

# American Library Association-Allied Professional Association Standing Committee on the Salaries and Status of Library Workers

# PAY EQUITY BIBLIOGRAPHY

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The emphasis for items included in the bibliography is on practical rather than theoretical materials and on more recent information on pay equity; however, there are items from previous versions of the Pay Equity Bibliography included. This list is by no means exhaustive. If you know of items that should be included in future versions, please email them to ALA-APA (info@ala-apa.org).

Salary surveys and other factors that influence pay equity are included in the bibliography. Many salary surveys are done on an annual basis so check for the latest data from the parent organization conducting such surveys.

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# **Pay Equity**

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The AAUW Pay Equity Resource Kit is a resource for education and advocacy on equal pay. It provides background information, suggestions for programming and advocacy, and tools you can use to raise the issue of fair pay for women in your community. In this resource kit you will find a timeline of notable achievements and obstacles around the fight for pay equity; facts and figures; and information on current federal legislation dealing with pay equity. In addition, you will find information about Equal Pay Day, which advocates across the country recognize each April to bring attention to the struggle to end the wage gap in the workplace.

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This article discusses Equal Pay Day, which is "a new analysis of U.S. Census Bureau data from the National Partnership for Women & Families." (Mikulski). The author states that Equal Pay Day should be used as a reminder that women continue to face a gender-based wage gap and stresses the importance of Congress passing the Paycheck Fairness Act. According to the article, the Paycheck Fairness Act would assist in eliminating the wage gap between men and women by making it so employers have to show that pay disparities are not gender-based. "It would prohibit employers from retaliating against employees who discuss or disclose salary information and make it easier for women to combat pay discrimination." (Mikulski).

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