



## **Information and Diverse Populations Specialization Checklist**

The following checklist includes all required courses for completion of the Information and Diverse Populations Specialization, as of Fall 2013. See page two for example programs of study.

### **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 – 15 credits**

- LBSC 620: Diverse Populations, Inclusion, and Information
- LBSC 622: Universal Usability
- INST 612: Information Policy
- INST 613: Information and Human Rights
- INST 614: Inclusion, Literacy, and the Public Good

### **Elective Courses – 6 credits**

Elective 1: \_\_\_\_\_

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Below are sample programs of study. These programs are aligned with the two-year course plan and reflect when courses will be offered. However, it is not required that you move through the program in this order. 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>

**If you are taking 3 courses per semester:**

<b>Fall 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LBSC 602: Serving Information Needs</li> <li>• LBSC 620: Diverse Populations, Inclusion, and Information</li> <li>• LBSC 631: Achieving Organizational Excellence</li> </ul>
<b>Spring 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INST 614: Inclusion, Literacy, and the Public Good</li> <li>• LBSC 622: Information and Universal Usability</li> <li>• LBSC 671: Creating Information Infrastructure</li> </ul>
<b>Fall 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INST 613: Information and Human Rights</li> <li>• Elective 1: _____</li> <li>• Elective 2: _____</li> </ul>
<b>Spring 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INST 612: Information Policy</li> <li>• LBSC 707: Field Study</li> <li>• LBSC 791: Designing Principled Inquiry</li> </ul>

**If you are taking 2 courses per semester:**

<b>Fall 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LBSC 602: Serving Information Needs</li> <li>• LBSC 631: Achieving Organizational Excellence</li> </ul>
<b>Spring 1</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INST 622: Information and Universal Usability</li> <li>• LBSC 671: Creating Information Infrastructures</li> </ul>
<b>Fall 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LBSC 620: Diverse Populations, Inclusion, and Information</li> <li>• Elective 1: _____</li> </ul>
<b>Spring 2</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INST 614: Inclusion, Literacy, and the Public Good</li> <li>• INST 612: Information Policy</li> </ul>
<b>Fall 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• INST 613: Information and Human Rights</li> <li>• Elective 2: _____</li> </ul>
<b>Spring 3</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LBSC 707: Field Study</li> <li>• LBSC 791: Designing Principled Inquiry</li> </ul>