

Yolo County Recruitment

Outreach and Programming Librarian



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About Yolo County and the Library

Yolo County, California, with a population of just over 215,000, is a naturally beautiful and richly diverse county. It is one of the leading agricultural producers in the nation.

While agriculture is Yolo County's primary industry, nearly 85% of the County's population lives in the four cities of Davis, West Sacramento, Woodland, and Winters. It is an increasingly diverse county with 23% of the population born outside the United States. One in five K-12 students is an English language learner.

Yolo County is one of California's original counties and operates under General Law. The County is governed by an elected Board of Supervisors consisting of five members. The County is organized into functional areas, such as: General Government, which includes the Library and the County Archives and Records Center; Law and Justice Services; Health and Human Services; Planning, Resources and Public Works and Agriculture.

The Yolo County Library provides public library services to the entire County, except for the City of Woodland, with branch locations in Clarksburg, Davis, Esparto, Knights Landing, West Sacramento, Winters and Yolo. Library Administration, Technical Services and operations are located in Woodland.

Public library services include collection management, circulation, interlibrary loans, virtual branch and database services, computer and software applications, meeting and study rooms, diverse programs for all ages, homework and research assistance, literacy programming, reference and information services, family and children resources, Archives and Records Center services and more.

Yolo County Library is committed to employing a diverse and inclusive workforce that reflects the population it serves. Library employees are service oriented, knowledgeable, and passionate about reading, literacy and public service.

The Yolo County Library Advisory Board has proclaimed: "No matter where you come from, everyone is welcome at Yolo County Library." Yolo County Library is committed to supporting diversity, equity, and inclusion and embraces all spoken and signed languages, all races and ethnicities, all religions and creeds, all gender identities, all countries of origin, all sexual orientations, all immigrants and refugees, and all abilities and disabilities.

The Library is committed to an environment where differences are valued and all staff are part of a productive, high performing team delivering quality services to all people. To learn more about the Yolo County Library visit:

www.yolocountylibrary.org.



About the Position

Yolo County Library is recruiting to fill one regular, full-time Outreach and Programming Librarian I/II position. The incumbent will work primarily at the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library, and be required to work evening and weekend hours as part of their regular schedule. They will also provide programs and outreach services at other library branches and off-site.

The Ideal Candidate

The incumbent will be a community-oriented professional who is enthusiastic about promoting the library to a broader audience; is actively engaged with new technologies; possesses an aptitude to skillfully manage grants and projects; is confident in leading others; enjoys direct public service to a diverse population; and has a firm grasp of current and emerging library trends.

The incumbent should be enthusiastic about promoting the library to a diverse community and reducing barriers to access; show a broad understanding of, and demonstrate support for, diversity, equality, and equity for everyone in the community; and show a commitment to maintaining equitable, inclusive, and respectful environments so that every person in the organization has the opportunity to reach their full potential and is valued for their unique qualities and contributions.

Experience working in a multilingual, multicultural environment is highly desired, and the ability to read, speak, and write in Spanish, Russian, Chinese and/or Korean is preferred. The incumbent will utilize their multilingual and multicultural knowledge and experience to perform their duties and serve the community in a manner that is culturally competent and affirming.

Qualifications

Librarian I

Education: Master's degree in Library Sciences or Library Information Services or related library field from an accredited graduate school.

Librarian II

Education: Master's degree in Library Sciences or Library Information Services or related library field from an accredited graduate school. AND

Experience: Two (2) years of professional library experience comparable to the functions performed by a Librarian I at the County of Yolo.

Compensation

The salary range for this class is as follows:

Librarian I

\$44,894 – \$54,569 Annually
\$3,741 – \$4,547 Monthly
\$21.58 – \$26.24 Hourly

Librarian II

\$55,326 – \$67,249 Annually
\$4,610 – \$5,604 Monthly
\$26.60 – \$32.33 Hourly

Benefits

CalPERS Retirement. The County also participates in Social Security and Medicare programs.

Health/Dental/Vision Benefits – The County offers nine health plans (6 HMO's and 3 PPO's), as well as Delta Dental and Medical Eye Services. The incumbent receives a benefit package of \$20,454 annually to purchase health, dental, and vision insurance.

Deferred Compensation – Employees receive a limited annual match based on years of service.

Time Off - Employees earn 96 hours of sick leave, 80 hours of vacation per year, and 40 hours for floating holidays. The County has 10.5 paid holidays per year.

Application & Selection Process

Your application should highlight all relevant education, training, and experience, and clearly indicate how you meet the minimum qualifications for this position. To view a complete job bulletin and apply online, please visit the Yolo County Employment Opportunities page at www.yolocounty.org.

In addition to a completed application, applicants are required to submit a detailed resume, completed supplemental questionnaire, and verification of education for this position.

Supplemental Questions

The following supplemental questions are required as part of this application process:

- Please list any languages that you are able to read, write, and speak in addition to English.
- What strategies would you use to market the library and library resources to residents of diverse communities? How would you assess whether these strategies are effective?

The deadline to apply for this position is Friday, October 26, 2018.

After all applications have been screened, the selection process will proceed as follows:

- * Selection Interviews
- * Finalist Interviews
- * Reference Checks
- * Tentative job offer/Livescan/Drug & Alcohol Screen

Contact Information

For questions about the position or about employment with the County, please contact Jenny Brown by email at jenny.brown@yolocounty.org or by phone at (530) 666-8328.

