

**SIMMONS COLLEGE
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION
SCIENCE**

Class of 2006

FIRST PROFESSIONAL POSITION, FULL-TIME PLACEMENT BY TYPE OF LIBRARY

	<u>Academic</u>	<u>Archives</u>	<u>Public</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Special</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
WOMEN	19	4	16	6	12	57
MEN	2	2	3	1	2	10
TOTAL	21	6	19	7	14	67

PLACEMENT BY GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION

		<u>UNITED STATES</u>			<u>INTERNATIONAL</u>	
4	California	1	Maryland	3	New York	
4	Connecticut	48	Massachusetts	2	North Carolina	1 Lebanon
1	Delaware	1	Minnesota	2	Pennsylvania	1 Russia
1	Georgia	6	New Hampshire	1	Vermont	
				1	Washington	

BEGINNING SALARY BY TYPE OF LIBRARY

	<u>Academic</u>	<u>Archive</u>	<u>Public</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Special</u>
WOMEN					
High	\$57,000	\$42,240	\$58,000	\$50,000	\$72,500
Mean	\$39,713	\$37,435	\$39,382	\$41,350	\$47,452
Low	\$24,000	\$35,000	\$28,000	\$28,500	\$30,000
MEN					
High	\$57,500	\$35,600	\$55,000	-	\$56,000
Mean	\$48,250	\$35,300	\$44,000	\$42,500	\$55,500
Low	\$39,000	\$35,000	\$33,000	-	\$55,000
TOTAL					
High	\$57,500	\$42,240	\$58,000	\$50,000	\$72,500
Mean	\$40,662	\$36,723	\$40,111	\$41,514	\$48,690
Low	\$24,000	\$35,000	\$28,000	\$28,500	\$30,000

SUMMARY OF AVERAGE BEGINNING SALARIES

1998: \$32,400	2002: \$36,768
1999: \$33,700	2003: \$38,434
2000: \$33,775	2004: \$40,274
2001: \$35,585	2005: \$38,989

2006: \$42,332

In January 2007, the American Library Association passed a resolution endorsing a non-binding minimum salary of \$40,000 for professional librarians.