



# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY  
**EDWARDSVILLE**

Faculty Position FY19-042

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## Position Title

STEM Librarian, Assistant/Associate Professor

## Hiring Unit

Library and Information Services

## Job Description/Responsibilities

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Library and Information Services invites applications from dynamic, proactive, and service-oriented candidates for the position of STEM Librarian.

As a member of the Library faculty, this position participates in library governance activities, provides expertise regarding innovations and trends relating to the management of electronic resources, contributes to creative and scholarly research, and participates in campus-wide committees.

**DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES:** Reporting to the Interim Dean, the STEM Librarian will serve as a subject liaison librarian for the School of Engineering and for the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) departments of Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Environmental Sciences, Mathematics and Statistics, and Physics.

### PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Liaison to the School of Engineering and for the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) departments of Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Environmental Sciences, Mathematics and Statistics, Physics and STEM Center.
- Direct support for teaching and learning through instruction/lab sessions, or workshops in traditional or online formats.
- Provides in-depth research consultations and assistance as requested.
- Creates subject based information resources including LibGuides and open resource materials.
- Collaborate with LIS and/or teaching faculty to support information literacy learning goals and research.
- Provide reference services in all appropriate media, including individual and small group research consultation.
- Participates in the selection of materials and resources in various formats to support both student learning and faculty teaching and research.
- Engagement with users in areas of scholarly communication, including open access or e-Science.

All LIS faculty and staff are responsible for working collaboratively to achieve University and LIS goals and objectives.

## About SIUE

Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is a nationally recognized university that provides students with a high-quality, affordable education that prepares them for successful careers and lives of purpose. Built on the foundation of a broad-based liberal education, and enhanced by hands-on research and real-world experiences, the academic preparation SIUE students receive equips them to thrive in the global marketplace and make our communities better places to live.

Situated on 2,660 acres of beautiful woodland atop the bluffs overlooking the natural beauty of the Mississippi River's rich bottom land and only 25 minutes from downtown St. Louis, the SIUE campus is home to a diverse student body of more than 14,000.

SIUE is educating and developing professional and community leaders through excellent faculty and programs. U.S. News & World Report Best Colleges of 2017 lists SIUE among the top 15 public Regional Universities Midwest for the 13th consecutive year.

Fully certified at the Division I level by the NCAA, SIUE is a member of the Ohio Valley Conference and the Mid-American Conference (MAC) (men's soccer & wrestling). The city of Edwardsville is consistently cited as one of the top cities in Illinois for families, based on several factors, including affordability, green spaces, excellent schools, low crime rate, financial stability and philanthropic spirit.

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## Minimum Qualifications

- M.L.S. or equivalent degree in information science from an American Library Association-accredited library/information school
- Bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited university in a core STEM field
- Proven track record teaching information literacy classes, seminars, workshops, etc.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills

## Preferred Qualifications

- Demonstrated work experience in an academic or research library
- Knowledge and experience using statistical, reporting, or data graphing software such as Mathematica, MATLAB, SPSS, NVivo, SAS, etc.
- Demonstrated experience and expertise in the use of library/information technology

## Source of Funds

State

## Salary

Minimum of \$50,000. Negotiable dependent upon credentials and experience. We welcome early career librarians. Salary is dependent upon post-MLS experience and credentials. Excellent benefits program.

## Terms of Appointment

Assistant or Associate Professor, 12-month continuing contract, tenure-track position. To successfully achieve tenure, the successful candidate must demonstrate continued achievement in librarianship, scholarship and service in order to meet library and University criteria for tenure and promotion.

## Application Process

To apply, submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae/resume, contact information for three professional references, and copies/scans of all transcripts to: [lscatur@siue.edu](mailto:lscatur@siue.edu)

Or mail to:

STEM Librarian Search Committee  
Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville  
Lovejoy Library, Campus Box 1063  
Edwardsville, IL 62026-1063

## Application Deadline

All application materials must be received by September 21, 2018.

Additional information regarding the Library and University can be found at the web site: <http://www.siue.edu/lovejoylibrary/>



Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is a state university. Benefits under state sponsored plans may not be available to holders of F1 or J1 visas. Applicants will be subject to a background check and/or drug screening prior to an offer of employment.



SIUE is an Equal Opportunity Employer committed to an inclusive and diverse workforce. We will not discriminate against any person on the basis of age, color, disability status, gender, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran status. We encourage applications from women, minorities, protected veterans and people with disabilities. In compliance with the ADA Amendments Acts (ADAAA), if you have a disability and would like to request an accommodation in order to apply for a position with SIUE, please call 618-650-2190 or email [EmploymentHR@siue.edu](mailto:EmploymentHR@siue.edu).

The SIUE Annual Security and Fire Safety Report is available online at [siue.edu/securityreport](http://siue.edu/securityreport). The report contains campus safety and security information, crime statistics, fire safety policies, and fire statistics for the previous three calendar years. This report is published in compliance with Federal law, titled the "Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act" and the Higher Education Opportunity Act also known as the "Campus Fire Safety Right to Know." For those without computer access, a paper copy of the report may be obtained, with a 24-hour notice, from the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Administration, Rendleman Hall, Room 2228, 618-650-2536.

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