**PUBLIC LIBRARIES PATHWAY: RECORD OF COURSES COMPLETED***(Revised due to COVID-19, effective 04.17.2020-updated 11.11.2020)*

**Overview:** The Public Libraries Pathway is for students interested in working as reference librarians, young adult librarians, children’s librarians, and branch managers in municipal and community-based public library settings: locally, globally, rural and urban. This pathway follows professional competencies and literacies set forth by the following divisions of the American Library Association: the Reference & User Services Association, the Young Adult Library Services Association, the Association for Library Service to Children, and CORE: Leadership, Infrastructures, Futures.

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| **SLOs** | **Required Courses: 21 credits, at least one from each SLO** | **Artifact** | **Sem/Year** |
| **SLO 1** Services | **☐** LIS 601 Introduction to Reference & Information Services |  |  |
| **SLO 2** Professions | **☐** LIS 610 Foundations of the Information Professions |  |  |
| **SLO 3** Resources | **☐** LIS 602 Resource Discovery *or* **☐** LIS 605 Metadata Creation for Information Organization *or* **☐** LIS 615 Collection Management |  |  |
| **SLO 4** Technologies | **☐** LIS 665 Digital Instruction *or*  **☐** LIS 672 Technologies in Libraries & Information Centers |  |  |
| **SLO 5** Cultures | **☐** LIS 630 Community Engagement *or*  **☐** LIS 634 Multicultural Resources for Diverse User Groups |  |  |
| **SLO 6** Management | **☐** LIS 650 Management of Libraries & Information Centers *or* |  |  |
|  | **☐** LIS 691 Masters Seminar |  |  |

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| **SLOs** | **Pathway Requirements: 6 credits** | **Artifact** | **Sem/Year** |
| **SLO 6** Management | **☐** LIS 683 Services in Public Libraries |  |  |
|  | **☐** LIS 690 Library Internship (in a public library) |  |  |

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| **SLOs** | **Elective Courses: 12 credits** | **Artifact** | **Sem/Year** |
| **Note: Check at the end of this document for approved pathway electives. Students may also take pre-approved graduate electives in other campus units that are relevant to this pathway.** | | | |
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| **Specialization options** | ⬜ **Community & Cultural Informatics** (630, 661 and one SLO 4 and SLO 5 beyond core)  ⬜ **Information Technology** (2 SLO 4 beyond core) |
| **Dual degree** | Shares 9 credits with: LIS primary? Yes No |
| **Thesis** | ⬜ Methods ⬜ Form I ⬜ Form II ⬜ Form III ⬜ 6 cr of LIS 700 (\_\_ cr of LIS 699) |

**Approved pathway electives**

Note: Students may also suggest LIS courses other than the ones listed below. Faculty advisors must approve suggestions depending on the rationale presented by the student and its relevance to the student’s elected pathway.

LIS 611 Intellectual Freedom

LIS 612 History of Information

LIS 614 Navigating Information Organizations

LIS 631 Intro to Hawai‘i & Pacific Librarianship\*

LIS 633 Indigenous Librarianship\*

LIS 635 Traditional Literature & Oral Narration\*

LIS 636 Responding to Reading in Libraries

LIS 638 Genealogical Resources in Libraries

LIS 641 Digital Librarianship

LIS 645 Asian Research Materials & Methods

LIS 648 Government Documents\*

LIS 661 Informatics

LIS 681 Books & Media for Children

LIS 682 Books & Media for Young Adults

LIS 686 Information Literacy & Learning Resources  
LIS 693, 694, 699 - Approved

\* These courses are not available during the COVID-19 Pandemic and resulting budget crisis. Some substitutions can be made by agreement between students and the public libraries pathway advisor during this period.

**Notes**