

Position	Library Development Director
Library/City	Mississippi Library Commission
Date Posted	12/20/2023
Date Expires	Open Until Filled
Date Available	
Responsibilities	<p>The Mississippi Library Commission seeks a Library Development Director to oversee and direct the Library Development department, which includes Consulting and Continuing Education. Responsibilities include working closely with Library Consultants to improve service to public libraries by fielding questions, researching best practices, being aware of and ahead of library trends, providing advice on a wide range of topics, and training public library staff on traditional and emerging library services. This position also directs the Continuing Education program and creates a CE event calendar based on data and feedback of a variety of topics in a variety of formats to improve the library workforce.</p>
Requirements	<p>What you'll need to be successful:</p> <p>A successful candidate should possess knowledge of traditional and emerging library services scalable to libraries of all sizes, be capable of creating and delivering compelling public presentations, have excellent written communication skills, find creative solutions to problems, and have a passion for public library service.</p> <p>Preferred qualifications:</p> <p>Experience supervising professional staff, delivering presentations, and problem solving.</p> <p>This position is located in Jackson, MS and requires a master's degree from an ALA accredited four-year college or university in library science and three (3) years of experience as a librarian. Those with a specialization (STEM/STEAM, statistics, youth services, non-profits, etc.), are strongly encouraged to apply.</p>
Salary & Benefits	Full state benefits
Contact	<p>To apply, send resume and cover letter to mslib@mlc.lib.ms.us</p> <p>or go to</p> <p>https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/mississippi/jobs/4342276/library-development-director</p>
Location (Library or institution name)	<p>Mississippi Library Commission</p> <p>3881 Eastwood Drive</p> <p>Jackson, MS 39211</p>