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Registration now open for 2022 Discovery to Delivery resource sharing conference



Registration is now open for the [2022 Discovery to Delivery](#) conference. The conference, hosted by the Academic Libraries of Indiana and the Indiana State Library, is a free one-day resource sharing conference that is open to all Indiana libraries. It will take place at the [Indiana State Library](#) in downtown Indianapolis on Friday, Oct. 7.

The conference will include updates on OCLC, Auto-Graphics and the American Library Association's interlibrary loan code. Breakout sessions will include "Breaking Town and Gown Barriers: Strengthening

Upcoming workshops and important dates

[What's Up Wednesday: Best Practices for Preserving Board Minutes](#)

When: Aug. 31, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Raising Ready Readers](#)

When: Sept. 13, 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[What's Up Wednesday - Get INSPIRED: Reference Centers](#)

When: Sept. 14, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Difference is You Conference](#)

When: Sept. 23, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Where: Indiana State Library

[Certification Update: Lots to Like About Our New Rules](#)

When: Sept. 27, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar



Indiana library jobs



This week's new Indiana library jobs

[Senior Children's Librarian](#)
Allen County Public Library

[Circulation Assistant](#)
Kokomo-Howard County Public Library

[Adult Services Librarian](#)
Mishawaka-Penn-Harris Public Library

[Adult Services Librarian \(part-time\)](#)
Mishawaka-Penn-Harris Public Library

[Children's Services Manager](#)
Monroe County Public Library

Those who would like their Indiana library job posting to be listed in the Wednesday Word must submit the position and its description to the Indiana State Library. Click [here](#) for submission guidelines and to submit.

In the news

Communities through Public and Academic Library Collaboration;" "ALI Resource Sharing Project;" "Let our Powers Combine! Introducing Acquisitions Staff to E-resource Access Troubleshooting;" and "Interlibrary Loan Copyright Practices in the State of Indiana." There will also be a breakout session for special interest groups, with likely topics being "SRCS Q&A," "Controlled Digital Lending," "ILL workflow and staffing" and "ILLiad to Tipasa." Click [here](#) to see the preliminary conference agenda and to read descriptions of the sessions. The conference is eligible for up to four LEUs for Indiana library staff.

Click [here](#) to register for the conference. The committee is exploring the possibility of a hybrid/virtual option, and will share more information if that option becomes available.

Those with questions regarding the conference can [contact the Discovery to Delivery 2022 Planning Committee](#).

More than 20 new libraries added to the Indiana Library Passport



More than 20 new libraries have been added to the Indiana Library Passport, a mobile passport that encourages everyone to visit libraries across the Hoosier state. The additions bring the total number of libraries on the passport to nearly 90,

[What's Up Wednesday: Beginner's Guide to Being in Charge](#)

When: Sept. 28, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Discovery to Delivery 2022](#)

When: Oct. 7, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Where: Indiana State Library

[What's Up Wednesday - Get INSPIRED](#)

When: Oct. 12, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Teen Services: Connected Learning Self-paced Course VIRTUAL Welcome/Orientation Session](#)

When: Oct. 18, 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Where: Webinar

[What's Up Wednesday](#)

When: Oct. 26, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Media Mentorship for Youth Services](#)

When: Oct. 27, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Where: Webinar



Welcome to Digital Collection Highlights. Every other week, librarians at the Indiana State Library share images from the library's ever-growing digital collections. Visit the [Digital Collections](#) page to view the latest additions.

Millersburg High School



[Allen County Public Library brings 'at home' services to residents](#)
Allen County Public Library

[Tutoring help: Library offers virtual connection for academic coaching](#)
Bartholomew County Public Library

[Friends of Eckhart Public Library seek automotive materials](#)
Eckhart Public Library

[Renovations underway at main entrance to Floyd County Library](#)
Floyd County Library

[State library showcases 14th-century Bible in its collection](#)
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[Building on the success of Indy Public Library's summer reading program](#)
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[Indy Public Library appoints CFO](#)
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[Gale Courses available at local library](#)
Jackson County Public Library

[The exhibition is afoot: Lilly Library hosts Sherlock Holmes objects](#)
Lilly Library at Indiana University

[Legal help kiosk coming to Albion library](#)
Noble County Public Library

[Read 'N' Feed turns a page](#)
Pendleton Community Public Library

Is your library making news?

with several more libraries expected to be added in the coming weeks.

