Minor
Library & Information Science

Online Program
The minor in library and information science is designed to provide students with an understanding of the methods and means of gathering, organizing, and disseminating information. The minor is appropriate for any students who wish to gain a greater understanding of the field of library and information science. This program does not qualify participants for a Washington State Library Media (P-12) endorsement.

All students in the minor will be required to complete 20 credit hours in the core curriculum. Students may choose courses within the remaining curriculum areas depending on their specific interests. Students must maintain a 2.0 GPA in the program courses.

Program Requirements
I. Core Curriculum (20 Credits)
   LIS 110 - Research Fundamentals........................................1
   LIS 201 - Foundations of Library and Information Science........3
   LIS 310 - Information Literacy and User Services...................3
   LIS 314 - Technology in Library and Information Science.........4
   LIS 345 - Library Research Methods and Information Literacy....4
   LIS 414 - Organization of Knowledge....................................3
   LIS 490 - Internship..........................................................3

II. Management (3-4 Credits)
   Select one of the following courses:
   LIS 412 - Library Management & Leadership.........................3
   ANTH 362 - Museum Curation and Management......................4

III. Collection Management (3 Credits)
   Select one of the following courses:
   LIS 410 - Collection Development.......................................3
   LIS 411 - Introduction to Archives.......................................3

IV. Reader/Content Advisory (3-5 Credits)
   Select one of the following courses:
   EDLM 436 - Survey of Children's and Young Adult Literature....3
   ENG 247 - Multicultural Literature....................................4

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ENG 302 - Poetry and Poetics..................................................5
ENG 330 - African American Literature...................................5
ENG 331 - Latina/o Literature....................................................5
ENG 332 - American Indian Literature....................................5
ENG 333 - Asian American Literature....................................5
ENG 334 - American Indian Oral and Nonfiction Literature........5
Any History Course at the 300 to 500 level 3-5
LIS 398/498 - Special Topics in Library and Information Science....3

Expand your career opportunities in:

Archives
Information Management
Public Library Technician
Publisher Representative
Academic Library Para-professional
Records Management
Research Management
School Library Aide
Technical Writing

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