The following checklist includes all required courses for completion of the Government Information Management and Services Specialization, as of Fall 2013. See page two for the planned program of study for the online cohort.

**Core Courses - 12 credits**

*Within the first 18 credits of the program:*
- LBSC 602: Serving Information Needs
- LBSC 631: Achieving Organizational Excellence
- LBSC 671: Creating Information Infrastructures

*After completion of 24 credit hours:*
- LBSC 791: Designing Principled Inquiry

**Field Study Requirement – 3 credits**

- LBSC 707: Field Study in Library Science

**Specialization Requirements - 21 credits**

- INST 607: E-government: Information, Communication, and Policy
- INST 612: Information Policy
- LBSC 620: Diverse Populations, Inclusion, and Information
- LBSC 708J: Planning and Evaluation for Government Information Services
- LBSC 708K: E-Librarianship
- LBSC 735: Legal Issues in Managing Information
- LBSC 767: Access to Federal Government Information
Below is the planned program of study for the online cohort. This program is aligned with the two-year course plan and reflects when courses will be offered. However, it may be necessary to make adjustments based on course availability. For information about when courses will be offered, please refer to the public two-year course plans located at [http://ischool.umd.edu/content/course-schedules](http://ischool.umd.edu/content/course-schedules)

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• LBSC 631: Achieving Organizational Excellence |
| **Spring 1** | • INST 612: Information Policy  
• LBSC 671: Creating Information Infrastructures |
| **Summer 1** | • INST 767: Access to Federal Government Information  
• INST 607: E-government |
| **Fall 2** | • LBSC 620: Diverse Populations, Inclusion, and Information  
• LBSC 708K: E-Librarianship |
| **Spring 2** | • LBSC 707: Field Study  
• LBSC 791: Designing Principled Inquiry |
| **Summer 2** | • LBSC 708J: Planning and Evaluation for Government Information Services  
• LBSC 735: Legal Issues in Managing Information |