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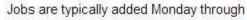
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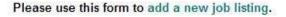
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Minnesota Libraries Jobline (last updated: 6/3/13)

Note: The Minnesota Libraries Jobline is a place to post jobs for librarians, information specialists and school media specialists in Minnesota and nearby states (and occasionally beyond). It is not a general jobs database. Posting is free of charge.



Thursday and will be listed according to when they were posted on this list - in descending order by date. The most recently added jobs are listed first.





Position: Cataloging & Database Maintenance Internship Hennepin County Library

Opening Date: 5/13/13 Closing Date: 7/5/13 Job Type: Internship

Location: Ridgedale Library, 12601 Ridgedale Drive, Minnetonka, Minnesota

The Position: The Cataloging Section at Hennepin County Library (HCL) provides centralized cataloging for the 41 HCL libraries. We use OCLC Connection and Library of Congress tools. We apply MARC, RDA, AACR2, LSCH and LCC standards in our cataloging. Our ILS is Horizon from the Siri/Dynex Company.

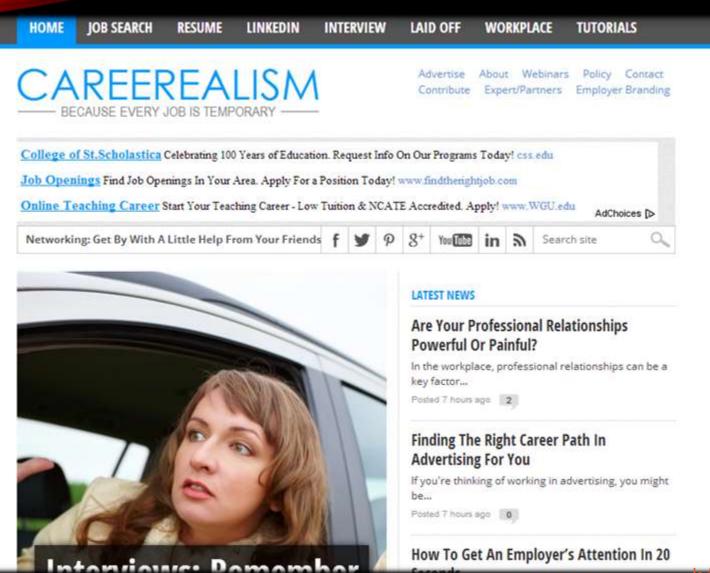
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Job Search Tips

- Don't apply for every job
- Search committees
- Apply for what you actually have a chance for
- Focus your search
- Conflicting advice
- Have a plan, be organized
- Strengths and weaknesses

Cover Letter Tips

- Read it again and check spelling
- Have correct address
- Keep a basic CL on file
- Relocating
- Sell yourself
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Access Services Librarian cover letter

Posted: February 1, 2013 | Author: Open Cover Letters | Filed under: Academic | Tags: access services, circulation, social media | 1 Comment »

Dear Ms.

I am writing in regards to the Access Services Librarian position that you are currently advertising on the HigherEdJobs.com website. This is a position in which I am highly interested, and I feel that I am a strong candidate based upon my education and my experience in providing access services to academic library patrons.

The educational requirements of the Access Services Librarian position closely align to my scholastic background. I received my ALA-accredited MLIS degree through the University of in August 20. In addition to my MLIS, I hold both an undergraduate and a graduate degree in history from and a graduate degree in popular culture studies from

While at a large I taught a survey course in popular culture for three semesters. I also used current and emerging technologies to develop instructional and informational content for my library science degree, including a LibGuide, a personal webpage, and a video training module for Google Reader.

Similarly, my work in academic libraries has prepared me for the responsibilities that the Access Services
Librarian position will entail. I was an assistant for two different special collections libraries while at
and totaling over a year of experience. For the last four-plus years, I have been an evening

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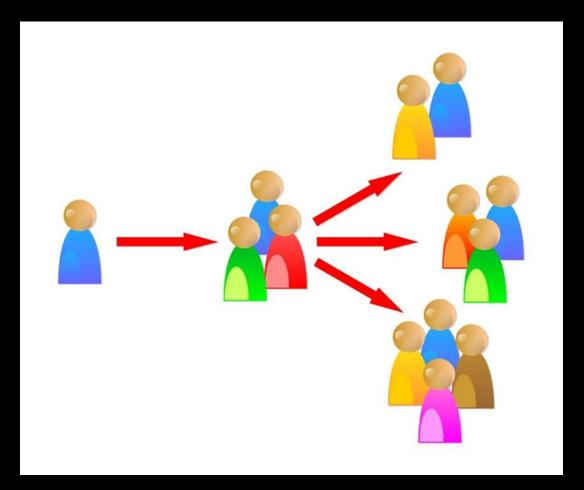
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Interview Tips

