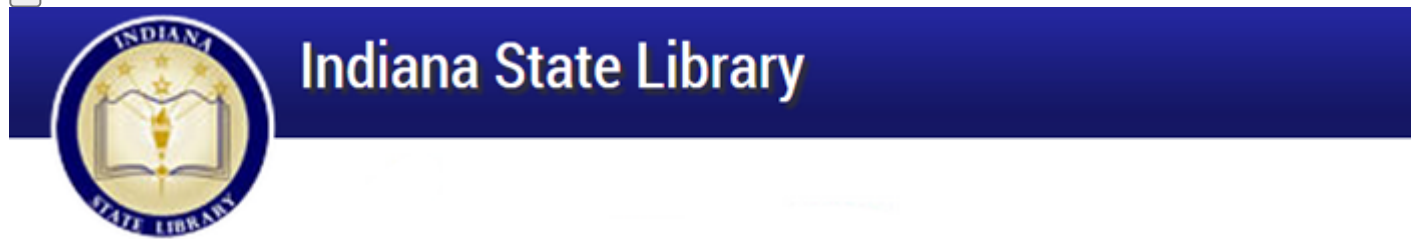


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Free legal webinars scheduled in September and October



The Indiana State Library has scheduled two legal refresher webinars, one in September and one in October.

On Tuesday, Sept. 20, from 1:30-2:30 p.m., the State Library will present "Open Door Law and Access to Public Records Act Refresher." This webinar will serve as a refresher on the Open Door

Upcoming workshops and important dates

[Raising Ready Readers](#)
When: Sept. 13, 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Student Loan Debt for Librarians and Library Staff](#)
When: Sept 13, 2-3 p.m.
Where: Webinar

[What's Up Wednesday - Get INSPIRED: Reference Centers](#)
When: Sept. 14, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[Difference is You Conference](#)
When: Sept. 23, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.
Where: Indiana State Library

[Certification Update: Lots to Like About Our New Rules](#)
When: Sept. 27, 10-11 a.m.
Where: Webinar

[What's Up Wednesday: Beginner's Guide to Being in Charge](#)

Indiana library jobs



This week's new Indiana library jobs

[Teen Librarian](#)

Elkhart Public Library

[Access Services Library Assistant \(part-time\)](#)

Hancock County Public Library

[Youth Services Librarian I \(part-time\)](#)

Hussey-Mayfield Memorial Public Library

[Chief Executive Officer](#)

Indianapolis Public Library

[Manager - Community Branch](#)

Indianapolis Public Library

[Public Services Librarian- Juvenile Focus](#)

Indianapolis Public Library

[Children's Librarian](#)

Johnson County Public Library

[Library Assistant V – Programming](#)

Johnson County Public Library

[Adult Services Specialist II](#)

Muncie Public Library

[Circulation Supervisor](#)

Muncie Public Library

[Heritage Collection Specialist \(part-time\)](#)

Nappanee Public Library

[Technology Specialist](#)

Nappanee Public Library

[Adult Service Coordinator](#)

New Carlisle-Olive Township Public Library

[Library Director](#)

Peabody Public Library

Law and the Access to Public Records Act. Provisions commonly applicable to libraries will be covered.

The webinar is eligible for one LEU for Indiana Library staff. Click [here](#) to register. After registering, participants will receive confirmation and a link to join the Zoom meeting.

On Monday, Oct. 17 from 1:30 -2:30 p.m., the State Library will present "Indiana Library Laws Refresher." The one-hour webinar will refresh the participant's memory on the Indiana Library Laws.

The webinar is eligible for one LEU for Indiana Library staff. Click [here](#) to register. After registering, participants will receive confirmation and a link to join the Zoom meeting.

Both webinars will be presented by Sylvia Watson, the Indiana State Library's general counsel. Watson has served as the general counsel for the State Library since 2008.

The Indiana State Library will make all reasonable modifications to policies and programs to ensure that people with disabilities have an equal opportunity to enjoy all its programs, services and activities. Those who require an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication, or a modification of policies or procedures to participate in this program, service or activity of the Indiana State Library, should contact Sylvia Watson at 317-232-3735 in advance of any webinar or program in which they would like to participate.

Next NICCL meeting scheduled for Oct. 14 in Indianapolis

When: Sept. 28, 10-11 a.m.

