



Dreaming about sharpening your library skills?

**It's happened to many of us!
(Especially after returning from ALA!)**

As the summer begins and the days are longer, now might be the time to dream about new adventures to start in the fall. Maybe taking a few classes in our 100% online & asynchronous **Library Technology Certificate Program at CT State Three Rivers** is your next step? **Fall 2026 classes begin August 27!**

Who we are:

Our program is a 27-30 credit, fully online and asynchronous, Library Technology Certificate program. We are recognized by ALA-APA (American Library Association - Allied Professional Association) as an approved provider of library technology courses for library support staff. We welcome part-time and full-time students.

We are not a graduate program:

Library professionals are welcome to take a course or two in our program to refresh their practical skills in a particular area. Some students choose to complete the full certificate. Additionally, many of our graduates who come to us with a bachelor's degree already will choose to continue their library science studies at the master's level.

Our program is a great for career changers:

Those who love libraries, but who have never worked in libraries, find a pathway to a library career through our program.

We welcome teachers:

Teachers who have gone through an alternative program for LMS certification (ARCLMS) and want to strengthen their library specific skills have found success with us.

CT State Three Rivers

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For more information,
keep reading!



To receive more information about the program or to register for a course, please contact me!

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- **Links:**

[About the Library Technology Certificate Program - CT State Online Catalog](#)

[Video about our Library Technology Certificate Program](#)

- **Fall 2026 Semester Courses Still Open:**

We have two courses with open seats. The course descriptions are listed below:

LIBR 1023 - Introduction to Library Tech Services *Credits: 3*

In this course students will acquire an understanding of the use of bibliographic tools, the skills required for proper use, and a basic knowledge of the technical processing department workflow.

Instructor: Hali Keeler. [Read more...](#)

LIBR 1025 - Digital Media *Credits: 3*

In this course students will explore the role of digital media in the field of Library Science by looking at best practices and by creating original media content. An emphasis will be placed on the ethical use of all digital content following current intellectual property right and copyright laws. Instructor: Jessa Franco, Mads Sheikh. [Read more...](#)

- **Tuition:**

Our tuition information is posted here:

<https://ctstate.edu/admissions-registration/investing-in-a-ct-state-education>

- **Who will thrive in this program?**

- **Current library support staff member.** Are you ready for more responsibility, more knowledge, more respect, and more opportunities to advance? This is the program for you.
- **Library volunteer or library lover interested in moving into a paid library position.** CT State Three Rivers will give you the technical skills and resume boost you need to turn your passion into a career.
- **Student or career changer considering an MLIS.** If you are interested in libraries but not ready to commit to a full graduate program yet, start with this program and see if librarianship is for you.
- **Library media specialist who seeks to gain additional library technology training to complement your teaching skills if you went through an Alternate Route program.** If you want additional library skills to complement your teaching experience, this is the program for you.
- **Library director or manager.** If you want to enable your support staff to improve their skills, knowledge and abilities, steer them toward this program.

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