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Announcements

Training

Infopeople Online Courses

Library Development has purchased a batch of registrations for online courses offered by the California State Library's **Infopeople**. These courses are available to Arizona library staff on a first-come-first-served basis. You will be expected to complete your course and fill out a short evaluation form before enrolling in another.

Upcoming & Current courses

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| • <i>Useful Online Tools to Increase Your Productivity & Improve Customer Service</i> | <i>Sep 30-Oct 20, 2014</i> |
| • <i>E-readers: Practical Help for Patrons & Staff</i> | <i>Oct 21-Nov 17, 2014</i> |
| • <i>Library Programs for School Readiness</i> | <i>Oct 28-Nov 24, 2014</i> |
| • <i>Estimating Library Costs and Benefits</i> | <i>Oct 28-Nov 24, 2014</i> |
| • <i>Emotional Intelligence in the Library Workplace</i> | <i>Nov 11-Dec 8, 2014</i> |
| • <i>Developing Effective Library Partnerships</i> | <i>Nov 18-Dec 15, 2014</i> |
| • <i>Multicultural Children's Literature</i> | <i>Nov 18-Dec 15, 2014</i> |

To learn more about any of these courses, visit the **Infopeople** website at <https://infopeople.org>. Before registering, you will need to email Dale Savage, dsavage@azlibrary.gov to receive a coupon code. Please use your work email and include your name, your library, your job, and the course you wish to enroll in.

New: 12th Gathering of Tribal Libraries: Cultural Revitalization in a Digital Age

October 8th-9th 5 PM-4 PM, Location TBA

This year the Hopi Tribal Library will be hosting the annual Tribal Gathering. The location will be in Moenkopi. Attendees will be emailed the exact location prior to the gathering.

People With Soft Skills Get More Done & Are More Fun to Work With

October 14th 10 AM-3:30 PM, Prescott Valley Public Library, Prescott Valley

Providing training for hard (task oriented, functional) skills is a given. How about softer skills, those less tangible, personal growth competencies? That's less clear.

Come develop a soft skill in this session. You'll question the mental model that they aren't learnable. Let's discuss how to build capacity in your organization (or yourself) by investing in skills like imagination, experimentation, and risk-taking, then watch great customer service, creativity, and innovation happen. It's not as fuzzy as it seems!

Presented by library consultant, **Cheryl Gould** of **Fully Engaged Libraries**,

<http://www.fullyengagedlibraries.com>. To register, visit <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg>. Counts as 4.5 contact hours in Leadership.

Got Stress? Build Change Resilience in Yourself & Your Library

October 15th 9 AM-3:30 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix

October 16th 9 AM-4 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix

New staffing models, new service models, cloud computing, device independence, more challenging customers, overextended colleagues... Every library is experiencing several if not all of the above. At work changes are coming at us faster than ever, and with increasing complexity. Why is it so hard for us humans to deal with change? An awareness of what's at play can help.

Join **Cheryl Gould**, **Fully Engaged Libraries** (<http://www.fullyengagedlibraries.com>), for this all-day hands-on workshop. You will learn the relationship between change and stress. You will learn the stages of change and what it means to be change resilient. Through individual and group exercises, you will practice the skills of building change resilience that will enable you to approach your next change situation with a new attitude.

Why Change Is Stressful

- What neuroscience says
- Costs of stress

Stages of Change

- Change and transition
- Bridges three stages of change
- How to move quickly between stages

What's Change Resilience?

- New ways of seeing
- Optimism versus pessimism
- Nature or nurture

Skills to Build Resilience

- Opportunity or threat
- Recognize brain limitations
- Realistic optimism
- Build new habits
- Ten Change Resilience Tools

For more information, contact Dale Savage, dsavage@azlibrary.gov. To register, visit <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg>. Counts as 6 Contact Hours in Leadership.

New: Tour: Bible Museum

October 23rd 10 AM-11:30 AM, Bible Museum, Goodyear

You are invited to tour the Bible Museum on Thursday, October 23, 2014. The tour group will gather in the lobby to left of the front desk at 10am.

The **Bible Museum** is a privately held collection of some of the world's rarest antique Bibles. The sole purpose of the museum is to educate people from all walks of life on the history of the most read, printed, and published book in the history of man, the English Bible. Original works in the collection include 2300 BC Cuneiform tablets, the first English Bible ever printed and the first Bible printed on American soil.

For more information and to register visit, <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg>. *Counts for 1.5 contact hours in Facilities*

Using Census Data for Reference, Research and Grant Writing

October 28th 9 AM-3:30 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix

The focus of this hands-on training is to learn how to use U. S. Census Bureau data effectively to describe and understand the changing demographics of AZ communities. Census data is the leading source of quality data about the nation's people and economy.

