

ARL NONUNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

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**TABLE 5: MEDIAN AND BEGINNING PROFESSIONAL SALARIES
IN ARL NONUNIVERSITY LIBRARIES***

	No. of Staff	Median Salaries		Beginning Salaries	
		FY 2006–07	FY 2007–08	FY 2006–07	FY 2007–08
Boston Public Library	183	\$56,406	\$58,099	\$37,907	\$37,907
Canada Institute for Scientific and Technical Information *	190	59,751	61,365	40,040	44,105
Center for Research Libraries	31	48,076	51,000	39,000	44,584
Library of Congress †	2,625	87,664	89,985	44,856	46,041
National Agricultural Library †	100	73,720	75,671	44,856	46,041
Library & Archives of Canada *	119	53,881	55,337	46,967	44,133
National Library of Medicine	191	82,391	80,123	44,856	46,041
New York Public Library	239	54,478	58,674	35,912	39,295
New York State Library	64	59,000	58,849	40,673	42,693
Smithsonian Library	55	73,720	75,671	44,856	46,041

* Canadian salaries expressed in U.S. dollars.

† See footnotes.

TABLE 6: SALARY TRENDS IN ARL NONUNIVERSITY LIBRARIES*

Salary figures for the current year are displayed in the context of the previous years and compared to the changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI) to show trends in the purchasing power of median and beginning professional salaries. Salary figures and CPI numbers have been converted to adjusted indexes, using July 1984 as the base. Actual CPI data retrieved from the U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics' *Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers - (CPI-U)*, located at <http://146.142.4.24/cgi-bin/surveymost?cu>.

Fiscal Year	No. of Libs.	Total Staff	Median Salary*	BPS[†] Median	Median Salary Index	BPS[†] Index	Actual CPI	Adjusted CPI
2007-08	10	3,797	\$80,261	\$44,359	236.9	268.7	208.3	200.5
2006-07	10	3,832	80,124	42,765	236.5	259.1	203.5	195.9
2005-06	10	3,921	76,083	38,673	224.6	234.3	195.4	188.1
2004-05	10	3,946	74,022	34,764	218.5	210.6	189.4	182.3
2003-04	10	3,877	70,020	34,739	206.8	210.4	183.9	177.0
2002-03	10	3,804	65,289	34,739	192.7	210.4	180.1	173.3
2001-02	10	3,717	65,025	34,389	191.9	208.3	177.5	170.8
2000-01	10	3,731	62,521	31,774	184.5	192.5	172.8	166.3
1999-2000	10	3,737	59,916	30,849	176.8	186.9	166.7	160.4
1998-99	11	3,819	56,000	29,877	165.3	181.0	163.2	157.1
1997-98	11	3,779	55,055	28,724	162.5	174.0	160.5	154.5
1996-97	11	3,799	51,150	28,380	151.0	172.0	157.0	151.1
1995-96	11	3,915	49,149	28,162	145.1	170.7	152.5	146.8
1994-95	11	3,837	47,997	27,813	141.7	168.6	148.4	142.8
1993-94	11	4,003	44,949	26,806	132.7	162.5	144.4	139.0
1992-93	11	4,172	43,876	23,500	129.6	142.4	140.2	134.9
1991-92	11	2,906	42,455	23,500	125.4	142.4	136.2	131.1
1990-91	12	1,363	36,013	20,800	106.3	126.1	130.7	125.8
1989-90	11	3,767	40,106	20,195	118.4	122.4	124.0	119.3
1988-89	11	3,781	37,544	19,100	110.9	115.8	118.3	113.9
1987-88	11	3,765	36,250	18,405	107.0	111.5	113.6	109.3
1986-87	10	2,790	33,020	17,912	97.5	108.6	109.6	105.5
1985-86	12	3,874	33,720	17,308	99.6	104.9	107.6	103.6
1984-85	11	3,840	33,863	16,500	100.0	100.0	103.9	100.0

* Canadian salaries expressed in U.S. dollars.

† Beginning professional salary.

