

Education for the Public Good: Growing Libraries and Library Careers

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Today's slides: <https://bit.ly/mla-public-good>



Structure of panel

- We represent 3 educational institutions in Michigan, all offering unique pathways for library education
- We are complementary and collaborative (no fisticuffs today)
- We'll answer a series of questions designed to showcase our similarities and our distinctions
 - Our programs and our practicums





All of our programs
prepare students
for libraries,
information, and
knowledge work.

Describe our
program(s) and what
makes each unique.

How do students
prepare to enter
our programs?



What are some ways our respective programs engage with the library community?





Why should libraries
host practicums?

What are the
benefits for host
libraries?

What do students need to get out of the experience?



What are expectations of all parties in practicums?



Time for Q&A

- Thank you for letting us share about our programs and how we can engage with libraries through practicums
- What questions remain? What would you like to know?



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