



Global Connections

a new management development program for national and regional library professionals

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In 2016 the Mortenson Center, in collaboration with the International and Area Studies Library, will offer a program uniquely tailored to the needs of librarians in management positions at national and regional libraries.

Global Connections, a ten-day program, is designed for management professionals to engage and learn about innovative practices and services in areas such as:

- International collaboration and research networks
- Sharing expertise and cross-training
- High level management issues and practices to address opportunities and challenges faced by libraries
- Global trends in information policy
- Professional networking with managers from prominent U.S. institutions: Library of Congress, OCLC, national libraries, state library associations, selected prominent universities, and subject specialists
- Digital and print collections
- Leadership and management communication
- Institutional Advocacy

Application Requirements:

Application must be submitted in English along with supporting documentation in order to be considered.

Applicants must secure adequate funding to support a stay at the Mortenson Center in order to be accepted into the program.

This program is delivered in English only. Participants should be fluent in conversational English and possess a reading knowledge of English.

Program Costs:

The program cost of \$3000 covers housing, some meals, local transportation, cultural and professional trips, and medical insurance. Participants are responsible for their airfare, in-country visa fees, and *per diem*.

Upon acceptance, the applicants must provide a \$500 non-refundable deposit to hold their place in the program. The deposit will be deducted from required program fees.

Applications for the program are due on March 15, 2016.
Visit www.library.illinois.edu/mortenson for more information.

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Mortenson Center for International Library Programs and the International and Area Studies Library
For more information about the 2016 program or to download an application, please visit the Mortenson Center website: www.library.illinois.edu/mortenson/