In a live computer lab setting, participants will use the American Factfinder (data retrieval website) to conduct searches using critical datasets. The 2010 Census/Population Estimates data will be used for population numbers/basic characteristics. The American Community Survey will be used to access social/economic characteristics such as median household income, educational attainment, and veteran and poverty status. In addition to datasets, updates on data visualizations, infographics, and interactive mapping tools will be highlighted as well.

Who should attend? Library services staff from universities, state agencies, and public libraries who use data or assist patrons and researchers who use it to do research, assess community needs, develop plans, implement policies, and write grants. **Pauline Nunez of the U.S. Census Bureau**, Denver Regional Office, will demonstrate how to use Census data for all those purposes! To register, visit <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg>.

New: Tour: Lost in History!! – Arizona State Archives

October 31, 10-11:30 AM,

October 31, 2-3:30 PM

The Arizona State Archives invites you to get lost in history with a special Halloween tour of the Polly Rosenbaum History and Archives Building. In a celebration of Archives Month, we will take you on a trip through Arizona history via the unique records that can only be found at the State Archives.

Please RSVP for one of the tours by calling 602-926-3720. Tour groups are limited to 25 people each.

Putting Every Child Ready to Read 2 into Practice

November 6th, 8:30 AM-4 PM

Early Childhood Literacy Specialist **Saroj Ghoting** will give an overview of the early literacy components and the five practices of Every Child Ready to Read, 2nd edition - sing, talk, read, write and play. This interactive workshop is designed to teach the skills necessary to be able to present early literacy workshops for parents and caregivers through demonstration and hands-on practice.

For more information, contact Holly Henley, hhenley@azlibrary.gov. To register, visit <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg>. *Counts as 6 contact hours in Services.*

For Your Information



ONEBOOKAZ

ONEBOOKAZ is excited to partner with Reading Arizona and Library Journal's SELF-e for our ONEBOOKAZ eBook writing competition submissions. SELF-e is a marketing and discovery service aimed at helping authors build an audience of readers. Self-published and unpublished authors can submit their eBooks to www.onebookaz.org *until October 14, 2014*. Let your patrons know about this exciting opportunity to get their works discovered. For more information contact dthrockmorton@azlibrary.gov

Three Free Training Resources

Webjunction courses & archived webinars are once again freely available to Arizona librarians & library staff. Certificates are available for those needing to document their learning activities. To explore the offerings, visit <http://learn.webjunction.org>.

The Arizona State Library recently purchased one year of access to short, self-paced courses from **SkillSoft**. Courses & video resources are available in: Communication & Interpersonal Skills, Customer Service, Desktop Software Skills, Leadership, Management, & Technology Skills. SkillSoft users may also earn certificates and track their learning activities. To get started, visit <http://webjunction.skillport.com> and create an account.

A catalog of free archived webinars and online courses for library staff is available at **ALIVE (the Arizona Library Institute Virtual Extension)**, <http://azlibrarylearning.org>.

Clean Elections Candidate Materials Available to Libraries

Once again this year, the Citizens Clean Elections Commission will be providing **Primary and General Election Candidate Statement Pamphlets (CSP)** at no cost to libraries around the state. To request print copies (English/Spanish version and/or Large Print version) of the CSP's, contact Gina Roberts at 602-364-3477 or toll-free 877-631-8891, or via email at gina.roberts@azcleaselections.gov.

2014 Public Library Survey (Annual Statistics)

The Arizona State Library will make the 2013-14 Public Library Survey is now available at <https://az.countingopinions.com/>. *The deadline for completing the survey is Nov. 7, 2014.*

New: Capitol Stacks Newsletter

Since April, the State Library of Arizona (formerly the Law & Research Library) has been publishing *The Capitol Stacks*, a newsletter highlighting programs and information. To view a printable pdf of the newsletter visit [The Capitol Stacks](#).

Free Online Training from Around the Country

Check out these sites for free online educational opportunities:

[ALIVE \(Arizona Library Institute Virtual Extension\)](#)

[SkillSoft](#)

[WebJunction Courses & Webinar Archives](#)

[InfoPeople Archived Webinars](#)

[SirsiDynix Institute](#)

[TechSoup Webinar Archive](#)

[American Libraries Live](#)

[Libraries Thriving Archives](#)

[Booklist Webinars Archive](#)

[USL Online Learning Lab Archived Webinars](#)

Continuing Education Events

Unless otherwise indicated, registration for the following trainings is FREE.