The passport includes stops at the Allen County Public Library, which features the new Rolland Center for Lincoln Research; the South Whitley Community Public Library, which features the Shultz Gem Collection; the Bartholomew County Public Library, which features architectural design by I. M. Pei and the Large Arch statue by Henry Moore; and much more. New additions include the Vigo County Public Library, the West Lafayette Public Library, the Argos Public Library and four branches of the Johnson County Public Library.

Patrons can visit a [dedicated mobile passport landing page](#) where they can sign-up for the Indiana Library Passport by providing their name, email address and mobile phone number. A link is then sent to their mobile phone, which opens the passport and directs the user to add the button icon to their home screen, where they can access it any time.

When participants check in to libraries on the Indiana Library Passport trail, they will be entered into a quarterly drawing for a [prize package](#), including, but not limited to, historical tour tickets, architecture books and gift cards from local and national merchants. Once users sign up for the passport, they only need to use their phone to check in while physically at each location. Participants are eligible to check in to each location on the passport once per week which will enter them into the prize drawing. Click [here](#) for detailed instructions on how to sign up and on how to use the passport. Click [here](#) to read the Indiana Library Passport FAQs.

The 2022-23 Indiana Library Passport program is sponsored by the Indiana State Library Foundation.



The beginnings of Millersburg in Warrick County started in 1817 when James Anthony received permission to dam Pigeon Creek and built a mill near a settlement in Campbell Township. By 1824, there were two mills in operation; one owned by Philip Miller. Its proximity to the Wabash and Erie Canal made the settlement prosperous while the canal was in operation.

The town of Millersburg was platted on Oct. 1, 1850 by Ann Cox, executrix of John Cox and Phillip Miller, guardian of Hiram Miller, John Cox's stepson. In 1859, a Methodist Episcopal church opened. The first coal mine in the area was in operation by 1862. By 1885, the town had three dry goods and grocery stores, two blacksmith shops, a grist mill, a lodge for masons and one for Odd Fellows.

The first Millersburg school opened in 1874. It was replaced by a larger school that opened Sept. 25, 1922. The new Millersburg school had indoor plumbing heating and a Lalley light plant providing electricity to the combined elementary and high school. The new school also consolidated some of the other small rural schools in the area.

The Millersburg school closed in 1965, a victim of consolidation. The town declined after the closing of the school and by 1987 there were only 50 residents in the town. The coal companies in the area purchased land around and in the town over time eventually buying and razing the town.

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State Library blog



Follow the [Indiana State Library's blog](#) for weekly posts covering all aspects of the State Library.

Indiana library employees who would like to contribute a guest blog, please send an [email](#) with an idea.

Miss an issue of the Wednesday Word?

Back issues of the Wednesday Word are available [here](#).

Free training for librarians and library employees on LinkedIn Learning

Indiana libraries interested in joining the program should contact [John Wekluk](#), communications director at the Indiana State Library.

Reminder: Designated cybersecurity reporter contact info must be submitted by Sept. 1



Indiana Office of Technology

Powering a State that Works

The Indiana State Library would like to send a reminder that a [law was passed](#) in 2021 that requires state agencies and local government entities, including libraries, to report cybersecurity incidents to the Indiana Office of Technology within two business days of an incident. Information about the law and a link to the reporting hub can be viewed [here](#).

Additionally, all libraries are required to designate a point of contact/cyber incident reporter for their organization before Sept. 1 of each year. This could be a director or someone else who oversees a library's technology. New directors, or those have not already signed up, please complete the contact form [here](#).

Please contact [Jennifer Clifton](#) of the State Library's Library Development Office with any questions.

Click [here](#) to see the school in the early 1920s and click [here](#) to see the school in 1965.

Lois Lenski Covey Foundation bookmobile grant applications due Sept. 1



The Lois Lenski Covey Foundation awards grants to organizations that operate a lending bookmobile that travels into neighborhoods populated by underserved youth. The grants are for purchasing books published for young people preschool through grade eight. Bookmobiles operated by charitable 501(c)(3) and other non-taxable agencies, including public libraries or schools, are eligible. The Foundation provides grants to organizations that serve economically or socially at-risk children, have limited book budgets and demonstrate real need.

Grants range from \$500 to \$3,000 and are specifically for book purchases, and cannot be used for administrative or operational uses.

Applications must be postmarked by Sept. 1. Applications postmarked after that date will be evaluated early the following year. The last grant within a given year will be awarded by Oct. 30.

Click [here](#) to read more about the Lois Lenski Covey Foundation's bookmobile grant. Click [here](#) to apply.

Please [email](#) the Lois Lenski Covey Foundation with any questions about the bookmobile grant.



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