- Research the company
- Have questions ready to ask
- Dress professionally
- Phone and Skype interviews
- Thank you letters

- Involvement
- Key
- Referral
- Potential
- Expand



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ALA American Library Association



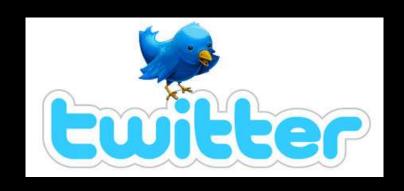












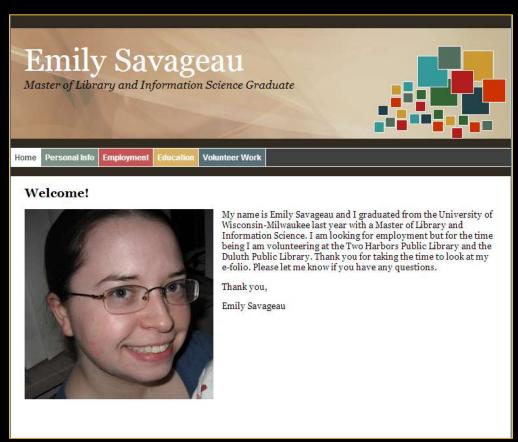
"Networking is about helping other people as much as it is about getting people to help you. A reputation as a helpful networker goes a long way. The more you can help others with job leads and career advice, the more willing people will be to help you in return."

Build Your Network | ISEEK. (n.d.). ISEEK | Minnesota's career, education, and job resource. Retrieved June 14, 2012, from http://www.iseek.org/jobs/network.html

- The ePortfolio spotlights
 - Salaried and volunteer experience
 - Projects, activities, results
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 - Conference activity
 - Publications
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Professional Work Experience

Learning Resources Center Technician 2011 - Present WITC-Superior

- * Install, maintain, and troubleshoot classroom instructional technologies.
- * Provide reference and library instruction services to students, faculty, and staff.
- * Design and teach information literacy, resource discovery, and APA formatting instructional sessions in a variety of subject areas.
- * Select and catalog library collection materials.

Course Designer/Instructor 2005 - 2012

Duluth Business University

Courses: Business Writing I & II, Expository Writing, College Composition, Introduction to Literature (including online and land-based classes)

- * Design and teach online and land-based courses for two-year and four-year degree students.
- * Incorporate and teach information literacy instructional sessions within classes.
- * Write promotional and informational text for the University's web site and for area newspapers.

Writer 1997- Present The Woman Today Magazine

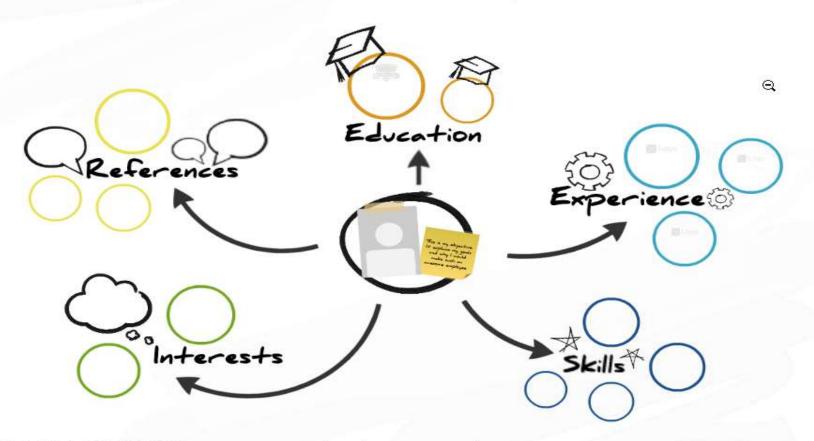
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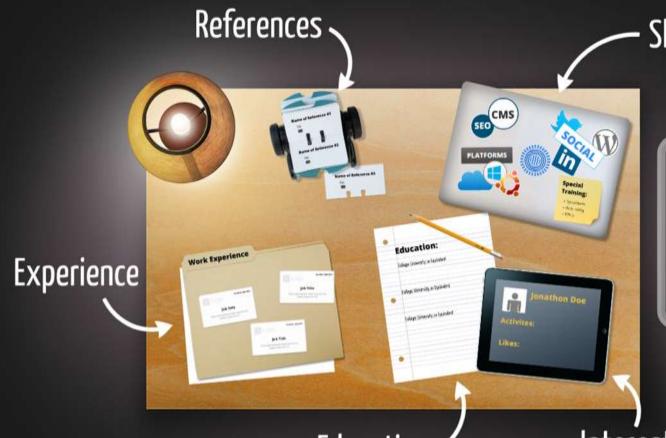
The Resume of John D. Doe



