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### Carmel Library Welcomes New Director



The Board of Trustees of the Carmel Clay Public Library recently announced the appointment of Carolyn Goolsby, MLS, as the new Library Director. Most recently, Ms. Goolsby served as the Director of the Wood Buffalo Regional Library (WBRL) in Fort McMurray, Alberta, Canada.

### Statehood Day 2015

Attention Principals, Teacher, and Parents of Indiana 4th grade Students:

On December 11, 1816, Indiana was admitted as the 19th state to join the Union. On Friday, December 11th, 2015, downtown Indianapolis will come alive with many opportunities for your 2014-2015 4th grade groups to celebrate Indiana's 199th birthday.

Four different organizations will be hosting Statehood Day activities: Indiana State House Tour Office  
Indiana State Library  
Indiana State Museum  
Indiana Historical Society

All four locations will hold exciting and educational activities for 2015-2016 4th graders and have a formal



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## Indiana Library Jobs



### [Branch Manager](#)

St. Joseph County Public Library

### [Library Director](#)

South Whitley Community Public Library

### [Children's & Youth Services Senior](#)

[Assistant part-time \(24 hrs/wk\)](#)

Carmel Clay Public Library

### [Branch Manager](#)

Jefferson County Public Library

### [Youth/Children's Services](#)

[Department Head](#)

Goshen Public Library

### [Library Director](#)

North Manchester Public Library

### [READ \(Children's\) Center Supervisor](#)

Evansville Vanderburgh Public Library

### [Children's Services Librarian](#)

Johnson County Public Library

To see the complete list of current openings listed on the ISL [Continuing Education Jobs page](#) click [here](#)

During her time at WBRL, she instituted teen and seniors programming, a community connection program, built the TOTAL Aboriginal Cultural Corner, and broadened the library's mission to serve the entire Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo – a specialized municipality of approximately 27,500 square miles, covering most of northeastern Alberta. With such a large service area in a remote northern region, staff had to fly to some communities in a bush plane to provide library services.

During WBRL's Northern Insights Speakers Series, Goolsby met Arlene Dickinson, Chris Hadfield and Peter Mansbridge (the Canadian Walter Cronkite). She also interviewed Martha Stewart.

In 2002, Goolsby competed on Jeopardy! and won one show. She lost the second day to a Marine Corps Sergeant. She enjoys cooking and is a Kansas City Barbecue Society certified competition judge. She also makes her own mozzarella cheese.

Goolsby is an accomplished singer, and received her Bachelor of Arts in Music (Voice Performance) from Armstrong Atlantic State University in Savannah, Georgia in 1991. She earned her Master of Library Science degree in 1993 from the University of Maryland.

She began her library career as a federal contractor, working for The Smithsonian Institution, the National Library of Medicine, and eventually the Library of Congress. After the contract positions, she worked at Clemson University and then Florida State University, where in addition to her library duties, she taught Library Science in the Graduate

Statehood Day program including guest speakers from state government as well as the reading of a winning Statehood Day Essay supported by the Indiana Center for the Book. For more information on the essay contest, please visit:

[www.in.gov/library/statehood.htm](http://www.in.gov/library/statehood.htm)

## Free upcoming webinars approved for LEUs

[Free Upcoming Webinars Approved by ISL for LEUs](#) are waiting for you to register. All are free; all are approved for LEUs.

Remember there are multiple tabs alphabetized by subject at the bottom of the page. If you don't see something you like when you open the spreadsheet, please scroll through the other 30+ tabs.

## ALISON.com provides free continuing education

Librarians are encouraged to go to [ALISON.com](http://ALISON.com) and browse through the free continuing education courses available on a wide range of topics.

All the instructions and information you need on LEUs and course eligibility are at [ALISON.com](http://ALISON.com) [Courses Approved by ISL for LEUs](#) (also available from <http://continuinged.isl.in.gov/find-training/>).

## 2015 Bookkeeping/Annual Report Workshop

Wednesday, November 4 or  
Tuesday, November 10, 2015  
10:30 AM – 4:00 PM EST

The 2015 Bookkeeping and Annual Report Workshop for public library



[Bloomfield-Eastern Greene Library selected for scholarship](#)

Bloomfield-Eastern Greene County Public Library

[Library receives scholarship from MCLS](#)

Greensburg-Decatur County Public Library

[Match Day brings in \\$400,000 for local nonprofits](#)

Hancock County Public Library

[Writing the Closing Chapter](#)

Johnson County Public Library

[Kokomo to host Heartland Film Festival's Best of the Fest](#)

Kokomo-Howard County Public Library

[Library program captivates children with sensory challenges](#)

Monroe County Public Library

[Washington library receives scholarship](#)

Washington Carnegie Public Library

[Willard Library to host theater program](#)

Willard Public Library

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## Upcoming Workshops & Important Dates

[Library Spaces for Youth](#)

10am-11am

School of the FSU College of Information. Goolsby then moved across the country to work for the Tacoma (Washington) Public Library, where she stayed for more than 5 years.

In 2013, she accepted the Library Director position in Fort McMurray, and while she thoroughly enjoyed her time there, found northern Canada to be a bit too isolating. When the Carmel Library position became available, Goolsby decided to apply. "The more I learned about Carmel, the more interested I got – especially when I heard about the mayor's and the community's commitment to cultural institutions, and Carmel's great quality of life. I already knew that the Carmel Clay Public Library is one of the top libraries in the country – CCPL is doing good work and I want to be a part of that! When I visited in May, Carmel itself completely charmed me. I'm so pleased to be offered the opportunity to be a part of this library and this community," she stated.

## New Library Director

Bart Stinson is the new Director at Pike County Public Library, as of yesterday. You can reach him at [bartstinson@hotmail.com](mailto:bartstinson@hotmail.com)

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directors, business managers, bookkeepers, treasurers, and library trustees will be held on Wednesday, November 4 and repeated on Tuesday, November 10, 2015. The workshop includes presentations on end of year actions and financial/budgetary changes that will be helpful in the accounting process, as well as an overview of changes to the 2015 Public Library Annual Report.

Participants have the option of participating in-person or via webinar. You only need to sign up for \*ONE\* date and event.

To register for the in-person workshop, select a date:

[November 4](#)

[November 10](#)

To register for the webinar, select a date:

[November 4](#)

[November 10](#)

This workshop is worth 4 General LEUS.

## New Indiana Children's Authors & Illustrators site launches

Check out the new Indiana Children's Authors & Illustrators site brought to you by the Indiana State Library's Young Reader's Center coming soon in 2016! <http://childrensauthors.in.gov/>

## Certification Task Force meeting Aug 28

The next certification task force meeting will be on Friday, August 28, from 10:00 to 1:00 (Eastern) in meeting room A at the [Avon-Washington Township Public Library](#) (317-272-4818). The library address is [498 North Avon Ave, Avon, IN 46123](#) (also referred

When: Friday, August 28

Where: Webinar

[SAMS Conference](#)

September 17-18, 2015

Westfield-Washington Public Library

333 W Hoover St, Westfield, IN

46074

['The Difference is You' Professional Development Event](#)

8:30am-4:45pm

When: September 22, 2015

Where: Indianapolis Public Library

[Vision Expo](#)

All Day Event

When: Saturday, September 26

Where: Indiana State Library

[Genealogy & Local History Fair](#)

9am-3:30pm

When: Saturday, October 24

Where: Indiana State Library

[ILF Annual Conference](#)

November 16-18, 2015

Marriott East, Indianapolis

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