

**SIMMONS COLLEGE  
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE**

*Class of 2007*

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

	Academic	Archives	Public	School	Special	TOTAL
WOMEN	9	5	19	10	10	57
MEN	9	1	5	0	3	19
TOTAL	18	6	24	10	13	76

PLACEMENT BY GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

UNITED STATES

1	Alabama	1	Kentucky	5	New York		<u>INTERNATIONAL</u>
2	California	1	Maryland	2	Ohio	2	Trinidad and
2	Connecticut	51	Massachusetts	1	Pennsylvania		Tobago
1	Delaware	1	Montana	1	Rhode Island		
1	Florida	2	New Hampshire	1	Vermont		
				1	Wyoming		

BEGINNING SALARY BY TYPE OF LIBRARY

	<u>Academic</u>	<u>Archive</u>	<u>Public</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Special</u>
<b>WOMEN</b>					
High	\$48,000	\$45,000	\$44,850	\$60,000	\$62,500
<b>Mean</b>	<b>\$42,095</b>	<b>\$33,466</b>	<b>\$37,481</b>	<b>\$44,502</b>	<b>\$40,090</b>
Low	\$35,000	\$14,400	\$33,000	\$32,000	\$12,000
<b>MEN</b>					
High	\$70,000	\$37,000	\$68,808		\$45,000
<b>Mean</b>	<b>\$46,042</b>	<b>\$37,000</b>	<b>\$43,327</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>\$43,300</b>
Low	\$37,000	\$37,000	\$30,000		\$41,600
<b>TOTAL</b>					
High	\$70,000	\$45,000	\$68,808	\$60,000	\$62,500
<b>Mean</b>	<b>\$44,069</b>	<b>\$34,350</b>	<b>\$38,856</b>	<b>\$44,502</b>	<b>\$40,625</b>
Low	\$35,000	\$14,400	\$30,000	\$32,000	\$12,000

SUMMARY OF AVERAGE BEGINNING SALARIES

1999:	\$33,700	2003:	\$38,434
2000:	\$33,775	2004:	\$40,274
2001:	\$35,585	2005:	\$38,989
2002:	\$36,768	2006:	\$42,332
	<b>2007:</b>		<b>\$41,019</b>

In January 2007, the American Library Association passed a resolution endorsing a non-binding minimum salary of \$40,000 for professional librarians.