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The Professional Life of **Jonathon Doe**

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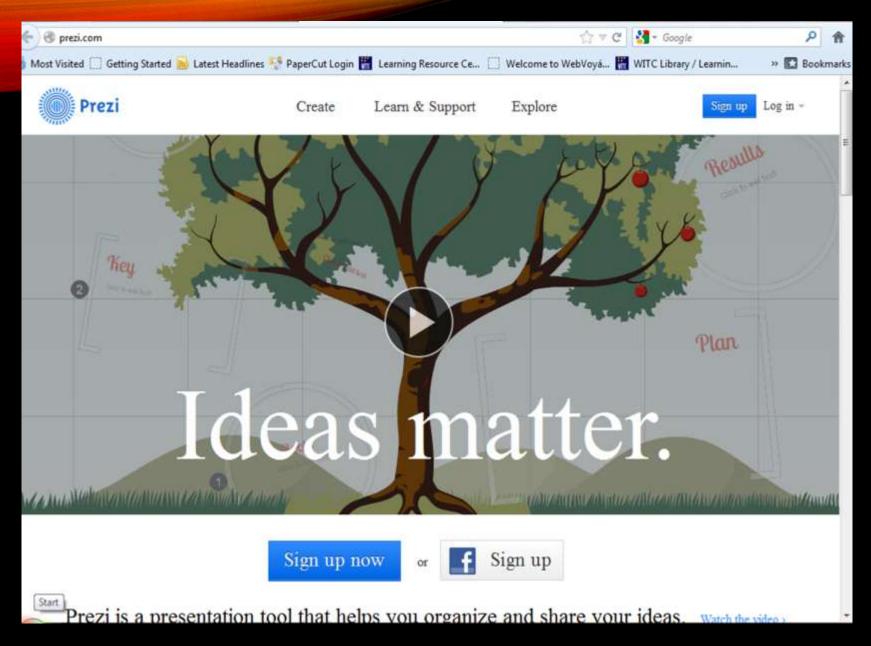
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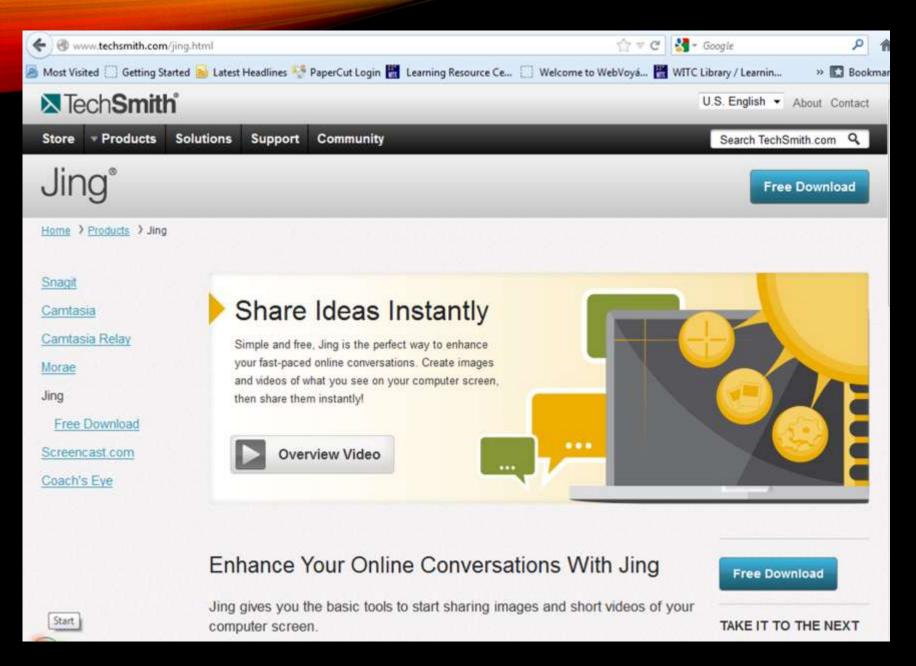
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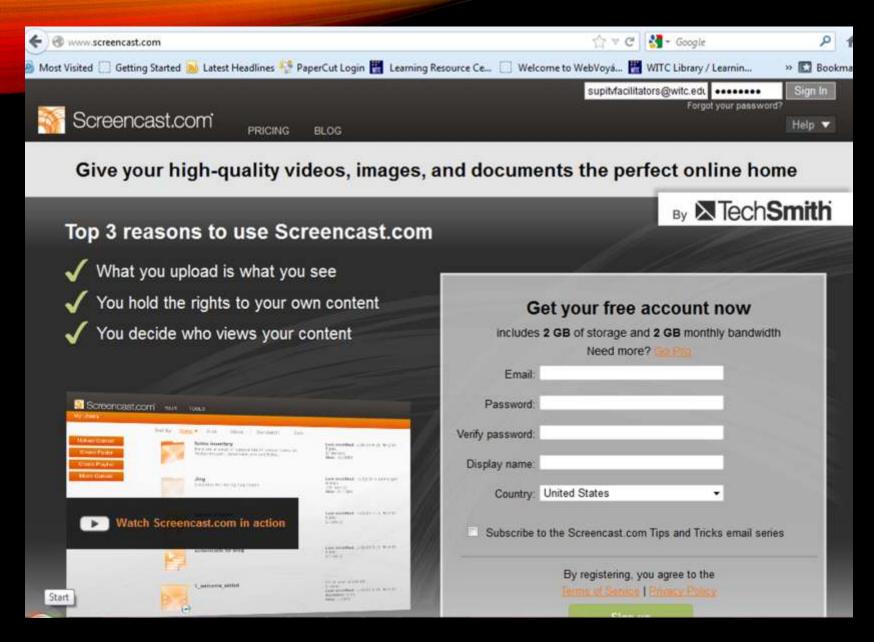
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(from Ellyssa Kroski at http://oedb.org/ilibrarian/17-tips-to-improve-your-online-presence/)

