

**THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES
DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION STUDIES
POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME**

Masters in Library and Information Studies (MLIS)

Course List 2022/2023

SEM.	COURSE CODE	TITLE	CREDITS	LECTURER
1	LIBS6001	Foundations of Library and Information Studies	3	Dr. Ruth Baker-Gardner
1	LIBS6106	Management of Libraries & Information Units	3	Dr. Rosemarie Heath
1	LIBS6301	Bibliography and Reference Methods and Materials	3	Mrs. Sonia Stewart
1	LIBS6306	*Legal Information Resource Management	3	Mrs. Claudette Solomon
1	LIBS6501	Information Technology I	3	Mr. Nicholas Graham
1	LIBS6901	Trends & Issues in Library & Information Work **(Elective for Option 2)	3	Dr. Ruth Baker-Gardner
2	LIBS6002	Information, Communication & Society	3	TBA
2	LIBS6003	Information Literacy Instruction(Elective)	3	TBA
2	LIBS6201	Cataloguing & Metadata	3	TBA
2	LIBS6401	Research Methods in Library & Information Work	3	TBA
2	LIBS6503	Introduction to Digital Libraries (Elective)		TBA
2	LIBS6801	Copyright Issues Affecting Caribbean Libraries & Information Services	3	TBA
1	LIBS6899	***Research Paper(Option 1)	6	Supervisor to be assigned
1	LIBS6902	**Independent Study	3	Supervisor to be assigned
3	LIBS6202	Subject Analysis & Indexing in Information Retrieval	3	TBA
3	LIBS6504	Integrated Library Systems	3	TBA
3	LIBS6904	Practicum in Library and Information Studies	3	
3	MGMT6015	Basic Statistics(Elective)	3	TBA

*All students must do a Resource-based course; only LIBS6801 and LIBS6306 are offered.

** Option 2 means taking LIBS6901 and LIBS6902

*** Option 1 means doing the Research Paper (LIBS6899)

Students are required to obtain a minimum of thirty-nine (39) credits consisting of:

1. Ten 3-credit courses (30 credits)
 - Core Courses - 24credits
 - Resource Course - 3 credits
 - Elective - 3 credits
2. Six weeks practicum (fieldwork) - 3 credits
3. LIBS6899 - Research Paper 10,000-15,000 words - 6 credits (Option 1)
4. Independent Study -3 credits (Option 2)
5. LIBS6901 - Trends & Issues in Library & Information Work - 3 credits (Option 2)

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