



Employment Application

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Position: _____
Full-time __ Part-time/Substitute__

Name _____
Last First Full Middle Name

Previous names under which you have worked or attended school:

Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip code _____
Home phone _____ Cell phone _____ E-mail _____

Have you ever been employed with Somerset County Library? _Yes _No
If yes, from ___/___/___ to ___/___/___

Are you at least 14 years of age? _Yes _No Are you at least 18 years of age? _Yes _No

Do you have any relatives who work for Somerset County Library or serve on its Board of Trustees? _Yes _No
If yes, list their names, department(s), and relationship(s) to you: _____

EDUCATION	
Name/Address of High School, Military, College/University or Trade Schools	Diploma/Degree
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

PROFICIENCIES

Please indicate your level of proficiency with the following

(1 = Haven't used, 5 = Expert).

	1	2	3	4	5
Library circulation software: check out, check in, etc.					
Accounting software Name of software used:					
Automated HR system Name of software used:					
Windows OS					
Spreadsheets					
Word processing					
Databases (FileMaker, Base, Access, etc.)					

Other PC software/operating systems: _____

Identify any additional knowledge, skills, qualifications, publications, awards, scholarships, or extracurricular activity relevant to the position for which you are applying (you may exclude those that suggest race, religious creed, sex, marital status, age, color, national origin, disability or any other protected status).

Describe any on-the-job training you have completed that relates to the job for which you are applying.

Please list all languages, other than English, in which you are fluent. Please note whether you are a fluent speaker, reader and/or writer.

REFERENCES

Provide the name, address and phone number of three professional references who can comment on present/past work performance.

Name	Address	Phone	Relationship
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY – Paid, Unpaid

List your complete work record, beginning with your most recent experience. Include volunteer service. Describe primary duties as completely as possible. If more space is needed, make a photocopy of this page, or use separate sheet(s) prepared in the same format and attach securely. An incomplete application form, as well as partial information, may result in disqualification.

Employer _____ Phone (____) _____
Address _____
Street _____ City _____ State Zip code _____
Name of supervisor _____ Employed
Supervisor's title: _____ From: _____ To: _____
Position: _____ (Mo/Yr) __ (Mo/Yr) __
Duties: _____ Reg. hours per week: _____
_____ May we contact current
_____ employer:
_____ _ yes _ not at this
time

Reason for leaving: _____

Employer _____ Phone (____) _____
Address _____
Street _____ City _____ State Zip code _____
Name of supervisor _____ Employed
Supervisor's title: _____ From: _____ To: _____
Position: _____ (Mo/Yr) __ (Mo/Yr) __
Duties: _____ Reg. hours per week: _____
_____ May we contact this
_____ employer:
_____ _ yes _ not at this time

Reason for leaving: _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Have you ever been discharged from a position (or released during probation) or have you ever been forced to resign? *Answering Yes will not necessarily disqualify you for employment.* _Yes _No

If yes, please explain: _____

Do you have any relatives currently employed by Somerset County Library? _Yes _No

Please name: _____

Having a relative employed with the Library will not necessarily disqualify you from being considered for employment.

How did you learn about this position?

Desired salary: _____

Date you are available to start work: ____/____/____

CERTIFICATION and AUTHORIZATION

I certify that the statements made in this application are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false statements, omissions or misleading information may result in disqualification for consideration of employment or immediate termination of employment.

I authorize Somerset County Library and its agents to conduct reference and background checks, and a drug screening and fingerprinting for certain positions. I also understand that the background check may include a credit check. I hereby release Somerset County Library, its agents and those it contacts from any liability whatsoever as a result of such contact and the information provided and received. Pursuant to the Fair Credit and Reporting Act (FCRA), I understand that I have a right to make a written request within a reasonable time for the disclosure of the nature and scope of any investigation.

I understand that this application is not a contract and that acceptance of employment does not create a contract of employment nor guarantee employment for any specified period of time. If I become employed by Somerset County Library, I will adhere to Somerset County Library's code of ethics and standards of conduct, and I will perform the duties of my position in a strictly ethical and professional manner.

Applicant signature _____ Date _____

UNDER MARYLAND LAW, AN EMPLOYER MAY NOT REQUIRE OR DEMAND AS A CONDITION OF EMPLOYMENT, PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYMENT, OR CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT THAT AN INDIVIDUAL SUBMIT TO OR TAKE A LIE DETECTOR OR SIMILAR TEST. AN EMPLOYER WHO VIOLATES THIS LAW IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND SUBJECT TO A FINE NOT EXCEEDING \$100.

I represent and warrant that I have read and fully understand the above.

Applicant signature _____

Date _____

AVAILABILITY

Indicate your available hours to work on each day. Be sure to consider other jobs, travel times & additional obligations. Application will be deemed incomplete if this portion is not completed.

Library Hours:

Monday – Wednesday: 9am-6pm

Thursday – Saturday: 9am-5pm

Sundays – CLOSED

MONDAY: _____

TUESDAY: _____

WEDNESDAY: _____

THURSDAY: _____

FRIDAY: _____

SATURDAY: _____