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## Salary Survey Results Class of 2005

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FIRST PROFESSIONAL POSITION, FULL-TIME PLACEMENT BY TYPE OF LIBRARY

	Academic	Archives	Public	School	Special	TOTAL
WOMEN	25	4	17	25	23	94
MEN	5	1	3	1	4	14
TOTAL	30	5	20	26	27	108

Note: total of 110 graduates found professional full-time placement; two did not include gender on survey

PLACEMENT BY GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

UNITED STATES

1	Alaska	2	Florida	1	Ohio
2	California	8	Massachusetts	1	Pennsylvania
1	Colorado	4	New Hampshire	1	Rhode Island
3	Connecticut	3	New York	1	Texas
1	Washington, D.C.	2	North Carolina	1	Vermont

INTERNATIONAL

1	Lebanon
1	Trinidad
2	Ukraine
3	Vietnam

BEGINNING SALARY BY TYPE OF LIBRARY

Note: Of 110 graduates who found placement, 100 reported their starting salary. Two of those did not include their gender, and are not included in these results.

	Academic	Archives	Public	School	Special
<b>WOMEN</b>					
High	\$46,000	\$44,300	\$53,443	\$50,000	\$84,000
Mean	\$37,787	\$37,325	\$36,449	\$37,732	\$43,405
Low	28,000	\$30,000	\$23,923	\$30,000	\$28,800
<b>MEN</b>					
High	\$44,000	\$32,000	\$39,000	\$36,000	\$75,000
Mean	\$39,000	\$32,000	\$33,733	\$36,000	\$45,333
Low	\$35,000	\$32,000	\$31,000	\$36,000	\$30,000
<b>TOTAL</b>					
High	\$46,000	\$44,300	\$53,443	\$50,000	\$84,000
Mean	\$37,989	\$36,260	\$36,020	\$37,663	\$43,405
Low	\$28,000	\$30,000	\$23,923	\$30,000	\$28,800

SUMMARY OF AVERAGE BEGINNING SALARIES

1997:	\$31,500	2001:	\$35,585
1998:	\$32,400	2002:	\$36,768
1999:	\$33,700	2003:	\$38,434
2000:	\$33,775	2004:	\$40,274
	<b>2005: \$38,876</b>		

Massachusetts Library Association salary recommendation: \$49,395

Survey Response Rate = 75%

As of 7/27/06