

Alumni Profile and Perceptions by Cohort

Year Graduated from GSLIS			2005 - 2009 (n=30)	2005 - 2009 (%)	2010 - 2014 (n=60)	2010 - 2014 (%)	Difference between 2005 - 2009 and 2010 - 2014
Are you currently working?	Yes, full time		24	80.00%	35	58.33%	-21.67%
	Yes, part time		3	10.00%	20	33.33%	23.33%
	No		3	10.00%	5	8.33%	-1.67%
If you are currently working,	Is it in a field related to Archives and/or Library and Information Services, broadly defined?	Yes	26	89.66%	44	81.48%	-8.17%
		No	3	10.34%	10	18.52%	8.17%
What are the things you most value from your experiences at the QC GSLIS? Please select three:	Exposure to all aspects of librarianship		21	70.00%	40	66.67%	-3.33%
	Broad overview of current state of the field		13	43.33%	34	56.67%	13.33%
	Learning from practitioners		18	60.00%	24	40.00%	-20.00%
	How to do a reference interview		10	33.33%	16	26.67%	-6.67%
	Practical experience, in class and internship		14	46.67%	25	41.67%	-5.00%
	Socialization into the field		6	20.00%	19	31.67%	11.67%
	Mentoring from professors		9	30.00%	13	21.67%	-8.33%
	How to handle reference sources		5	16.67%	18	30.00%	13.33%
	Writing grants		4	13.33%	3	5.00%	-8.33%
What skills did	Writing, analysis		19	63.33%	28	46.67%	-16.67%

you learn at QC GSLIS that help you in your current position? Please select three:	and research skills						
	Presentation skills (practice, emphasis as skill)	16	53.33%	32	53.33%	0.00%	
	Professionalism	13	43.33%	34	56.67%	13.33%	
	Ethical librarianship	11	36.67%	22	36.67%	0.00%	
	Preservation	4	13.33%	12	20.00%	6.67%	
	Public speaking	7	23.33%	19	31.67%	8.33%	
	Pedagogy / instruction	5	16.67%	13	21.67%	5.00%	
What is the greatest strength of the program?	Student diversity	1	3.33%	11	18.33%	15.00%	
	Faculty	11	36.67%	17	28.33%	-8.33%	
	Adjunct faculty	3	10.00%	10	16.67%	6.67%	
	Curriculum	10	33.33%	9	15.00%	-18.33%	
	Proximity to Manhattan	0	0.00%	3	5.00%	5.00%	
What could we have done to make your education more meaningful/valu able?	More active career placement	10	33.33%	38	63.33%	30.00%	
	Hands on experience (different internships, shadowing?)	13	43.33%	27	45.00%	1.67%	
	More technology	16	53.33%	29	48.33%	-5.00%	
	Career skills workshop	5	16.67%	25	41.67%	25.00%	
	Archives Technology- XML, EAD, etc.	9	30.00%	18	30.00%	0.00%	
	Right level of technology	4	13.33%	15	25.00%	11.67%	
	Use QC Library	2	6.67%	9	15.00%	8.33%	