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Vice-Provost & Chief Librarian
Western University

Western University is located on the traditional lands of the Anishinaabek, Haudenosaunee, Lūnaapéewak and Chonnonton peoples, on lands connected with the London Township and Sombra Treaties of 1796 and the Dish with One Spoon Covenant Wampum. This land continues to be home to diverse Indigenous Peoples (First Nations, Métis, and Inuit) whom we recognize as contemporary stewards of the land and vital contributors of our society.

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Reporting to the Provost and -Vice-President (Academic), the Vice-Provost & Chief Librarian is responsible for the overall administration in

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As a member of the senior leadership team, the Chief Librarian

revitalization, additional library renovations and space enhancements, service innovations, digitization, and archival and special collections acquisitions.

The successful candidate will possess an MLIS from a program accredited by the American Library Association (ALA) or a PhD in library and information or an equivalent degree, coupled with eligibility for continuing appointment at the rank of Senior Librarian. The ideal candidate has a demonstrated capacity for leadership in a major research library, and proven ability as a collaborative, collegial, and approachable manager dedicated to creating accessible services and to creating a safe and welcoming environment for library staff and users. As an exceptional communicator who brings a strong commitment to academic librarianship, the Chief Librarian will promote and foster a supportive environment that encourages contributions from diverse groups and individuals, embracing their curiosity, creativity, ideas, and innovations. The selected candidate