Recent Job Postings for Santa Barbara Public Library

User Experience Manager:

Working with the Library Director, the User Experience Manager (Library Services Manager) is responsible for leading the library's activities in a successful path. As the co-chief decision maker after the director, the leader will have both long-range and peripheral vision, be dynamic and creative, an outstanding project manager, and have business acumen in planning, coordinating teams and managing the operations, programs and services of the library system. This individual will be able to make the library a more interactive environment. This candidate will be able to improve management and supervision capacity along with building teams that will understand cost-benefit efficiencies, apply technological improvements and business principles with understanding of current trends and best practices, apply creative solutions, and look for effective and tangible results. The successful candidate will also be able to work in a fast-paced environment, inspire and motivate people, generate optimism and guide achievement to reach beyond what is understood or expected. The User Experience Manager will also assist in the administration and operations of the Library Department; manage the budget, and serve as the department's budget liaison to the Finance department; recommend, develop and implement program and policy changes, speak before civic groups and organizations regarding library services and policies. Assignments may also include directing branch operations.

Marketing and Programming Librarian:

The Santa Barbara Public Library is seeking a dynamic, creative professional with a passion for making Library connections, and a commitment to supporting and fostering the community's spirit, imagination, and culture. This position will provide the opportunity to lead the way in reaching library users wherever they are and developing and promoting innovative and inspiring arts, informational, and technological programs.

Strategist and Innovation Manager:

Working with the Library Director, the Strategist & Manager of Innovation is responsible for leading the library’s activities in a successful path. As the chief decision maker after the director, the manager will have both long-range and peripheral vision, be an outstanding project manager, and have business acumen in planning, coordinating teams and managing the operations, programs, and services of the library system. This individual will be able to improve management and supervision capacity along with building teams that will understand cost-benefit efficiencies, apply technological improvements and business principles with understanding of current trends and best practices; apply creative solutions, and look for effective and tangible results. The Library is set to launch long-term goal planning and is looking for someone who has a long-range vision of the library of the future. The successful candidate will also be able to inspire and motivate people, generate optimism and guide achievement to reach beyond what is understood or expected. The Strategist & Manager of Innovation will also assist in the administration and operations of the Library Department; manage the budget; recommend, develop and implement program and policy changes, speak before civic groups and organizations regarding library services and policies. Assignments may also include directing branch operations.