**Location:** Drexel University Libraries

**Job Title:** Discovery Librarian

**Vacancy Number:** 499954

**Responsibilities:** Located in the heart of Philadelphia, Drexel University is a world-class, comprehensive, R1 research institution and a global leader in experiential education. For more than 100 years, our renowned Cooperative Education (co-op) program has enabled students to gain professional work experience before they graduate, setting them apart from their peers. The successful candidate will participate actively in initiatives related to metadata and information resource management for the discovery and visibility of the professional and personal research assets of the University; develop resource discovery tools and services as appropriate. Contribute to metadata management by developing, implementing, and evaluating metadata strategies, policies, and procedures, particularly for research objects of any type. Provide support and recommendations for optimal use of the Libraries information management platforms, relevant applications and integrations based on building and maintaining in-depth expertise with metadata, information resource management, and discovery functionality. Ensure discoverability of library resources informed by best practices and trends using a broad and evolving range of tools and services; Maintain current knowledge of the trends and issues in higher education, with a focus on emerging technologies related to discovery and metadata. Proactively contribute to strengthening the Libraries' culture of diversity, equity, and inclusiveness.

**Requirements:**
- Required Qualifications: Master’s Degree or equivalent; ALA-accredited Library & Information Studies; 2 years professional experience; Experience with descriptive metadata creation and management including MARC/RDA and one or more non-MARC metadata formats. Possess strong analytical and critical thinking skills. Demonstrated experience managing and configuring library information and discovery systems. Demonstrated knowledge of current and emerging trends, workflows, and best practices in search, discovery, and metadata
- Preferred Qualifications: Undergraduate degree or professional experience in any of the University's discipline areas of strategic focus: Health Sciences, Technology/Engineering, Design, and Social Sciences; Experience with tools such as Alma Digital, Primo VE, ArchivesSpace, Esploro or Omeka; Knowledge of XML, RDF and Linked Data standards and principles; Experience with programming or scripting languages such as: Python, Perl, PHP, Java shell script; Knowledge of SQL and relational databases with sound skills in data analysis, remediation, and normalization.

**Salary Range:** $54,630-68,390


**Special Requests:**
Closing Date: 12/15/22