

## CONTACT US!

CALL Placement/Recruitment Committee members are always available to discuss the value of employing a professional law librarian for your organization and to assist you with finding well-qualified candidates.

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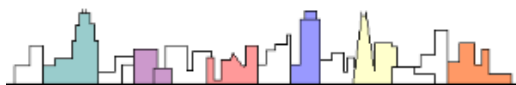
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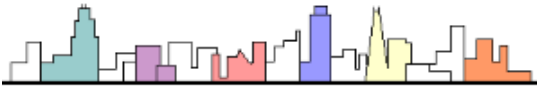
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## LOOKING TO HIRE A LAW LIBRARIAN?

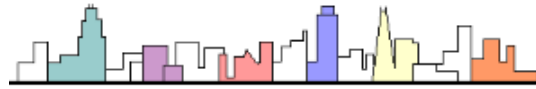
Law librarians are trained in all aspects of legal research and law library management. They assist judges, attorneys, professors, students, and members of the public with legal research. You will find law librarians working in a variety of settings, including law firms, corporations, publishers, law schools, government agencies, courts, and associations. Some law librarians even work as independent consultants.



## WE CAN HELP!

The Chicago Association of Law Libraries (CALL) is a not-for-profit organization comprised of professional law librarians and staff from over 360 law libraries in the Chicago metropolitan area, northwestern Indiana, and southeastern Wisconsin.

The CALL Placement/Recruitment Committee serves its members with career development. The committee also assists employers and recent graduates who are interested in learning more about law librarianship.



## WHAT QUALIFICATIONS SHOULD A LAW LIBRARIAN HAVE?

### ADVANCED DEGREES

Most employers require candidates for a professional librarian position to hold a master's degree in library science. The employer should check to make sure that the candidate's master's degree program in library science is accredited by the American Library Association.

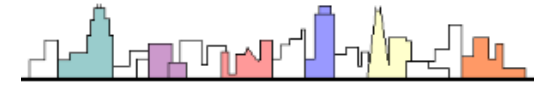
Find accredited library science programs by visiting the ALA website:

<http://www.ala.org/ala/accreditation/lisdirb/lisdirectory.htm>

Some employers also require the candidate for a law librarian position to hold a law degree.

### LIBRARY EXPERIENCE

Experience working in a law library setting is another valuable addition to the professional law librarian's skills set. Although law librarianship is a specialized area of librarianship, a candidate's experience in other types of libraries may be worth noting.



## HOW TO FIND A QUALIFIED LAW LIBRARIAN

One of the best ways for employers who seek qualified candidates for law librarian positions is to contact the CALL Placement/Recruitment Committee for assistance. The Committee will post library-related job announcements on the CALL web site at no cost to the employer. These listings are publicly-available to anyone who visits the CALL website. No registration or password is required. The listings are posted for 8 weeks, unless notification is given by the employer to continue the announcement for an additional period of time.



## WHAT OTHER RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE?

The CALL Placement/Recruitment Committee maintains a file of resumes of librarians and paraprofessionals who are seeking new employment opportunities. Resumes of qualified candidates will be provided to prospective employers upon request.