

Adult Services in Public Libraries Course Advising Grid

Note: Students who wish to work in a North Carolina public library can choose to apply for [NC Public Librarian Certification](#) at or after graduation. This optional certification requires completion of at least one course in each of the following areas: cataloging (INLS 520 or 721), reference (INLS 501), collection development (INLS 513), and library management (INLS 585). Under the new curriculum, these courses are no longer required, but if you are seeking this certification you will want to make sure that you take these. To ask whether a different SILS course might count in one of these areas, please contact the [certification commission](#) directly.

Core Courses (Take in Your First Year)			
INLS 777: Perspectives (Fall)		INLS 776: Ethics (Spring)	
Recommended Bin Courses			
Information	Services and Organizations	Technology	People and Communities
<i>Take at least 2</i>	<i>Take at least 1 (MSIS) or 2 (MSLS)</i>	<i>Take at least 2 (MSIS) or 1 (MSLS)</i>	<i>Take at least 1</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 513: Resource Selection and Evaluation ● INLS 520: Organization of Information 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 582: Systems Analysis ● INLS 782: Library Assessment ● INLS 786: Marketing of Information Services ● INLS 843: Seminar in Public Libraries 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 523: Introduction to Database Concepts and Applications ● INLS 572: Web Development I 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 500: Human information Interactions ● INLS 690: Information Professionals in the Makerspace ● INLS 737: Inclusive Information Services for Diverse Populations
Capstone (Take in Second Year)			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 778 / 992 (research-based master's paper track) OR ● INLS 779 / 992 (practicum / project track) 			
Additional Recommended Courses			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 525: Electronic Records Management ● INLS 530: Young Adult Literature and Related Materials ● INLS 551: History of Libraries and Other Information-Related Cultural Institutions ● INLS 554: Cultural Institutions ● INLS 556: Introduction to Archives and Records Management ● INLS 585: Management for Information Professionals 			

- INLS 718: User Interface Design
- INLS 721: Cataloging Theory and Practice
- INLS 795: Professional Field Experience
- INLS 842: Seminar in Popular Materials in Libraries

Note: Students are encouraged to review the courses offered as INLS 690 or 890 (special topics) each semester, as some of these courses may be relevant to this specialization.