Community Engagement Librarian

Normal Public Library
Normal, Illinois, 61761, United States

Salary: $48,897.11 (Yearly Salary)

Status: Full-time

Posted: 07/19/17

Deadline: Not stated

Position:
Community Engagement Librarian

Position Description:
Normal Public Library seeks a creative, tech-savvy, synergistic librarian to join an outstanding Adult Services Department staff.

Position Responsibilities:
The successful candidate will join a team dedicated to providing excellent services, collections, and events. We seek someone ready and willing to engage the community with vision, quality, and collaboration.

The Normal Public Library aims to reflect, connect, and engage our community. You will lead in this effort with the support of the entire library staff and volunteers.

Required Qualifications:
- MLS from an ALA accredited library school or a master's degree and two years of experience applying library science theories, principles, practices, and terminology applicable to a public library and community engagement.
- Willingness and courage to generate and implement new ideas based on community data
- Strong commitment to generous public service
- Flexibility to adapt to changing situations and to varied work schedules
- Ability to interact harmoniously and communicate well with customers, staff, and diverse populations of all ages, but specifically adults, teens, and seniors
• Excellent skills utilizing traditional and emerging technologies
• Ability to coordinate and prioritize tasks to meet deadlines with excellent organizational and problem-solving skills
• Excellent oral and written English communication, public-speaking, and presentation skills
• Must have - or be able to obtain within 30 days of hire - and maintain valid Illinois driver's license

Closing Date: Not stated

Special Instructions to Applicants:
Applications will be accepted from qualified applicants until position is filled and require a cover letter, current resume, and a list of three references with current contact information.
Contact: John Fischer