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Young Canada Works Summer Student and Graduate Internship Program

The Canadian Library Association, in partnership with the Department of Canadian Heritage, is pleased to announce the launch of the Young Canada Works (YCW) summer student and graduate internship programs for 2016-2017. Young Canadians from coast to coast to coast will benefit from world-class opportunities to acquire and enhance skills, build career equity, earn money for their education or get started on the right career path.

Applications for both YCW in Heritage Organizations (summer jobs) and YCW Building Careers in Heritage (internships) will be accepted until Friday, **January 15, 2016** at 11:59 PM eastern standard time. All applications must be completed <u>online</u>. Questions about the application process or programming can be directed to <u>Jon MacDougall</u> 613-232-9625 ex. 321.

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Canada Post Library Materials Shipping Tool Updates

New Method of Payment for Customers using Postage Meters

In August, Parcel Services customers using meters as a method of payment for their parcels were advised that on January 11, 2016, Canada Post and meter vendors would introduce Supplier Account (previously communicated as Third-Party Account). This is a new way to pay for your parcels when using the Electronic Shipping Tools (EST), Library Shipping Tool or other approved electronic shipping platforms. On January 11, 2016, meter will no longer be an accepted method of payment option when using manual order documents (manifests or bills of lading). If you are using manual shipping documents, we encourage you to switch to an automated shipping platform.

Please refer to the **Supplier Account** handout for more information.

Library Materials Rate Update

Canada Post continues to support Canadian libraries by providing reduced postal rates for mailing library materials by libraries to their users and other libraries. On January 11, 2016, Canada Post will increase library materials rates by a weighted average of 5 per cent. Even with the increase, the rates continue to be substantially lower than our most discounted commercial parcel rates. A 1.28-kg package mailed at the library materials rate today costs \$1.12 to cover sending and returning the materials; this will increase to \$1.18 in January 2016. Without the library materials rate, the same service would cost approximately \$23.00 if mailed at a post office. For more information please click here.

Partnership Journal Turns 10: It's About Time!

In celebration of the 10th anniversary of the *Partnership Journal*, you are invited to submit writings to Volume 11.1 (2016) to be published in summer 2016.

The Partnership Journal is an open-access journal intended for readers in all library sectors. Good quality writing on any topic relevant to libraries that would be of interest to our readers. We are also looking for submissions which play on our anniversary theme: It's About Time.

For information on the submission process, focus and scope of each section, as well as author guidelines, visit The Partnership Journal guidelines. Questions about the submission process and future articles can be directed to Robin Bergart.

Submission deadline: February 26, 2016.

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