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Explore a Career in Libraries

The University Center of Lake County is partnering with the North Suburban Library System, Dominican University, and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, to provide an information session about returning to school for a master's degree in library and information sciences. Dominican and UIUC offer master's programs in library and information science (MLIS) through the University Center. The free program will be held on Tuesday, February 2, from 4-6:30 pm at the North Suburban Library System auditorium, 200 W. Dundee Road in Wheeling. To register, visit <http://www.librarylearning.info/events/?eventID=9021>.

Donna Dziedzic, Executive Director of Naperville Public Library and past president of the Illinois Library Association will discuss how library students can plan for employment and will highlight the skills that employers look for in applicants. Admissions representatives from both institutions will

provide practical information about the application process, financial resources to explore, and an overview of each University's program. They will share specifics about their two programs, so attendees can determine whether Dominican's face-to-face program or UIUC's online program is a good match for their own schedule and learning preferences.

Faculty and alumni will also be available to talk with participants individually about how to prepare for a graduate program in library science, how to balance work and life responsibilities while attending a graduate degree program, and the variety of careers available in libraries.

For more information about this event or either degree program, visit www.ucenter.org or contact Tonia Baxter at tbaxter@ucenter.org or (847) 665-4014.

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