People, Sarah Johnson and Rachel Singer Gordon."

<http://librarycareers.blogspot.com/>

The Library and Information Science Professional's Career Development Center—Find and contribute articles on career development for new librarians and information professionals. The articles are well-organized under such topics as Career Planning, Job Hunting, Work/Life Balance, and Networking.

<http://liscareer.com/>

Lisjobs.com Jobs for Librarians and Information Professionals—The creators of this website have an e-mail newsletter, *Info Career Trends*, with the purpose of "address[ing] issues related to your personal professional development, providing you with information on furthering your own library career."

<http://www.lisjobs.com/newsletter/index.htm>

The Young Librarian—While not every new librarian is young, this site has a helpful list of web resources for new librarians. Check out the blog, too, for commentary on some of the issues facing librarians today.

<http://www.younglibrarian.net/>

Listservs

If you're interested in networking professionally and/or socially with other new librarians from your desktop, join a listserv or two. Listservs facilitate the discussion of the range of issues facing new librarians, from barriers in the workplace to sharing interview and resume tips.

ALA's New Members Round Table—

<http://www.ala.org/ala/nmrt/nmrt.htm>

NEXGENLIB-L NexGen Librarian—

<http://lists.topica.com/lists/nexgenlib-l/>

NEWLIB-L The Discussion List for New Librarians—

<http://www.lahacal.org/newlib/>

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