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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES  
**Martin and Bernard Breslauer Professorship in Bibliography**

The Information Studies Department at the University of California, Los Angeles, announces an opening for the newly created Martin and Bernard Breslauer Chair in Bibliography. Endowed Chairs at UCLA are reserved for distinguished scholars and teachers at the Full Professor level.

It is expected that the Breslauer Professor will contribute to the Information Studies Department's long-standing leadership and innovation in all areas of bibliography, here understood to include: the study of the collection and description of books and other textual works; the study of the production and use of textual works as physical objects; and the history of the book, of book arts, and of print culture. Emergent areas in which the Department is also interested include: the history of transitions from print to digital formats, and of the impact of such transitions on the book arts, on publishing and access systems, and on reading; the design of bibliographic systems that offer scholars in the arts and humanities access to creative and intellectual works; and approaches to the study of bibliographic collection and description that are informed by artistic and humanistic perspectives.

The Breslauer Professor will be expected to teach in all of the Department's academic degree programs. He or she will also strengthen relationships between Information Studies and the UCLA Library's world-renowned Special Collections Department.

UCLA's Graduate School of Education and Information Studies (GSE&IS), in which the Information Studies Department is located, is a community of learning and action inspired by the principles of social justice and individual responsibility and by an ethic of caring. As researchers, teachers, and agenda setters in learning and information fields, the community promotes transformative practice and scholarship. As part of a public research university in a large urban setting, GSE&IS recognizes its commitment to the public trust.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** A doctoral degree in library and information studies or other related field; distinguished record of research, scholarly publication, and teaching; commitment to teaching and mentoring students; and capacity to provide intellectual leadership to the field. The Department values candidates who can add to the diversity of the faculty.

**FOR MORE INFO:** Contact Professor Michael Buckland, chair of the search committee, at [buckland@ischool.berkeley.edu](mailto:buckland@ischool.berkeley.edu). All inquiries will be kept confidential if desired.

**TO APPLY:** Send application letter describing your research and teaching interests, along with curriculum vitae, to:

Anne Gilliland, Chair  
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Nominations are also invited. Please send a letter giving pertinent information about the nominee, including contact information.

**SALARY:** Commensurate with qualifications and experience.

**STARTING DATE:** Flexible

**DEADLINE:** Screening of completed applications is ongoing and will continue until the position is filled.

UCLA is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.  
We encourage applications from members of underrepresented groups.