Where: Webinar

[Discovery to Delivery 2022](#)

When: Oct. 7, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Where: Indiana State Library

[What's Up Wednesday - Get INSPIRED](#)

When: Oct. 12, 10-11 a.m.

Where: Webinar

[Teen Services: Connected Learning Self-paced Course VIRTUAL Welcome/Orientation Session](#)

When: Oct. 18, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Where: Webinar

[Genealogy and Local History Fair](#)

When: Oct. 22, 10 a.m. -3:30 p.m.

Where: Indiana State Library

[What's Up Wednesday](#)

When: Oct. 26, 10-11 a.m.

Where: Webinar

[Media Mentorship for Youth Services](#)

When: Oct. 27, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Where: Webinar

[What's Up Wednesday - Get INSPIRED: New Features in EBSCO Databases](#)

When: Nov. 9, 10-11 a.m.

Where: Webinar

[Teen Services: Connected Learning Self-Paced Course Wrap-up Discussion](#)

When: Nov. 15, 1:30-3 p.m.

Where: Webinar



Welcome to Digital Collection Highlights. Every other week, librarians at the Indiana State Library share images from the

[Children's and Young Adult Assistant \(part-time\)](#)

Starke County Public Library System

[Divisional Librarian of Programs and Services](#)

Tippecanoe County Public Library

[Head Technical Services Librarian](#)

Tippecanoe County Public Library

[Youth Services Librarian](#)

Tippecanoe County Public Library

[Assistant Director and Head of Public Services](#)

University of Southern Indiana

[Assistant Technical Services Manager](#)

Wabash Carnegie Public Library

Those who would like their Indiana library job posting to be listed in the Wednesday Word must submit the position and its description to the Indiana State Library. Click [here](#) for submission guidelines and to submit.

In the news



[Adopt a Reading Buddy at the Bedford Public Library during National Library Card Sign Up Month](#)

Bedford Public Library

[Eckhart Library honors Graber family](#)

Eckhart Public Library

[Floyd County Library town hall addresses issues of poverty](#)

Floyd County Library



The Northern Indiana Computer Consortium for Libraries has scheduled its next roundtable meeting on Friday, Oct. 14. The roundtable will be hosted virtually and in-person at the Indianapolis Public Library's Library Service Center from 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

NICCL is an organization composed of member libraries that meet quarterly for technology-based training and networking. Attendees are encouraged to share technology endeavors from their own libraries, as well as what they've seen in other libraries. The roundtable also offers an opportunity for attendees to ask technology-related questions to those in the group.

Attendees do not need to be members of NICCL, nor do they need to be on staff as a member of their library's IT department.

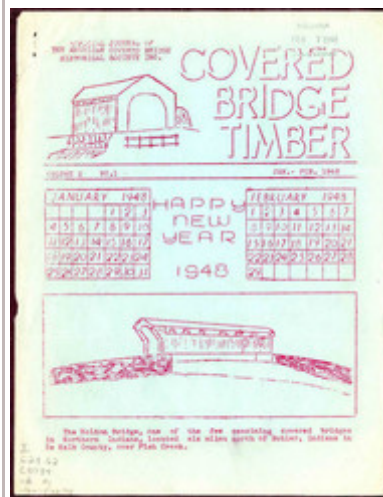
Please send an RSVP to [Rich Weiland](#) of the Adams Public Library System, as lunch will be provided. Please indicate if attendance will be in-person or virtual. The IndyPL Library Service Center is located at 2450 N. Meridian St. in Indianapolis.

This roundtable is eligible for one TLEU for Indiana library staff.

The primary mission of NICCL is to join together with other libraries to explore new emerging technologies, seek out best technology practices, obtain technology training, see vendor demonstrations of new technology or services and to negotiate pricing of technology hardware and software purchases and technology support services, all

library's ever-growing digital collections. Visit the [Digital Collections](#) page to view the latest additions.

Covered Bridge Timber



Some people know the difference between a Burr Arch, Howe, Queen Post and King Post. They might also know the importance of the entrance to Brown County State Park. They might even be planning a trip to Parke County in October. Those people are covered bridge connoisseurs and know their covered bridge construction and history. Indiana is known for its 98 covered bridges, most clustered in the western part of the state.

