



Collections

October 2026

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Collection Coordinators
Subject Specialists

Jessica Morales
Associate University Librarian
for Collections

Alex Herrera
Administrative Assistant

Kathleen Folger
Electronic Resource Officer

Liangyu Fu
Director, Asia Library

Barbara Alvarez
Director, International studies: Romance
Lang. French, Italian & Iberian Studies and
Comparative Lit

Marieka Kaye
Director, Preservation Services,
Physical Collections

Lance Stuchell
Director, Preservation Services,
Digital Collections

Martha Conway
Director, Special Collections
Research Center

Helen Look
Collection Analyst

Mari Suzuki
Japanese Materials & Head
ALTS

Yung-hui Chou
Chinese Studies

Loyd Mbabu
African Studies

Beth Snyder
Head, Int'l Studies Tech
Services

Norm Harris
Jeff Gilboe
Book Repair Technicians

Susan Borda
Digital Preservation
Projects Manager

Julie Herrada
Curator, Labadie Collection

Gengna Wang
Mel Wang
Chinese Catalogers

Keiko Yokota-Carter
Japanese Studies

Brendan Nieuburt
Slavic E. European & Eurasian
Studies

Steven Baker
Arabic & Hebrew Cataloger

Mike Mueller
Bindery Preparation Tech

Abby Sypniewski
Preservation Lab
Manager

Giuliano Sidro
Curator, Papyrology
Collection

Etsuko Kosuge
Japanese Cataloger

Yunah Sung
Korean Studies & Project
Manager

Gabriel Mordoch
Judaica Curator

Leigh Billings
Metadata Management

Joseph Pratt (80%)
Collections Care Technician

Scott Witmer
Digital Preservation
Specialist

Pablo Alvarez
Juli McLoone
Curator

Myung Hee Kim
Korean Cataloger

Vacant
Service Specialist

Evyn Kropf
Mid. East & Religious Studies,
Islamic MSS

Zoreh Khodadost
Persian Cataloger

Jenny Hsu
Audio-Moving Image
Preservation Librarian

Jason Glover
Audio-Moving Image
Preservation Technician

Hilary Severyn
Collection Services Librarian

I-Chun Wang
Chinese Acquisitions

Edras Rodriguez-Torres
Latin American & Caribbean
Studies

Armine Kirakosyan
Irina Muchnik
Walter Slater
Slavic E. European & Eurasian
Studies Catalogers

Amy Crist
Head of Conservation

Rachel Bissonnette
Trina Parks-Matthews
Asst. Book & Paper
Conservator

Tiffany Decker
Melanie Lowrie
Collection Services
Support Specialist

Kazuko Anderson
Japanese Acquisitions

Mary Lawrence
Western European Studies

Fe Susan Go
Kamala Nautiyal
Southeast Asian, Australian,
New Zealand, & Pacific Studies

Sujira Prayoonhong
Southeast Asian Studies
Specialist

Brooke Murphy
Conservation Technicians

Sarah Conrad
Katie Jones
Processing Archivist

Vacant
Korean Acquisitions

Jeffrey Martin
S. Asian Studies &
Anthropology

Kamala Nautiyal
South Asian Studies Specialist

Lien Dang
Southeast Asian Language
Cataloger

Linda Skolarus
Research Services Librarian

Monica Tsuneishi
Research Services Specialist

University of Michigan Library Collections Organizational Chart

Effective October 1, 2026

Overview

The chart presents the organizational and reporting structure of the University of Michigan Library's Collections division. Jessica Morales leads the division as Associate University Librarian for Collections. Seven major functional areas appear beneath the division leadership:

1. Electronic Resources
2. Collection Analysis
3. Asia Library
4. International Studies
5. Preservation Services—Physical Collections
6. Preservation Services—Digital Collections
7. Special Collections Research Center

The University of Michigan Library logo appears in the upper-left corner. The chart is labeled "Collections, September 2026."

Collections leadership and associated roles

Jessica Morales, Associate University Librarian for Collections

Jessica Morales is at the top of the organizational hierarchy. A solid reporting line extends from this position to the division's principal functional areas.

Two dotted-line relationships are also shown:

- Collection Coordinators and Subject Specialists
- Alex Herrera, Administrative Assistant

Electronic Resources

Kathleen Folger, Electronic Resource Officer

Collection Analysis

Helen Look, Collection Analyst

Asia Library

Liangyu Fu, Director, Asia Library

The Asia Library includes Asian Library Technical Services, acquisitions staff, catalogers, subject specialists, and a service specialist.

