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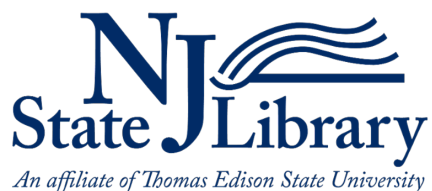
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Update on the New Jersey Digital Newspaper Project

The National Endowment for the Humanities has announced that the NJDNP has received an additional round of funding in the amount of \$219,609 to digitize historical New Jersey newspapers and make them available to the public via the Library of Congress's Chronicling America website. The NJDNP - a collaboration between Rutgers University Libraries, the New Jersey State Archives, and the New Jersey State Library - is part of the National Digital Newspaper Program, a long-term effort to develop a searchable online database of U.S. newspapers from all 50 states.

[Read more here...](#)

Register Now! Library Journal Design Institute

Hosted by *Library Journal* in partnership with **Cherry Hill Public Library**, the **New Jersey Library Association**, and the **NJ State Library**, the newest installment of our library building and design event will bring you the latest trends in library design. Dig deep with architects, librarians, and vendors to explore building anew and renovating or retrofitting spaces both large and small that will engage your community. Whether you're in the dreaming and planning stages or further along the design road, you'll find ideas, information, and inspiration, no matter your budget! Join us on Fri, September 28, 2018, 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM at the Cherry Hill Public Library located at 1100 Kings Highway North, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034.

All New Jersey registrants will receive a promotional 30% discount using the code: NJ30.

[Learn more & register...](#)

MentorNJ In-Person Networking Event 2018

This free networking event will be held Oct. 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Monroe Township (Middlesex

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County) Library. Attendees will hear a presentation on Current and Emerging Technology Trends, presented by Bohyun Kim, Chief Technology Officer and Associate Professor at the University of Rhode Island Libraries. The day will also include networking, a group challenge, and breakout table discussions on various technology subjects.

[Learn more & register...](#)

LYRASIS Classes for August

Class Spotlight: Generation Z: Libraries and Post-Millennial Generation, Aug. 29, 3 - 4 p.m.

[See classes offered by LYRASIS...](#)

Enjoy LYRASIS Savings & Benefits

LYRASIS and the NJ State Library are teaming up to bring NJ libraries opportunities for professional development and discounts on library supplies.

[Read more...](#)

Librarian of the Year Nomination

Library Journal editors are seeking nominations for the 31st annual *Library Journal* Librarian of the Year Award to honor a professional librarian for outstanding achievement and accomplishments reflecting the loftiest service goals of the library profession. Deadline is Oct. 1.

[Read more...](#)

Lands' End Love Learning Award

Through the Love Learning campaign, Lands' End is leveraging the National Summer Learning Association's (NSLA) vast network of experiential summer programs to shine a spotlight specifically on quality programs that bring learning to life in informal learning spaces and support families in meaningful ways. Particular focus will be given to summer programs that focus on environmental stewardship, STEM/STEAM (science, technology, engineering, math, arts) as candidates for the First Annual Lands' End Love Learning Award. The award recipient of the prestigious Lands' End Love Learning Award will be a

well-rounded educational program with a dynamic vision. The winning program will receive a \$10,000 award and national recognition.

[Learn more...](#)

National Leadership Grants for Libraries & Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program - Deadline Sept. 17

The Institute of Museum and Library Services is now accepting FY 2019 proposals for these two programs.

New this year, IMLS is offering one application deadline for the two programs, which have previously each had two cycles per year. Applicants have through Sept. 17 to submit their two-page preliminary proposals. Pre-application webinars will be held on July 10 and July 25 with program staff.

[Read more about National Leadership Grants...](#)

[Read more about the Laura Bush program...](#)

As always, we look forward to your feedback. Please don't hesitate to forward any questions or concerns to the NJSL Communications & Marketing Team.

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