- Profile Tips ---
 - Use One Image
 - Create One Bio
 - Cross-Link Profiles
 - Use Good Judgment

- Use Privacy Settings
- Look for New Friends
- Join Groups
- Get the Vanity URL

- Status Update Tips
 - Professional Development Activities
 - Links to Presentations/Videos/Articles/Papers
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Increase Circulation of Audiobooks: Build a Bridge From

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Posted on April 30th, 2013

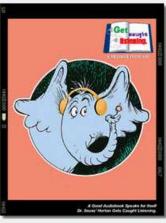


In Marketing Strategies Help Vitalize Audiobook Collections, Raya Kuzyk offers great marketing strategies you can use at your library to improve circulation and visibility of audiobooks.

(It doesn't hurt that June is Audiobook Month, and winners of the 2013 Audie Awards will be announced May 30th.)

Try these top tips for cross-promoting audio with other formats:

- stickers could be put onto print books to advertise companion audio editions, as well as onto DVD packaging in the case of movie/book/audio tie-ins
- For certain of its children's titles, MPL displays audiobook editions alongside the print. The measure has noticeably enticed young readers — "especially those [with] reading difficulties" — to check out both versions. Says MPL's Stirling, "They seem to like the idea of being able to listen while following along with the book." Indeed, there



Horton Hears an Audiobook from the Get Caught Listening campaign

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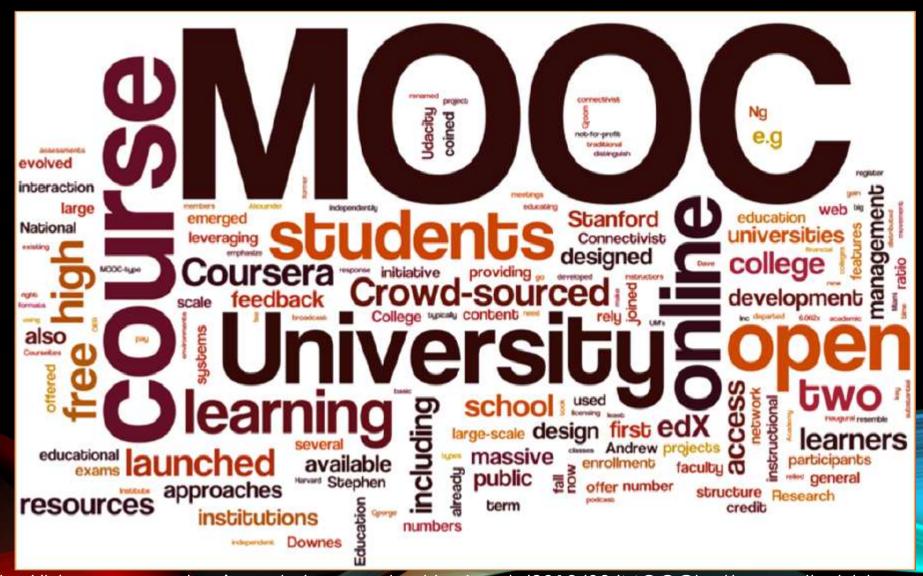
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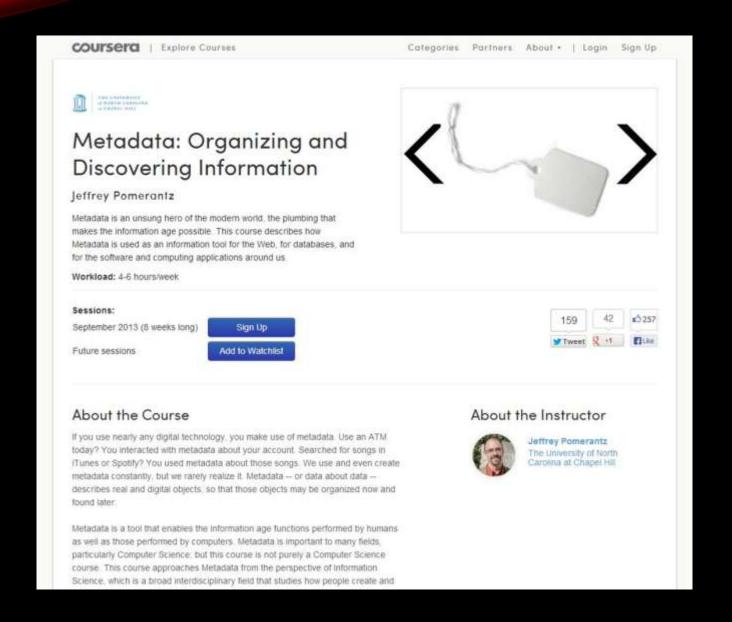
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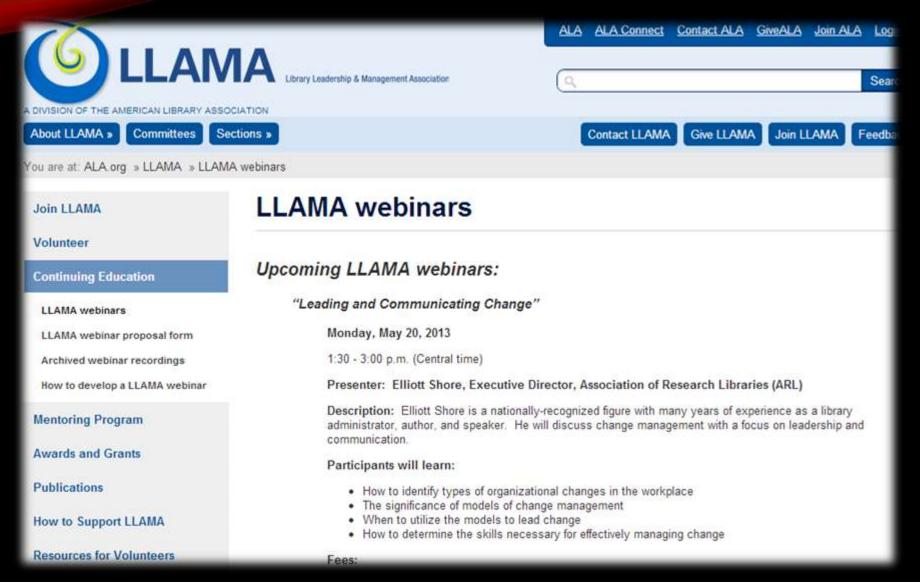
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