Asian Library Technical Services

Mari Suzuki, Japanese Materials and Head, Asian Library Technical Services

The chart abbreviates Asian Library Technical Services as “ALTS.”

The following positions are grouped beneath Mari Suzuki:

- Gengna Wang and Mel Wang, Chinese Catalogers
- Etsuko Kosuge, Japanese Cataloger
- Myung Hee Kim, Korean Cataloger
- I-Chun Wang, Chinese Acquisitions
- Kazuko Anderson, Japanese Acquisitions
- Vacant, Korean Acquisitions

Asia Library subject and service positions

The following positions are also shown within the Asia Library, reporting to Liangyu Fu:

- Yung-hui Chou, Chinese Studies
- Keiko Yokota-Carter, Japanese Studies
- Yunah Sung, Korean Studies and Project Manager
- Vacant, Service Specialist

International Studies

Barbara Alvarez, Director, International Studies: Romance Languages; French, Italian and Iberian Studies; and Comparative Literature

The International Studies area includes regional and subject specialists, curators, collection coordinators, and International Studies Technical Services.

Regional and subject positions

The following positions are shown in the International Studies branch:

- Loyd Mbabu, African Studies
- Brendan Nieuburt, Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies
- Gabriel Mordoch, Judaica Curator
- Evyn Kropf, Middle Eastern and Religious Studies; Islamic Manuscripts
- Edras Rodriguez-Torres, Latin American and Caribbean Studies
- Mary Lawrence, Western European Studies

South Asian Studies

Jeffrey Martin, South Asian Studies and Anthropology

The following specialist reports to Jeffrey Martin:

- Kamala Nautiyal, South Asian Studies Specialist

Southeast Asian, Australian, New Zealand and Pacific Studies

Fe Susan Go and Kamala Nautiyal, Southeast Asian, Australian, New Zealand and Pacific Studies

The following specialist positions are associated with this area:

- Lien Dang, Southeast Asian Language Cataloger
- Sujira Prayoonhong, Southeast Asian Studies Specialist

International Studies Technical Services

Beth Snyder, Head, International Studies Technical Services

The following positions are shown in the International Studies Technical Services group:

- Steven Baker, Arabic and Hebrew Cataloger
- Leigh Billings, Metadata Management
- Zoreh Khodadost, Persian Cataloger
- Armine Kirakosyan, Irina Muchnik, and Walter Slater, Slavic, East European and Eurasian Studies Catalogers

Preservation Services—Physical Collections

Marieka Kaye, Director, Preservation Services, Physical Collections

The Physical Collections branch includes book repair, bindery preparation, collections care, and conservation.

The following positions report within this branch:

- Norm Harris and Jeff Gilboe, Book Repair Technicians
- Mike Mueller, Bindery Preparation Technician
- Joseph Pratt, 80% appointment, Collections Care Technician
- Jenny Hsu, Audio-Moving Image Preservation Librarian
- Jason Glover, Audio-Moving Image Preservation Technician
- Amy Crist, Head of Conservation

Conservation

The following positions report to Amy Crist:

- Trina Parks-Matthews and Rachel Bissonnette, Assistant Book and Paper Conservator
- Brooke Murphy Conservation Technicians

Preservation Services—Digital Collections

Lance Stuchell, Director, Preservation Services, Digital Collections

The following positions report within the Digital Collections branch:

- Susan Borda, Digital Preservation Projects Manager
- Abby Sypniewski, Preservation Lab Manager
- Scott Witmer, Digital Preservation Specialist

Special Collections Research Center

Martha Conway, Director, Special Collections Research Center

The Special Collections Research Center includes curatorial, collection-services, processing, and research-services positions.

The following positions report within the center:

- Julie Herrada, Curator, Labadie Collection
- Giuliano Sidro, Curator, Papyrology Collection
- Pablo Alvarez and Juli McLoone, Curators
- Hilary Severyn, Collection Services Librarian

Collection Services

The following positions report to Hilary Severyn:

- Tiffany Decker and Melanie Lowrie, Collection Services Support Specialists
- Sarah Conrad and Katie Jones, Processing Archivists
- Linda Skolarus, Research Services Librarian

The following position reports to Linda Skolarus:

- Monica Tsuneishi, Research Services Specialist