Publishers Focusing on Academic Institutions, Information Science, and Libraries*1

Academic Libraries in General

- **Chronicle of Higher Education** [https://www.chronicle.com/](https://www.chronicle.com/)  
  Focus: dedicated to covering colleges and universities.
  Focus: intellectual freedom and privacy issues in libraries.
  Focus: broad range of these transdisciplinary issues
  Focus: articles on the latest trends and practices affecting academic and research libraries
- **Journal of Academic Librarianship** [https://www.journals.elsevier.com/the-journal-of-academic-librarianship](https://www.journals.elsevier.com/the-journal-of-academic-librarianship)  
  Focus: problems and issues germane to college and university libraries.
- **New Review of Academic Librarianship (NRAL)** [https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/racl20/current](https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/racl20/current)  
  Focus: reviews, research, critiques and case studies for academic communities.

Law Libraries

  Focus: legal information professionals and others who work with legal materials.
  Focus: working and accepted paper abstracts in all areas of legal information scholarship.
  Focus: applied or theoretical work on the intersection of law, librarianship, and legal information

Reference Services

- **Legal Reference Services Quarterly**  
  Focus: forum for daily problems and issues
- **The Reference Librarian** [https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wref20/current](https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wref20/current)  
  Focus: a standard resource for everyone interested in the practice of reference work
- **Reference Services Review (RSR)**  
  [http://www.emeraldgrouppublishing.com/products/journals/journals.htm?id=rsr](http://www.emeraldgrouppublishing.com/products/journals/journals.htm?id=rsr)  
  Focus: the enrichment and advancement of reference knowledge and professional practice.
- **Reference & User Services Quarterly (ALA)** [https://journals.ala.org/index.php/rusq](https://journals.ala.org/index.php/rusq)  
  Focus: Information of interest to reference librarians, information specialists, and library services

Information Technology and the Internet

  Focus: articles written by practitioner experts and columns by information professionals
- **Journal of Informetrics** [https://www.journals.elsevier.com/journal-of-informetrics](https://www.journals.elsevier.com/journal-of-informetrics)  
  Focus: main focus of the journal is on topics in bibliometrics, scientometrics, webometrics, and altmetrics.
- **Internet Reference Services Quarterly** [https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wirs20/current](https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wirs20/current)  
  Focus: technology and innovations related to the delivery of library user services
- **First Monday** [https://firstmonday.org/ojs/index.php/fm/issue/view/626](https://firstmonday.org/ojs/index.php/fm/issue/view/626)  
  Focus: original research papers about the Internet and related technologies.

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- **Journal of Web Librarianship** [https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wjwl20/current](https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wjwl20/current)
  Focus: librarianship as practiced on the World Wide Web

- **Information Technology and Libraries** [https://ejournals.bc.edu/index.php/ital](https://ejournals.bc.edu/index.php/ital)
  Focus: all aspects of information technology in libraries, including library automation, digital libraries, metadata, identity management, distributed systems and networks, computer security, intellectual property rights, technical standards, geographic information systems, desktop applications, and others.

  Focus: monthly magazine focusing on the practical application of technology in all types of libraries.

**Library Collections and Materials Management**

  Focus: library administration, information technology, and information policy.

- **Cataloging and Classification Quarterly** [https://www.tandfonline.com/loi/wccq20](https://www.tandfonline.com/loi/wccq20)
  Focus: international forum for information and discussion in the field of bibliographic organization.

- **Library Collections, Acquisitions, and Technical Services** [https://www.tandfonline.com/loi/ulca](https://www.tandfonline.com/loi/ulca)
  Focus: a forum for library collection management, technical services, vendor and publishing communities

- **Journal of Interlibrary Loan, Document Delivery, & Electronic Resources** [https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wild20/current](https://www.tandfonline.com/toc/wild20/current)
  Focus: best practices and review of literature regarding all aspects of library resource sharing.

**Blogs and Current News Articles**

- **RIPS-SiS Law Librarian Blog** [https://ripslawlibrarian.wordpress.com/](https://ripslawlibrarian.wordpress.com/)
  Focus: trends in research, instruction, and patron services within today's law libraries.

- **ALL-SIS "What's New?" Blog** [https://allsis.wordpress.com/](https://allsis.wordpress.com/)
  Focus: blog for the Academic Law Libraries Special Interest Section

- **AALL Spectrum (AALL)** [https://www.aallnet.org/resources-publications/publications/aall-spectrum/](https://www.aallnet.org/resources-publications/publications/aall-spectrum/)
  Focus: professional development and education, management, career development,

**Legal Research Teaching**

- **Journal of Legal Education** - Association of American Law Schools (AALS) [https://jle.aals.org/home/](https://jle.aals.org/home/)
  Focus: legal education and related matters, including the legal profession, legal theory, and legal scholarship.

- **Legal Communication & Rhetoric (LC&R)** - Association of Legal Writing Directors [https://www.alwd.org/aboutalwd](https://www.alwd.org/aboutalwd)
  Focus: substance and doctrine of legal writing for all legal writers.

- **Legal Writing Journal** [http://www.legalwritingjournal.org/about-us/](http://www.legalwritingjournal.org/about-us/)
  Focus: forum for scholarly articles about the theory, substance, and pedagogy of legal writing.

  Focus: scholarship on legal writing

- **The Second Draft** (Legal Writing Institute) [https://www.lwionline.org/publications/second-draft](https://www.lwionline.org/publications/second-draft)
  Focus: ideas and insights about teaching legal research and writing

  Focus: the teaching of legal research and writing, focusing on research materials, tools and theories.

- **Journal of Information Literacy** [https://ojs.lboro.ac.uk/JIL/](https://ojs.lboro.ac.uk/JIL/)
  Focus: innovative and challenging research articles and project reports which push the boundaries of information literacy thinking

**International Library and Legal Information**

- **Legal Information Management** - Journal of the British and Irish Association of Law Librarians [https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/legal-information-management](https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/legal-information-management)
  Focus: professionals active in the international legal information community

- **International Journal of Legal Information** - ILJI: The Official Publication of the International Association of Law Libraries [https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/international-journal-of-legal-information](https://www.cambridge.org/core/journals/international-journal-of-legal-information)
  Focus: original articles, conference papers, bibliographies, book reviews, the International Calendar of Conferences and Events, and other documents on law information.