In the late 1900s, a small group of covered bridge enthusiasts organized to save and promote the study of covered bridges, but the group slowly died off. So, in 1946 the American Covered Bridge Historical Society formed, continuing the promotion of the preservation of covered bridges, with the first issue of their official journal appearing the next year. In May 1947, the [first issue of the Covered Bridge Timber](#) rolled off the press with messages from founder and treasurer George Aten of Muncie, first president Robert C. Finnegan of Lafayette and a list of its 50 charter members.

[Greentown Public Library winter bus trip](#)

Greentown Public Library

[Library announces programming for adults and teens](#)

Jackson County Public Library

[An expert Indianapolis collector has found hundreds of rare kids' books for Lilly Library](#)

Lilly Library at Indiana University

[Sheridan Friends of the Library to hold Fall Book Sale](#)

Sheridan Public Library

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State Library blog



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"Student Loan Debt for Librarians and Library Staff" webinar set for Sept. 13



On Tuesday, Sept. 13, from 2-3 p.m., the Indiana State Library will present "Student Loan Debt for Librarians and Library Staff."

The webinar will provide an overview of the Public Service Loan Forgiveness Program, the temporary waiver and how individuals might be able to have their student debt gone sooner rather than later. In addition to including information about the program and the waiver, the webinar will cover the current landscape of student loans and showcase a variety of resources.

"Student Loan Debt for Librarians and Library Staff" will be presented by Ruth Frasur, coordinator for both Evergreen Indiana Library Consortium and the Evergreen Community Development Initiative. Frasur has been involved in public service roles since 2001 and Indiana public libraries since 2007. She received her bachelor's degree and master's degree from

Newspapers across the country printed articles about the formation of the society and talked about the covered bridges in their states. The Society held their first annual meeting on Saturday, Oct. 11, 1947, at the Claypool Hotel in Indianapolis, and Sunday, Oct. 12, they toured several covered bridges in Owen and Putnam Counties.

Thereafter, each issue had information about members and their work, articles about covered bridges and their histories, as well as featuring well-known designers and builders. For example, the March 1948 issue has a [list and map of bridges built by Archibald Kennedy](#) and his sons in the southeastern part of Indiana.

The first eight issues of Covered Bridge Timber can be read in the [Indiana State Library's Digital Collection](#).

Blog spotlight for September: Wells County Public Library



This month's featured blog comes from the Wells County Public Library.

The library's blog is a collection of recent news and events. The blog also features new movie releases, staff picks, library updates and database spotlights.

In the New Movies section, the post displays the movie cover, the MPAA rating and a link to the title's IMDb page, in addition to the date that the title arrived - or will arrive - at the library. The IMDb link offers a plethora of information about each

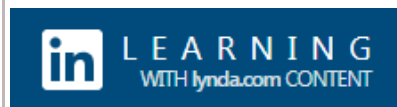
Follow the [Indiana State Library's blog](#) for weekly posts covering all aspects of the State Library.

Indiana library employees who would like to contribute a guest blog, please send an [email](#) with an idea.

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Free training for librarians and library employees on LinkedIn Learning



the Indiana University system through a combination of grants, scholarships and loans while also working full-time to support her family. She has been paying student loans in some form or fashion since 1994. Over the past few years, she has spent hundreds of hours navigating the environment of student loan servicers, the Public Service Loan Forgiveness program, and most recently the Limited PSLF waiver, and is enthusiastic about sharing what she has learned.

The webinar is eligible for one LEU for Indiana library staff.

Click [here](#) to read more and click [here](#) to register.

Please contact [Courtney Brown](#), Southwest regional coordinator at the Indiana State Library, with any questions about the webinar or registering for the webinar.

movie, including a full cast and crew list, plot summary, genre identification, trivia and user reviews.

Readers can also get to know the library staff via the Staff Picks section. For example, after reading librarian Jason Habegger's [review of "Who Can Hold the Sea: The U.S. Navy in the Cold War 1945-1960."](#) one might learn that he is an "oddy" in the library due to his background in science.

Click [here](#) to visit the library's news and events blog.

Libraries interested in having their blog featured in a future issue of Wednesday Word should contact [John Wekluk](#), communications director at the Indiana State Library. Blogs are showcased in the first newsletter of each month.

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