October

7th—**Webinar:** [Beyond 3D Printers: Strategies for Makerspace Success](#) **(New)**

11 AM -12 PM, Booklist Webinar, <http://www.booklistonline.com/>

8th-9th— **Event:** [12th Gathering of Tribal Libraries: Cultural Revitalization in a Digital Age](#) **(New)**

5 PM-4 AM, Location TBA, <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

9th—**Webinar:** [Digitization and Libraries](#)

11 AM-12 PM, American Libraries Live Webinar, <http://americanlibrarieslive.org/>

9th—**Webinar:** [Yammerin' for Nonprofits and Libraries](#) **(New)**

9 AM-10 AM, Techsoup for Libraries Webinar, <http://www.techsoupforlibraries.org/>

14th—**Workshop:** [People With Soft Skills Get More Done & Are More Fun to Work With](#)

10 AM- 3:30 PM, Prescott Valley Public Library, Prescott, <http://apps.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

14th—**Webinar:** [Digital Citizenship: New Roles and Responsibilities in the Digital Age](#) **(New)**

10 AM-11 AM, WebJunction Webinar, <http://www.webjunction.org/>

14th—**Webinar:** [The Scoop on Series Nonfiction: More New Titles for Fall 2014](#) **(New)**

11 AM -12 PM, Booklist Webinar, <http://www.booklistonline.com/>

14th—**Webinar:** [Library UX: Strategic Branding and Identity Development](#) **(New)**

2 PM - 3 PM, Library Journal Webcast, <http://lj.libraryjournal.com/category/webcasts/>

15th—**Workshop:** [Got Stress? Build Change Resilience in Yourself & Your Library](#)
9 AM-4 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix, <http://apps.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

16th—**Workshop:** [Got Stress? Build Change Resilience in Yourself & Your Library](#)
9 AM-4 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix, <http://apps.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

16th—**Webinar:** [iPads, Mobile Devices and CIPA Compliance: An Update](#)
12 -1 PM, Infopeople Webinar, <https://infopeople.org>

21st—**Webinar:** [Serving the Underserved: Children with Disabilities at Your Library](#)
11 AM-12 PM, WebJunction Webinar, <http://www.webjunction.org/>

23rd— **Tour:** [Bible Museum](#) **(New)**
10-11:30 AM, Bible Museum, Goodyear, <http://www.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

28th—**Workshop:** [Using Census Data for Reference, Research and Grant Writing](#)
9 AM- 3:30 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix, <http://apps.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

28th—**Webinar:** [Library UX: Creating Usable and Useful Websites](#) **(New)**
2 PM - 3 PM, Library Journal Webcast, <http://lj.libraryjournal.com/category/webcasts/>

31st— **Tour:** Lost in History!! Arizona State Archives **(New)**
10-11:30 AM, Polly Rosenbaum History & Archives building, call 602-926-3720 to RSVP

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2-3:30 PM, Polly Rosenbaum History & Archives building, call 602-926-3720 to RSVP

November

4th— **Webinar:** [From Librarian to Proficient Manager: Uncovering the Transitional Journey](#) **(New)**
12 PM – 1 PM, WebJunction Webinar, <http://www.webjunction.org/events/webjunction.html>

6th—**Workshop:** [Putting Every Child Ready to Read 2 into Practice](#)
8:30 AM- 4 PM, Carnegie Center, Phoenix, <http://apps.azlibrary.gov/eventreg/>

6th—**Webinar:** [Open Access and Libraries](#)
11 AM-12 PM, American Libraries Live Webinar, <http://americanlibrarieslive.org/>

12th—**Webinar:** [Library Box Project: An Update](#)
12 -1 PM, Infopeople Webinar, <https://infopeople.org>

20th—**Webinar:** [Resource Description and Access Overview: Making RDA Work](#)
12 -1 PM, Infopeople Webinar, <https://infopeople.org>

20th—**Webinar:** [Library UX: Unique Programs and Services for an Engaged Community](#) **(New)**
3 PM - 4 PM, Library Journal Webcast, <http://lj.libraryjournal.com/category/webcasts/>

Conferences & Other Events

Continuing Education Scholarships can help defray the costs of workshop and conference attendance. [Click here to learn more about the scholarships.](#)

[AASL Fall Forum](#)

St. Louis, MI
October 17-18, 2014

[Internet Librarian](#)

Monterey, CA
October 27-29, 2014

[YALSA Symposium](#)

Austin, TX
October 21-November 2, 2014

[Arizona Library Association/Mountain Plains
Library Association Annual Conference](#)

Scottsdale, AZ
November 12-14, 2014

For more conference listings visit:

<http://lcp.douglashasty.com/index.html>